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Journal of the Senate.

FORTY-FIRST SESSION.

FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, January 7, 1919.

This being the day designated by statute for the assembling of the Legislature of Minnesota, the members-elect of the Senate met in the Senate chamber of the Capitol, and were called to order by Lieutenant-Governor Thomas Frankson, at 12 o'clock noon. Lieutenant-Governor Frankson subscribed to the oath of office administered by Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown.

Prayer by Rev. A. D. Stowe.

The Lieutenant-Governor appointed Senator Benson secretary pro tem.

The Secretary pro tem called the roll of Senators-elect, and the following answered to their names:

First District.....John W. Hopp.
Second District.....H. W. Kingsbury.
Third District.....Jas. A. Carley.
Fourth District.....A. C. Gooding (Absent).
Fifth District.....W. A. Nolan.
Sixth District.....B. N. Anderson.
Seventh District.....Frank E. Putnam.
Eighth District.....Gustaf Widell.
Ninth District.....Albert L. Ward.
Tenth District.....Charles W. Gillam.
Eleventh District.....J. A. Cashel.
Twelfth District.....Floyd E. Lindsley.
Thirteenth District.....James H. Hall.
Fourteenth District.....Frank F. Romberg.
Fifteenth District.....Henry N. Benson.
Sixteenth District.....Sam. A. Rask.
Seventeenth District.....Harry F. Weis.
Eighteenth District.....Geo. D. Reed.
Nineteenth District.....A. J. Rockne.

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Twentieth District.....	James M. Millet.
Twenty-first District.....	W. J. Kuntz.
Twenty-second District.....	H. H. Bonniwell.
Twenty-third District.....	Herman Schmechel.
Twenty-fourth District.....	Oluf Gjerset.
Twenty-fifth District.....	P. A. Gandrud.
Twenty-sixth District.....	Magnus Johnson.
Twenty-seventh District.....	J. E. Madigan.
Twenty-eighth District.....	J. G. Callahan.
Twenty-ninth District.....	Frank L. Palmer.
Thirtieth District.....	Charles R. Fowler.
Thirty-first District.....	W. F. Brooks.
Thirty-second District.....	A. O. Devold.
Thirty-third District.....	Paul W. Guilford.
Thirty-fourth District.....	Carl L. Wallace.
Thirty-fifth District.....	James Dwyer.
Thirty-sixth District.....	Geo. A. Turnham.
Thirty-seventh District.....	Joseph A. Jackson.
Thirty-eighth District.....	James Handlan.
Thirty-ninth District.....	Peter Van Hoven.
Fortieth District.....	James D. Denegre.
Forty-first District.....	Martin J. Conroy.
Forty-second District.....	Charles N. Orr.
Forty-third District.....	W. W. Wilcox.
Forty-fourth District.....	Theo. C. Blomgren.
Forty-fifth District.....	John D. Sullivan.
Forty-sixth District.....	Bernard J. Loonam.
Forty-seventh District.....	Iver J. Lee.
Forty-eighth District.....	F. L. Cliff.
Forty-ninth District.....	F. H. Peterson.
Fiftieth District.....	Ole O. Sageng.
Fifty-first District.....	John B. Stephan.
Fifty-second District.....	Patrick H. McGarry.
Fifty-third District.....	Hilding A. Swanson.
Fifty-fourth District.....	F. D. Vibert.
Fifty-fifth District.....	Richard Hamer.
Fifty-sixth District.....	Adolph S. Larson.
Fifty-seventh District.....	Charles E. Adams.
Fifty-eighth District.....	Edward R. Ribenack.
Fifty-ninth District.....	Emil M. Erickson.
Sixtieth District.....	Fred Bessette.
Sixty-first District.....	Michael Boylan.

Sixty-second District.....Leonard H. Nord.
 Sixty-third District.....John H. Baldwin.
 Sixty-fourth District.....John L. Wold.
 Sixty-fifth District.....Oscar A. Naplin.
 Sixty-sixth District.....James Cumming.
 Sixty-seventh District.....Nels S. Hegnes.

The Senators-elect, with the exception of Mr. Gooding, who is sick and not able to be present, presented their certificates of election and took the oath of office, administered by Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown.

The Senate then proceeded to the election of officers:

Mr. Rask nominated Geo. W. Peachey for secretary of the Senate.

On the roll being called, the following Senators voted for Mr. Geo. W. Peachey:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wallace,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Weis,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

Mr. Geo. W. Peachey, having received the unanimous vote of the Senate, was declared duly elected Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Denegre nominated G. H. Spaeth for first assistant secretary.

The roll being called, the following senators voted for Mr. Spaeth:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wallace,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Weis,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

Mr. Spaeth having received the unanimous vote of the Senate, was declared duly elected First Assistant Secretary.

Mr. Reed nominated Henry Wester for Enrolling Clerk.

The roll being called, the following senators voted for Mr. Wester :

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Wallace,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Weis,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	Wold,

Mr. Wester having received a majority of all the votes cast was duly declared elected Enrolling Clerk.

Mr. Nord nominated W. J. McGarry for Engrossing Clerk.

The roll being called, the following senators voted for Mr. McGarry :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wallace,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Weis,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,	

Mr. McGarry having received the unanimous vote of the Senate was declared duly elected Engrossing Clerk.

Mr. Blomgren nominated John A. Stoneburg for Sergeant-at-Arms.

The roll being called, the following Senators voted for John A. Stoneburg for Sergeant-at-Arms :

Adams,	Boylan,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Hopp,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Jackson,
Baldwin,	Callahan,	Devold,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,
Benson,	Carley,	Dwyer,	Hall,	Kuntz,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Larson,
Blomgren,	Cliff,	Fowler,	Handlan,	Lee,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,	Lindsley,

Loonam,	Orr,	Ribenack,	Sullivan,	Ward,
McGarry,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Swanson,	Weis,
Madigan,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Turnham,	Widell,
Millett,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,	Wilcox,
Nolan,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Vibert,	Wold,
Nord,	Reed,	Stepan,	Wallace,	

Mr. John A. Stoneburg, having received the majority of all the votes cast, was duly declared elected Sergeant-at-Arms.

The newly elected officers of the Senate came forward and took the oath of office, which was administered by Lieutenant-Governor Thomas Frankson.

Mr. Adams was excused for Wednesday and Thursday, January 8th and 9th, respectively.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the following are hereby adopted as two of the permanent rules of the Senate:

Rule 1. The Senate shall provide and employ for the session, at the compensation of \$5.00 per day, except as otherwise specified, the following:

- One Second Assistant Secretary at \$7.00 per day.
- One Third Assistant Secretary at \$7.00 per day.
- One Fourth Assistant Secretary at \$7.00 per day.
- One Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.
- One Chaplain.
- One Clerk Committee on Finance at \$10.00 per day.
- One Clerk Judiciary Committee at \$10.00 per day.
- One Assistant Enrolling Clerk at \$7.00 per day.
- One Stenographer to Judiciary Committee.
- One Stenographer to Secretary of Senate.
- One File Clerk.
- One Assistant File Clerk.
- One Assistant Engrossing Clerk.
- One Post Office Messenger.
- One Janitor.
- One Assistant Janitor.

21 clerks and assistant clerks, who shall be assigned to their respective positions and duties by the Secretary of the Senate.

13 sergeants of galleries, committee rooms, retiring rooms, cloak rooms and doorkeepers, to be assigned to their respective positions and duties by the Sergeant-at-Arms.

Such general stenographers as the Committee on Rules may from time to time determine.

That appointment to the foregoing positions shall be made by resolution specifying the names of such appointees and the position to which the same are appointed, adopted by a majority vote of all members-elect of the Senate.

Rule 2. The President of the Senate is authorized to appoint a secretary at a salary of ten dollars per day, a messenger at five dollars per day, and six (6) pages at a salary of three dollars per day each, and one stenographer.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 63 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Wallace,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Weis,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed for the session to the respective positions hereinafter stated and at the compensation of five dollars (\$5.00) per day, unless herein otherwise specified, to-wit:

Second Assistant Secretary, John P. Paulson, \$7.00 per day.

Third Assistant Secretary, Carl V. Cassel, \$7.00 per day.

Fourth Assistant Secretary, P. W. Pitcher, \$7.00 per day.

Chaplain, Rev. A. D. Stowe.

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Mathias Nurienberg.

Clerk of Judiciary Committee, H. O. Halvorson, \$10.00 per day.

Clerk of Committee on Finance, \$10.00 per day, to be named by the Committee on Rules.

File Clerk, Irl M. Richmond.

Assistant File Clerk, Hazel Berge.

Assistant Enrolling Clerk, J. B. Connolly, \$7.00 per day.

Assistant Engrossing Clerk, Thomas A. Walsh.

Stenographer to Secretary, Cora Norred.

Assistant Clerks and Clerks of Committees to be assigned to their respective duties by the Secretary: Edwin W. Altier, Harold D. Hopp, Albert S. Webb, Samuel Gandrud, H. R. Clarkson, C. E. Bergman, L. C. Peltier, Henry L. Soderquist, Arthur E. Anderson, Clyde Weber, G. R. Howe, J. D. Barstow, T. Morris, Julia Howie, Martin Forrest, Peter J. Tennis, Harry L. Fowler, William D. Fitzpatrick, A. G. Beckett, Ole Distad.

Sergeant-at-Arms of galleries, committee rooms, retiring rooms, cloak rooms and doorkeepers to be assigned to their respective positions and duties by the Sergeant-at-Arms:

John Gardner, Fred E. Giese, Issac Chalkowitz, Irvin N. West, Alfred Johnson, Louis A. Runge, Frank Bedell, Stanley Woznick, H. P. Nelson, J. A. Wood, Allen C. Cumming, D. F. McGrath.

Messenger: John Kirby.

General stenographers: Florence E. Reber, William Larkin, Louise M. Clifford, Susanne M. Grevstad.

Janitor: To be selected by the Committee on Rules.

Assistant Janitor: Harry Robinson.

Be It Further Resolved, That all employes herein named assume their respective positions and duties at once and that all employes appointed by the Custodian of the Capitol be and they are hereby discharged.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 65 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Wallace,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Weis,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he hereby is authorized to purchase stationery and other temporary supplies for the use of the senators and officers of the Senate during the session.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 65 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Wallace,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Weis,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That all assistants to the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate and all door, cloak, committee rooms, janitors and gallery officers of the Senate shall perform their respective duties as such officers under the supervision of the Sergeant-at-Arms and the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, and may be by them assigned to other duties pertaining to the business of the Senate.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That all secretaries and clerks of committees, other than clerk and assistant clerk to the Judiciary Committee, when not engaged in the service of the committee or committees to which they have been assigned by resolution and election of the Senate, shall, when requested, report to and be subject to assignment by the Secretary of the Senate to such other duties relating to the business of the Senate as he may direct.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the President of the Senate be and he hereby is directed to appoint a Committee of three (3) to act with a similar Committee of the House of Representatives, to notify the Governor that the Senate and House of Representatives are now duly organized pursuant to law, and ready to receive any message he may desire to give them.

Which resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate appointed the following committee to notify the Governor:

Messrs. Putnam, Vibert and Sullivan.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved That the President of the Senate be and he hereby is authorized to appoint a Committee of three (3) on mileage.

Which resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President appointed the following Committee on Mileage: Messrs. Madigan, chairman, Cliff and Cumming.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the rules governing the Fortieth session of the Senate of this state in addition to the rules already adopted, be in force as the rules of this Senate Session until the Committee on Rules, to be appointed, reports; save that no bill of any kind shall be introduced the first day of this session.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the President of the Senate appoint nine (9) members for the purpose of reporting to this body a set of rules for this Session in addition to the rules already adopted.

Which resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President appointed the following Committee on Rules:

Messrs. Wallace, chairman, Sageng, Benson, Jackson, Nolan, Putnam, Rockne, Sullivan, Vibert.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION IN MEMORIAM OF THE DEATH OF
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Whereas, The foremost citizen of the United States of America, Theodore Roosevelt, is dead, and

Whereas, by his ceaseless energy and courage as a servant of the Republic, as Police Commissioner of the City of New York, as Assistant Secretary of the Navy, as Governor of the State of New York, as Vice President, and as President of the United States, and by his fearlessness and ability as a soldier, and by his profound knowledge as scientist, historian, literateur, philosopher and explorer, and by his unique and original personality always forcefully expressing itself, whether as statesman, soldier and publicist, he became the greatest American of our generation, and a commanding figure whose voice was heard throughout the world, and whose personality has been indelibly impressed upon our life.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That in the death of Theodore Roosevelt, the nation has suffered an irreparable loss, and mankind a friend, and

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mrs. Roosevelt as an expression of our great sorrow and of our sympathy.

Which resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate announced the following appointments:

L. T. Lobdill, secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Herbert Gallick, messenger to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Frances Garlock, stenographer to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Pages: Arthur L. Barry, Chester Kaldahl, Roy Dilley, William F. Felstow.

COMMUNICATION AND NOTICE.

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN
Stillwater, Minn.

January 6, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson, President of the Senate, State Capitol, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Sir: Enclosed please find original Notice of Contest of the election of W. W. Wilcox to the office of State Senator, together with the testimony and the entire record relating thereto. Please lay the same before the Senate, and greatly oblige,

Yours very truly,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN.

To Honorable Thomas Frankson, President of the Senate of the State of Minnesota.

Sir: We, W. S. Moscrip and Henry A. Johnson, Justices of the Peace residing in Washington County, Minnesota, do hereby certify that in that certain notice of election contest for the office of State Senator in and for Washington County, Minnesota, in which George H. Sullivan is contestant and W. W. Wilcox is Contestee and which said notice of contest together with the proof of service thereof, is hereto annexed, we were named as the Justices of the Peace before whom depositions relative thereto would be taken at the Court House in the City of Stillwater, Minnesota, on December 9, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M.; that at said time and place we attended pursuant to said notice and said Contestant George H. Sullivan appeared in person and by his attorneys, Messrs. Wilson and Thoreen, and said Contestee W. W. Wilcox appeared in person and by his attorney, James Manahan, and that we then and there and on the adjourned days of said hearings proceeded to hear the testimony and evidence presented by said Contestant, and the said Contestant George H. Sullivan and W. W. Wilcox, Contestee, by their respective attorneys, stipulated and agreed that the undersigned should also hear and receive the testimony and evidence submitted by said Contestee, W. W. Wilcox; that the hearings in said matter were held on the 9th, 10th, 14th, and 21st days of December, 1918.

We further certify that all of the testimony and evidence received on behalf of the Contestant, George H. Sullivan, and the Contestee, W. W. Wilcox, was taken down in shorthand by Warren E. Maunsell, Esq., who, with the consent of the parties and their attorneys, was appointed the official stenographer for that purpose;

that each witness whose testimony appears in the transcript thereof was duly sworn before testifying and that all of said testimony and evidence has been reduced to writing and that the transcript of said testimony and evidence annexed hereto, consisting of 194 pages of typewriting, is true and correct and contains all of said testimony and evidence taken, together with all exhibits offered in evidence by said parties, being Exhibits A to J and 1 to 4 inclusive, and that said transcript is a full, complete, and true record of all of the proceedings before the undersigned upon said contest and the same is hereby transmitted to you pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.

Dated January 6th, 1919.

(Signed) W. S. MOSCIP,
Justice of the Peace.

HENRY A. JOHNSON,
Justice of the Peace.

Mr. Putnam moved that the matter be referred to the Elections Committee as soon as appointed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10:30 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, January 8, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:30 A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wallace,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota is duly organized by the election of the following officers:

Speaker, W. I. Nolan.

Chief Clerk, Oscar Arneson.

First Assistant Chief Clerk, A. W. Olson.

Second Assistant Chief Clerk, M. E. Altman.

Enrolling Clerk, Mark Wooley.

Engrossing Clerk, Ralph E. Norgaard.

Sergeant-at-Arms, Henry Robel.

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Sam Gamuel.

Postmaster, Rex Kitts.

Assistant Postmaster, Walter R. Finch.

Chaplain, Rev. W. J. Brown.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 7th, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate now recess to meet in joint session with the House at 11:00 o'clock A. M., to receive the message of the Governor, and at the close of the joint session, that they reconvene in the Senate chamber.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 12:20 P. M. after attending the joint session in the House chamber.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson from the Committee on Rules advised the Senate that the Committee on Rules was not ready to make its report, and moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 o'clock A. M. tomorrow, January the 9th, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, January 9, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madian,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Wallace was excused for today.

Mr. Sullivan announced the death, on Jan. 8th, 1919, of Senator Harry F. Weis of Le Sueur, and suggested that all but urgent business be dispensed with during the day. Mr. Sullivan then moved that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of seven Senators to attend the funeral of the deceased at Le Sueur, Minn., on Saturday, Jan. 11th, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate announced the following committee in pursuance to the foregoing motion:

Messrs. Sullivan, Benson, Sageng, Denegre, Fowler, Gjerset, Van Hoven.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 1, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the salary and mileage of the members of the Legislature and for the payment of the per diem of the officers and the employes of and all the other expenses of the Legislature—including payment for necessary supplies therefor.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved—

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the salary and mileage of the members of the Legislature and for the payment of the per diem of the officers and the employes of and all the other expenses of the Legislature—including payment for necessary supplies therefor.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1—

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the salary and mileage of the members of the Legislature and for the payment of the per diem of the officers and the employes of and all the other expenses of the Legislature—including payment for necessary supplies therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 60 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Gjerset.
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Erickson,	Guilford,
Benson,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hall,
Bessette,	Callahan,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Hamer,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Handlan,

Hegnes,	Lee,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Turnham,
Hopp,	Lindsley,	Nord,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Jackson,	Loonam,	Orr,	Sageng,	Vibert,
Johnson,	McGarry,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Putnam,	Stepan,	Widell,
Kuntz,	Millett,	Rask,	Sullivan,	Wilcox,
Larson,	Naplin,	Reed,	Swanson,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Wallace, from the Committee on Rules, to which was submitted the matter of reporting permanent rules for the 1919 session, begs to submit the following as the report of the committee:

PERMANENT RULES OF THE SENATE.

CALLING SENATE TO ORDER.

1. The President shall take the chair at the hour to which the Senate shall have adjourned, and shall immediately call the members to order, and, on the appearance of a quorum, shall proceed with the regular order of business.

DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT.

2. He shall preserve order and decorum; may speak on points of order in preference to members, and shall appoint all committees, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate. He shall also decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Senate by any member but such appeal shall be decided by a majority vote of those present and voting thereon.

QUESTIONS—HOW STATED AND DECIDED.

3. He shall rise to put the question, but may state it sitting.

4. Questions shall be distinctly put in this form, to-wit: "As many as are of the opinion that (as the question may be) say Aye," and after the affirmative voice is expressed, "As many as are of the contrary opinion say No." The President shall declare all votes, but if any member rise to doubt a vote, he shall order a division.

PRESIDENT PRO TEM.

5. The President shall call some member into the chair when the Senate goes into committee of the whole. He shall also have the right to name a member to perform the duties of the chair; but sub-

stitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment. In the absence of the President, except as above, the Senate shall appoint a president pro tem.

FURTHER DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT.

6. The President of the Senate shall sign all acts, memorials, addresses and resolutions; and all writs, warrants and subpoenas issued by the Senate shall be signed by him and attested by the Secretary.

7. The President is authorized to administer all oaths required in the discharge of his duties.

DISTURBANCE IN LOBBY.

8. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the lobbies or galleries, the President or chairman of the Committee of the Whole shall have power to order the same cleared.

PRIVILEGES OF REPORTERS.

9. Reporters wishing to take down the debates may be admitted by the President, who shall assign them to such places on the floor or elsewhere to effect their object as shall not interfere with the convenience of the Senate. But any reporter of any newspaper who shall purposely misrepresent or misreport the proceedings of the Senate, shall, during the remainder of the session, be denied admission to the Senate chamber.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

10. The order of business shall be as follows:

First. Petitions, letters, remonstrances.

Second. Executive and official communications.

Third. Introduction and first reading of Senate bills.

Fourth. Messages from the House of Representatives.

Fifth. First reading of House bills.

Sixth. Reports of committees..

(a) From standing committees.

(b) From select committees.

Seventh. Second reading of Senate bills.

Eighth. Second reading of House bills.

Ninth. Motions and resolutions.

Tenth. Third reading of Senate bills.

Eleventh. Third reading of House bills.

Twelfth. General orders of the day.

REFERRING OF BILLS.

11. All bills shall be referred by the President of the Senate without motion to the proper standing committee, on the first reading, unless otherwise referred by the Senate. And all bills providing for an appropriation of money, when referred to and reported by any other than the Committee on Finance, shall, before passage, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

ORDER IN DEBATE..

12. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the Senate, he shall rise to his feet, and respectfully address himself to "Mr. President," and shall confine himself to the question under debate, and avoid personality. In discussing any resolution, senators shall be limited to five minutes each.

13. Whenever any member is called to order he shall sit down until it is determined whether he is in order or not, and if a member is called to order for words spoken in debate, the words excepted to shall be taken down in writing immediately.

14. When two or more members shall happen to rise at once, the President shall name the member who is to speak.

15. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question on the same day without leave of the Senate.

CONDUCT DURING BUSINESS.

16. When the President is putting any question, or addressing the Senate, no one shall walk out of, or across, the room; nor when a member is speaking shall any one pass between the member speaking and the chair. No member, or other person, shall proceed to or remain by the Secretary's desk while the ayes and noes are being called or counted.

17. Upon a division and count of the Senate on any question no member without the Senate chamber shall be counted.

SENATORS TO VOTE UNLESS EXCUSED.

18. Every member who shall be in the Senate when the question is put shall give his vote unless the Senate for special reasons shall excuse him. All motions to excuse a member from voting shall be made before the Senate divides or before he gives his vote upon a call of the ayes and noes. Any member wishing to be excused

from voting may make a brief statement of the reasons for making such request, and the question shall then be taken without further debate.

MOTIONS.

19. When a motion is made and seconded it shall be stated by the President; or, being in writing, it shall be handed to the Secretary and read aloud for debate.

20. Every motion or amendment shall be reduced to writing if the President or any members desires it. In such case it must be signed by the member or committee offering it.

21. After a motion is stated by the President or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the Senate, but may be withdrawn by the author at any time before decision or amendment.

PRECEDENCE OF MOTIONS.

22. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received, but

To adjourn,

To lay on the table,

For the previous question,

Which three motions shall be decided without debate,

To commit,

To postpone to a day certain,

To amend, or

To postpone indefinitely.

These several motions shall have precedence in the foregoing order; but a motion for the previous question having been seconded, or the main question ordered, a motion to lay on the table shall not be in order.

A motion to postpone to a certain day, to commit, to postpone indefinitely, or to amend, being decided, shall not again be allowed on the same day, nor at the same stage of the bill or proposition.

MOTION TO ADJOURN.

23. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, and also a motion to adjourn to a time certain. The latter motion is debatable. When either motion is refused it shall not be renewed until further business shall be transacted.

THE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

24. The previous question shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" It shall only be admitted when de-

manded by a majority of the members present, and its effect shall be to put an end to all debate, and bring the Senatè to a direct vote upon amendments reported by a committee, if any, then upon all pending amendments in their order and then upon the main question. On a motion for the previous question, and prior to the ordering of the same, a call of the Senate shall be in order, but after a majority shall have ordered such motion, no call shall be in order prior to the decision of the main question.

25. On a previous question there shall be no debate. All incidental questions of order arising after a motion is made for the previous question, and pending such motion, shall be decided, whether on appeal or otherwise, without debate.

RECONSIDERATION.

26. When a motion or question has been once put and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing party to move for a reconsideration thereof, on the same day on which the vote was taken, or within the next two days of actual session of the Senate thereafter; and such motion shall take precedence of all other questions, except a motion to adjourn. A motion for reconsideration being put and lost, shall not be renewed.

DIVISION OF QUESTION.

27. Any member may call for a division of the question, when the same will admit of it. A motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed to be indivisible. A motion to strike out being lost shall not preclude an amendment nor a motion to strike out and insert.

PETITIONS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS.

28. In presenting a petition, memorial, remonstrance or other communication addressed to the Senate, the members shall only state the general purport of it.

29. Every petition, memorial, remonstrance, resolution, bill and report of committee, shall be indorsed with its appropriate title, and immediately under the indorsement the name of the member presenting the same shall be written.

CALL OF THE SENATE.

30. Any member may make a call of the Senate, and require absent members to be sent for, but a call of the Senate cannot be made after the voting has commenced; and the call of the Senate being ordered and the absentees noted, the doors shall be closed,

and no member permitted to leave the room until further proceedings under the call be dispensed with by a majority vote of all the members of the Senate and the matter of question, if any, under consideration at the time of the call be disposed of, or the Senate adjourns.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

31.

- Agriculture and Horticulture, 11 members.
- Banks and Banking, 9 members.
- Cities of the First Class, 17 members.
- Civil Administration, 9 members.
- Commerce, Manufactures and Trade, 9 members.
- Corporations, 9 members.
- Dairy Products and Live Stock, 9 members.
- Drainage, 9 members.
- Education, 15 members.
- Elections, 9 members.
- Finance, 19 members.
- Game and Fish, 9 members.
- General Legislation, 13 members.
- Grain and Warehouse, 9 members.
- Insurance, 9 members.
- Judiciary, 26 members.
- Labor, 9 members.
- Markets and Marketing, 7 members.
- Military Affairs, 7 members..
- Motor Vehicles, 9 members.
- Municipal Affairs, 9 members.
- Public Institution and Buildings, 9 members.
- Public Domain, 9 members.
- Public Utilities, 9 members.
- Public Welfare and Health, 9 members.
- Public Highways, 15 members.
- Railroads, 9 members.
- Reconstruction and Relief, 9 members.
- Rules, 9 members.
- State and County Fairs, 9 members.
- State Development and Immigration, 9 members.
- Soldiers' Home, 7 members.
- Taxes and Tax Laws, 13 members.
- Towns and Counties, 11 members.
- Temperance, 9 members.
- Workmen's Compensation, 9 members.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

32. The rules observed in the Senate shall govern, as far as practicable, the proceedings of the Committee of the Whole, except that a member may speak more than twice on the same subject, and that a call for the ayes and noes, or for the previous question cannot be made.

33. Amendments made in the Committee of the Whole shall be entered on a separate piece of paper, and so reported to the Senate by the chairman standing in his place, which amendment shall not be read by the President unless required by one or more of the members. On adoption of the report by the Committee of the Whole, all bills recommended to pass, shall be placed upon the calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

34. Bills, memorials and joint resolutions may be introduced by any member in his place, or by order of the Senate on a report of a committee. Each member so introducing such bill, memorial or joint resolution shall, at the time of such introduction thereof, furnish to the Secretary of the Senate two copies thereof, which shall be endorsed "copies."

Every bill, memorial or joint resolution shall have prefixed thereto the name of the person introducing it, and when reported from a committee, the name of said committee shall be endorsed thereon. Every proposed amendment to any bill, memorial or joint resolution, and every committee report, shall be in triplicate form, and shall be written on only one side of the paper. That hereafter all bills introduced in the Senate shall be so framed that when any section or sub-division or chapter of any existing law is to be amended, or when any section or sub-division or chapter of any existing law is to be repealed, or when any section or subdivision or chapter of any repealed law is to be revived, the said section or sub-division or chapter shall in each case be given in full as it is designed to read when enacted, and all new matter contained in any bill which proposes to amend any section or subdivision of any existing law by inserting or adding such new matter shall be underscored, and when the bill is printed it shall be italicized, and when any bill proposes to amend an existing law by omitting any part thereof, the part proposed to be omitted shall be noted in a memorandum at the end of the bill and after the last section thereof, and such memorandum shall be printed at the bottom of the bill, with the bill, but shall not be any part of the enrolled bill, and no bill not

so framed shall be received or read by the Secretary, unless otherwise especially ordered by the Senate.

READING OF BILLS.

35. Every bill, memorial, order, resolution or vote requiring the approval of the governor shall receive three several readings previous to its passage; the first and third readings shall be at length; and no such bill, memorial, order or resolution shall be read twice on the same day.

COMMITMENT.

36. No bill or joint resolution shall be committed or amended until it has been once read at length. If objections are made to a bill on its first reading the question shall be: "Shall the bill be rejected?" If no objection be made or the question to reject be lost, the bill shall go on its second reading.

ALL BILLS TO GO TO COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

37. All bills, memorials, orders, resolutions and votes requiring the approval of the governor shall, after a second reading, be considered in Committee of the Whole before they shall be finally acted upon by the Senate.

PRINTING OF BILLS.

38. All bills of general nature, including all bills appropriating money or lands shall be printed; provided, that no bills shall be printed until after the same shall have been reported upon favorably by the committee to whom the same shall be referred.

FINAL PASSAGE.

39. The final question upon a bill or other paper requiring action by both houses, after the first and second reading thereof, and after the consideration in Committee of the Whole, shall be upon its final passage.

AMENDMENT ON THIRD READING.

40. No amendment shall be received on third reading except to fill blanks without the unanimous consent of the Senate. In filling blanks, the largest sum, the longest time and greatest distance shall be first taken.

41. A bill or resolution may be committed at any time, prior to its passage, and if any amendment be reported on such commit-

ment to any other than a Committee of the Whole, it shall be again read the second time, considered in Committee of the Whole, and the question for third reading and passage again put.

ENGROSSMENT.

42. Every bill, memorial, order or resolution originating in the Senate shall be carefully engrossed in typewriting before being transmitted to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

TRANSMITTING BILLS TO THE HOUSE.

43. Immediately after the passage of any bill or other paper to which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is to be asked it shall be the duty of the Secretary to transmit the same to the House, unless some member of the Senate shall make a motion to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the said bill or other paper; in which case the Secretary shall not transmit said bill or other paper until a motion to reconsider has been put; and on the concurrence of any bill or other paper of the House of Representatives by the Senate, or on the concurrence or disagreement in any vote of the House it shall also be the duty of the Senate to notify the House thereof.

MEMORIALS TO CONGRESS.

44. Memorials to Congress, to the President of the United States or the heads of any of the departments, shall be considered in Committee of the Whole before being adopted.

ANY SENATOR MAY DEMAND AYES AND NOES.

45. It shall be competent for any member, when a question is being taken to call for the ayes and noes, which shall be entered on the journal. A call for the ayes and noes cannot be interrupted in any manner whatever.

COMMITTEE NOT TO BE ABSENT.

46. Committees shall not absent themselves from the Senate, by reason of their appointment, without special permission for that purpose be first obtained.

ENROLLMENT.

47. All bills shall be carefully enrolled in typewriting under the supervision of the Committee on Rules and Legislative Expenses. Said committee may report to the Senate at any time on the enrollment of bills.

DUTIES OF SECRETARY.

48. The Secretary shall keep a correct journal of the proceedings of the Senate, and shall perform such other duties as shall be assigned to him as such Secretary. He shall permit no journal records, accounts or papers to be taken from the table or out of his custody, other than in the regular mode of business. If any paper in his charge shall be missing, he shall report the fact to the President, that inquiry may be made. He shall superintend the recording of proceedings in the journal, the engrossing, transcribing and copying of the bills and resolutions, and generally perform the duties of Secretary, under direction of the President. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep the books to be called "Minute Books," in which he shall enter under the appropriate marginal numbers, all Senate and House bills, and correct notes, with the dates thereof, of the state, condition and progress of each bill pending, until its final passage.

CERTIFICATE FOR MONEY.

49. No certificate authorizing the payment of any money appropriated by the legislature shall be issued by the Secretary, by virtue of any motion or resolution, unless such a motion or resolution shall be voted for by a majority of all members of the Senate. All motions or resolutions authorizing the issuing of certificates by the Secretary for the payment of money shall be upon a call of the ayes and noes.

JOURNAL OF EXECUTIVE SESSION.

50. The proceedings of the Senate on executive business shall be kept in a separate book of record to be provided by the Secretary of the Senate, and published with the proceedings of the Senate, unless the public good requires secrecy, which shall be determined by a vote of the Senate.

JEFFERSON'S MANUAL.

51. The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in Jefferson's Manual shall govern the Senate in all cases in which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with these rules and orders of the Senate, and the joint rules and orders of the Senate and House of Representatives.

HOURS OF MEETING.

52. The standing hour of the daily meeting of the Senate shall be 10 o'clock in the morning, unless the Senate direct otherwise.

ABSENCE OF SENATORS.

53. No Senator or officer of the Senate, unless from illness or other cause shall be unable to attend, shall absent himself from the session of Senate during the entire day, without having first obtained leave of absence.

PERSONS PRIVILEGED TO THE FLOOR OF THE SENATE.

54. No person shall be admitted within the Senate chamber, but the executive or ex-Governors of the State of Minnesota, members of the House, heads of departments of the state government, judges of the Supreme and District Courts and members of Congress, and when personally introduced by members of the Senate, those who have been members of Congress or of the State Legislature or other visitors who are not interested in any claim or directly in any bill pending before the legislature.

No lobbyist shall be permitted on the floor of the Senate or in the retiring room or corridors during the session of the Senate. The Sergeant-at-Arms is charged with the duty of strict enforcement of this rule.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES.

55. No rules or order of the Senate shall be amended without one day's notice being given of the motion therefor, nor shall any rule be suspended except by at least two-thirds vote of the full Senate.

NOTICE TO DEBATE.

56. Upon any member giving notice of his intention to debate any resolution, the same shall lie over one day without debate or other action.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

57. When in executive session, the Senate may, in all cases, sit with closed doors, and the Senate chamber may be cleared of all persons except the officers and members of the Senate.

NO SMOKING.

58. No Senator or officer of the Senate, or other person shall be permitted to smoke in the Senate chamber.

SECRETARY MAY CORRECT ERRORS.

59. The Secretary and Engrossing Clerk, in all proper cases, shall correct all mistakes in numbering the sections and reference

thereto, whether such errors occur in the original bill or are caused by amendments thereto.

DUTIES OF THE SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

60. It shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to execute all orders of the President of the Senate, and to perform all duties they may assign to him connected with the police and good order of the Senate chamber; to exercise a supervision over the ingress and egress of all persons to and from the chamber; to see that messages, etc., are promptly executed; that the hall is properly ventilated and the temperature thereof properly regulated, and open for the use of members of the Senate at the time fixed; and to perform all other services pertaining to his office.

REPORT ON AMENDED BILLS.

61. No committee nor any member thereof shall report any substitute for any bill or bills referred to such committee, which substitute relates to a different subject, or is intended to accomplish a different purpose than that of the original bill for which it is reported, or which, if adopted and passed, would require a title essentially different from the title of the original bill; and every substitute bill so reported shall be rejected whenever the Senate is advised that the same is in violation of this rule.

GENERAL ORDERS AND CALENDAR.

62. The Secretary shall make a list of all bills, resolutions, reports of committees, and other proceedings of the Senate, which are referred to the Committee of the Whole, and which are not made the order of the day, for any particular day, and to number the same, which lists shall be called the "General Orders of the Day," and they shall be taken up in the order in which they are numbered unless otherwise ordered by a majority of the committee.

Such general orders, together with all bills included therein required to be printed under the rules or orders of the Senate, shall be printed and placed upon the members' desks at least one day before the same shall be considered in Committee of the Whole.

63. That it shall be the duty of the Secretary to make a list of all bills, resolutions and other matters coming before the Senate for final action and place the same upon the calendar in the order in which they may have been acted upon in Committee of the Whole, and such calendar shall be printed and placed upon the members'

desks at least one day before the matters included therein shall be considered.

ADDITIONAL EMPLOYEES—GRATUITIES.

64. All propositions for the appointment of employes of the Senate or for expenditures on account of the legislature, other than those provided by law, shall be referred to the Committee on Rules, without debate, and no appointment shall be made or expense incurred unless reported favorably by said committee, or unless its report be overruled by a three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) vote of the whole Senate. Said committee shall report to the Senate the amount of compensation that shall be paid to each employe whose appointment is recommended by it. All propositions for extra compensation or gratuity shall be referred to said committee, and no extra compensation or gratuity shall be paid to any officer, employe or other person unless reported upon favorably by said committee or unless its report be reversed by a three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) vote of the whole Senate.

SPECIAL ORDER.

65. On two days' notice it shall require a majority vote of the whole Senate to designate a special order and when a time has been designated by the Senate, whether by adoption of a report of a committee or otherwise, for a particular or special order, the Senate shall at such time proceed to the consideration of such order, and shall at such time so designated, after considering the bill, resolution or measure included therein, unless the same shall be then otherwise disposed of, or the special order postponed to a day certain, immediately proceed to the third reading and final passage of the same and during the consideration of such special order Rule No. Fifteen (15) shall be suspended, and the debate thereon and all proceedings thereunder, including amendments and substitutions, shall be, as nearly as applicable, that of the Committee of the Whole, except that it shall be competent for any member when a question is being taken, to call for the ayes and noes, which shall be entered on the journal.

JOURNAL—HOW APPROVED.

66. The journal of each day's proceedings shall be open for correction at any time during the session of the succeeding day, and unless corrected on that day, shall stand approved.

PRESIDENT'S AUTHORITY OVER EMPLOYEES.

•67. The President of the Senate shall have full and exclusive

authority over, and charge of all the employes, officers and clerks of the Senate, both elective and appointive. He shall have the sole and exclusive power and authority to assign them to such duties, other than for which they were elected or appointed, as he shall see fit. He shall have power to appoint such of said employes, officers or clerks as he shall deem proper to exercise the powers to him granted by this rule. He may make such rules and regulations for the government of the employes, officers and clerks as he shall see fit and proper. In case of violation of any of the orders of the President of the Senate by any employe, officer or clerk, or in case of any violation of any such rule or regulation made by him by any such employe, officer or clerk, or in case of any misconduct or omission of any such employe, officer or clerk, the President shall refer such complaint to the Committee on Rules, which shall have the final power to hear such complaint and to discharge any such employe, officer or clerk, or to impose such other punishment by way of fine or otherwise upon such employe, officer or clerk, as to the said committee may seem just and proper.

AMENDMENTS TO TITLE.

68. The title to any bill may be amended at any time during its pendency in the Senate.

WHEN COMMITTEES MUST REPORT.

69. Every bill referred to a standing committee shall be reported therefrom within twenty-five (25) days after its reference to such committee, except all bills referred to the Finance Committee.

A majority of the Senate may at any time recall a bill from any committee or take a bill from the table and place such bill on General Orders.

SENATE EMPLOYES TO ENROLL AND ENGROSS BILLS.

70. All enrolling and engrossing of bills shall be done by enrolling and engrossing clerks and stenographers regularly in the employ of the Senate and shall not be paid for per folio.

JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

71. Joint resolutions not requiring the signature of the governor need not take the regular course of bills and memorials, but may be acted upon in the same manner as resolutions.

PURCHASING SUPPLIES.

72. The Secretary of the Senate shall be the agent of the Senate for the purchase of supplies. Before making any purchases, however, it shall be his duty to submit to the Rules Committee a list of necessary supplies, together with the prices for which the same can be secured, which supplies shall then be purchased only upon the approval of the Rules Committee.

REPORT OF VOTE IN COMMITTEE.

73. Upon the request of any member of any standing committee of the Senate, or upon the request of the author of any bill, a record shall be made of the vote on such bill in any committee, including the vote of any amendment or proposed amendments thereto in the committee to which the bill was referred, and such vote of the members of such committee shall accompany the report of the committee on the bill and shall be printed in the journal as a part of the report of the committee.

QUORUM IN COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY.

74. Ten (10) members shall constitute a quorum of the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Rockne moved that the foregoing report of the Committee on Rules be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

APPOINTMENTS.

Mr. Wallace from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, reported the following appointees to serve as stenographers during the session:

Georgiana Rosseland,

Marie Walsh,

Rose Gaertner,

Nellie Grimm,

Georgina Utsch,

Albert Johnson.

The committee also reported the appointment of Frank Rieger as doorkeeper of the Senate.

Mr. Rockne moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan moved that we do now adjourn until next Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock P. M., January 13th, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, January 13, 1919.

The Senate met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Besette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

There being no objection, Mr. Gooding was excused for an indefinite time on account of sickness.

Mr. Lindsley was excused for an indefinite time on account of sickness.

Mr. Adams was excused for today.

Mr. Fowler announced the death, on January 13th, 1919, of Senator Carleton L. Wallace of Hennepin county, and suggested that all but urgent business be dispensed with during the evening.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

January 6, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of the House and Senate a Joint Resolution of the Congress of the

United States proposing an amendment to the Federal Constitution relative to the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

SIXTY-FIFTH CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

At the Second Session,

Begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the third day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the following amendment to the Constitution be, and hereby is, proposed to the States, to become valid as a part of the Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of the several states as provided by the Constitution:

“ARTICLE —.

“Section 1. After one year after the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

“Sec. 2. The Congress and the several States shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

“Sec. 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the legislatures of the several States, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the States by the Congress.”

(Signed) CHAMP CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

THOS. R. MARSHALL,
Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

I certify that this Joint Resolution originated in the Senate.

JAMES M. BAKER,
Secretary.

Certificate.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Department of State.

To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

I certify that the copy hereto attached is a true copy of a resolution of Congress, entitled "Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States," the original of which is on file in this Department.

In Testimony Whereof, I, Robert Lansing, Secretary of State, have hereunto caused the Seal of the Department of State to be affixed and my name subscribed by the Chief Clerk of the said Department, at the City of Washington, this Twenty-eighth day of December, 1917.

(Signed) ROBERT LANSING,

(SEAL.)

Secretary of State.

By Ben G. Davis, Chief Clerk.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

January 6, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations of notaries public made by the Governor for the period beginning April 19, 1917, and ending January 7, 1919.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Sullivan moved that, the Senate having advised with, do now consent to and confirm all the nominations transmitted by His Excellency the Governor, as notaries public from April 19, 1917 and January 7, 1919 inclusive, and that the same be not printed in the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

January 7, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations made by the Governor for the period beginning April 19, 1917, and ending January 7, 1919.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

PRIVATE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR.

Gustaf Lindquist, Ramsey County, from and after October 1, 1917.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Clifford L. Hilton, Otter Tail County, appointed March 8, 1918, for the term ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

MEMBER MINNESOTA TAX COMMISSION.

James T. Hale, Crow Wing County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1925.

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE.

C. Louis Weeks, Hennepin County, for the term ending January 14, 1919; appointed September 3, 1918.

MEMBER MINNESOTA COMMISSION OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Henry W. Libby, Winona County, appointed December 5, 1917.
Thomas E. Cashman, Steele County, appointed March 16, 1918.

ADJUTANT GENERAL.

Walter F. Rhinow, Hennepin County, from September 1, 1917, until his successor is duly appointed and qualified.

STATE LIBRARIAN.

Elias J. Lien, Kittson County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

MEMBER RAILWAY AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSION.

Fred W. Putnam, Goodhue County, appointed November 15, 1917, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

ADJUTANT GENERAL.

Walter F. Rhinow, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

James M. McConnell, Blue Earth County, for the term of four years from the 20th day of January, 1919.

COMMISSIONER OF LABOR.

W. F. Houk, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

John P. Gardiner, Ramsey County, appointed July 23, 1918, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

John P. Gardiner, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSIONER.

James Sorenson, Freeborn County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSIONER.

Carlos E. Avery, McLeod County, for the term of two years from August 1, 1917.

MEMBER BOARD OF GRAIN APPEALS.

E. R. Rehnke, Goodhue County, for the term of three years from August 1, 1917.

J. F. Ingersoll, Polk County, for the term of three years from August 1, 1917.

Hans P. Borge, St. Louis County, for the term of three years from August 1, 1918.

Arthur F. Evenson, Nicollet County, for the term of three years from August 1, 1918.

N. J. Holmberg, Renville County, for the term ending August 1, 1920, appointed January 6, 1918.

STATE FIRE MARSHAL.

John B. Sanborn, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

C. Louis Weeks, Hennepin County, appointed September 3, 1918, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

CHIEF ASSISTANT STATE FIRE MARSHAL.

George H. Nettleton, Blue Earth County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

CHIEF STATE INSPECTOR OF OILS.

James Sorenson, Freeborn County, for the term beginning August 1, 1917, and ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

James Sorenson, Freeborn County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

STATE HOTEL INSPECTOR.

James Sorenson, Freeborn County, for the term beginning August 1, 1917, and ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

W. A. Wittbecker, Ramsey County, for the term beginning August 1, 1918, and ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

W. A. Wittbecker, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT.

Homer B. Dibell, St. Louis County, for the term beginning October 12, 1918, and ending when your successor is duly elected and qualified.

JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT.

Charles C. Haupt, Ramsey County, Second Judicial District, for the term beginning April 23, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Edward Freeman, St. Louis County, Eleventh Judicial District, for the term beginning April 23, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

C. J. Rockwood, Hennepin County, Fourth Judicial District, for the term beginning April 23, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

J. N. Searles, Washington County, Nineteenth Judicial District,

for the term beginning July 14, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Charles E. Gallagher, Olmsted County, Third Judicial District, for the term beginning September 15, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT.

George MacMurphy, Big Stone County, City of Ortonville, for the term beginning June 14, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Nelson Hassan, McLeod County, City of Glencoe, for the term beginning June 18, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

S. E. Farnham, Lac qui Parle County, City of Madison, for the term beginning September 11, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Fred Washa, Le Sueur County, City of Montgomery, for the term beginning September 11, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

John N. Haagenon, Otter Tail County, City of Fergus Falls, for the term beginning September 29, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

N. R. Reynolds, Rock County, City of Luverne, for the term beginning November 10, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Frank J. Conway, Waseca County, City of Waseca, for the term beginning November 28, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Orris E. Lee, Washington County, City of Stillwater, for the term beginning July 6, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

George J. Dressel, Le Sueur County, City of Waterville, for the term beginning July 25, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Mathias Baldwin, Hennepin County, City of Minneapolis, for the term beginning November 11, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Harry White, McLeod County, City of Hutchinson, for the term beginning November 20, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

SPECIAL JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT.

Charles E. Schofield, Big Stone County, City of Ortonville, for the term beginning June 14, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Harrison B. Sherwood, Crow Wing County, City of Brainerd, for the term beginning October 2, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

F. X. Kohler, McLeod County, City of Glencoe, for the term beginning November 10, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

John Temple, Blue Earth County, City of Mankato, for the term beginning July 30, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Alfred R. Nelson, St. Louis County, City of Ely, for the term beginning July 30, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Herbert M. Bierce, Winona County, City of Winona, for the term beginning the 17th of August, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

George B. Heath, St. Louis County, City of Ely, for the term beginning October 14, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Robert R. Kells, Stearns County, City of Sauk Center, for the term beginning November 12, 1918, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

JUDGE OF THE PROBATE COURT.

F. R. Allen, McLeod County, for the term beginning September 1, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

George E. Rice, Benton County, for the term beginning November 23, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

J. E. Therrien, Pine County, for the term beginning November 27, 1917, and ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

INSPECTOR OF STEAM VESSELS AND BOILERS.

Sven E. Tweeton, Clay County, Senatorial District No. 49, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

J. M. Broms, Douglas County, Senatorial District No. 47, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

Oscar Raskey, Wadena County, Senatorial District No. 51, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

Charles H. Latterell, Benton County, Senatorial District No. 45, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

Jacob Brick, Stearns County, Senatorial District No. 46, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

A. W. Bergstrom, Kandiyohi County, Senatorial District No. 25, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

M. L. Medinger, Mower County, Senatorial District No. 5, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

John Hesli, Anoka County, Senatorial District No. 44, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSIONER.

James Sorenson, Freeborn County, for the term beginning August 15, 1917, and ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

MEMBER BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF MINNESOTA SOLDIERS' HOME.

John R. Howard, Becker County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

John R. Howard, Becker County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1925.

Albert E. Havens, Rice County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1925.

Byron J. Mosier, Washington County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1925.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF HEALTH AND VITAL STATISTICS.

Christopher Graham, Olmsted County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1920.

Egil Boeckman, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1920.

C. L. Scofield, Swift County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1920.

Roscoe Hunt, for the term beginning the first Monday in January, 1918, and ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

Neil M. Watson, Red Lake County, for the term beginning the first Monday in January, 1918, and ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

F. W. Cappelen, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

MEMBER ADVISORY COMMISSION FOR THE STATE SANATORIUM FOR
CONSUMPTIVES.

E. T. Sanderson, Lyon County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1922.

Charles W. More, St. Louis County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

Arthur Maynard Eastman, Hennepin County, for the term of three years from June 15, 1917.

George B. Weiser, Brown County, for the term of three years from the 20th day of June, 1917.

Ida Macheen, Hennepin County, for the term of three years from the 20th day of June, 1917.

G. E. Putney, Stearns County, for the term beginning September 14, 1917, and ending April 6, 1918.

Thomas Lowe, Pipestone County, for the term beginning April 6, 1918, and ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

G. E. Putney, Stearns County, for the term beginning April 6, 1918, and ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS.

Benjamin A. Sandy, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

C. G. Gillam, Mower County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHY.

A. D. Becker, Fillmore County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

MEMBER OF BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSES.

Carrie Rankeillour, Hennepin County, for the term ending May 1, 1919.

Lydia H. Keller, Ramsey County, for the term ending the 30th day of April, 1923.

Esther Porter, Ramsey County, for the term expiring May 23, 1921.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY.

Albert Myer, Freeborn County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

Hugo O. Schleuder, Brown County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY.

Edwin A. Brown, Winona County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

Hugo Peterson, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1924.

STATE LIVE STOCK SANITARY BOARD.

C. A. Nelson, Anoka County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

MEMBER STATE VETERINARY EXAMINING BOARD.

Robert Donaldson, Marshall County, for the term ending January 1, 1923.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF CHIROPODY EXAMINERS AND REGISTRATION.

H. E. Ballard, Hennepin County, for the term of two years from May 3, 1917.

Armelia Bibeau, Ramsey County, for the term of three years from May 3, 1917.

W. V. Ramsberg, Hennepin County, for the term of one year from May 3, 1917.

J. T. Campbell, Hennepin County, for the term of four years from May 3, 1917.

C. H. Collier, Ramsey County, for the term of two years from May 3, 1917.

E. S. Wahman, Ramsey County, for the term ending May 3, 1921.

W. V. Ramsberg, Hennepin County, for the term of five years from May 3, 1918.

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF BARBERS.

H. M. Trapshuh, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1920.

Walter Dunlop, St. Louis County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1920.

C. E. Gustafson, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1920.

MEMBER HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

George B. Aiton, Itasca County.

John Monroe, Rice County.

INSPECTOR OF STEAM VESSELS AND BOILERS.

James F. McCoy, Winona County, Senatorial District No. 2, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

Al. Zillgitt, Wabasha County, Senatorial District No. 3, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

Louis Torgerson, Steele County, Senatorial District No. 16, for the term ending January 31, 1919.

MEMBER MINNESOTA PUBLIC LIBRARY COMMISSION.

Mrs. Margaret Huntington, Rice County, for the term of six years ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

MEMBER GOVERNING BOARD OF THE STATE ART SOCIETY.

Thomas G. Holyoke, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

MEMBER STATE FORESTRY BOARD.

W. M. Taber, Hubbard County, for the term of four years from the 26th day of July, 1917.

MEMBER OF BOARD OF WOMEN VISITORS.

Mrs. G. W. Stewart, Stearns County, for the term of two years ending August 1, 1919.

Mrs. W. J. O'Toole, Ramsey County, for the term of two years ending August 1, 1919.

Mrs. T. F. Kinney, Hennepin County, for the term of three years ending August 1, 1920.

Mrs. J. L. Washburn, St. Louis County, for the term of three years ending August 1, 1920.

Mrs. H. L. Stark, Nicollet County, for the term of one year ending August 1, 1918.

Mrs. H. L. Stark, Nicollet County, for the term of three years ending August 1, 1921.

MEMBER OF BOARD OF EXAMINERS TO GOVERN APPOINTMENTS IN THE
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES.

W. M. Gebhardt, Dakota County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

Louis Betz, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1919.

MEMBER MINIMUM WAGE COMMISSION.

Eliza Evans, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first of January, 1919.

Charles W. Gordon, Ramsey County, for the term ending January 1, 1919.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY.

Julius John Anderson, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

STATE BOARD OF ARBITRATION.

Raymond F. Schroeder, Ramsey County, for the term of two years from June 1, 1917, and until his successor qualifies.

Robert F. Pack, Hennepin County, for the term of two years from June 1, 1917, and until his successor qualifies.

SURVEYOR GENERAL OF LOGS AND LUMBER.

H. G. Weber, St. Louis County, Fifth District of Minnesota, for the term ending the third Monday in April, 1919.

M. J. Thornton, Itasca County, Second District of Minnesota, for the term ending the third Monday in April, 1919.

Perry Swedburg, Carlton County, First District of Minnesota, for the term ending the third Monday in April, 1919.

MEMBER STATE LAND IMPROVEMENT BOARD.

L. B. Arnold, St. Louis County.

Otto Bergh, Itasca County.

A. P. Silliman, St. Louis County.

MEMBER OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE STATE ART SOCIETY.

Mrs. Andreas Ueland, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

H. W. Rubins, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

MEMBER OF STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION.

Frank B. Thompson, Ramsey County, for the term of three years from the first day of June, 1918.

Robert J. Seiberlich, Hennepin County, for the term of three years from the first day of June, 1918.

Henry C. Ribenack, St. Louis County, for the term of three years from the first day of June, 1918.

COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE PARK OF THE DALLES OF THE ST.
CROIX.

E. M. Truesdell, Chisago County.

INSPECTOR OF STEAM VESSELS AND BOILERS.

Lester H. Fischer, Mower County, Senatorial District No. 5, for the unexpired term of M. L. Medinger ending January 31, 1919.

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSES.

Margaret Crowl, Ramsey County, for the unexpired term of Ida L. Isaacson, resigned, ending September 7, 1920.

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER.

John B. Sanborn, Insurance Commissioner for the term beginning January 14, 1919, and ending the first Tuesday after the second Monday in January, 1921.

STATE FIRE MARSHAL.

John B. Sanborn, Ramsey County, for the term beginning January 6, 1919, and ending the first Monday in January, 1921.

JUDGE OF PROBATE.

Garfield W. Brown, McLeod County, for the term beginning January 6, 1919, and ending when the successor is duly elected and qualified.

MEMBER LIVE STOCK SANITARY BOARD.

James N. Gould, Nobles County, for the unexpired term of Dr. C. E. Cotton, expiring January 3, 1921.

MEMBER STATE VETERINARY EXAMINING BOARD.

W. C. Prouse, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1924.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate having advised with, do now consent to and confirm the appointments of His Excellency the Governor, above transmitted.

Which motion prevailed.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE.

The President of the Senate announced the appointment of the following Standing Committees:

AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE.

Ward, Chairman; Anderson, Cumming, Hamer, Johnson, Kuntz, Romberg, Schmechel, Stepan, Turnham, Wold—11.

BANKS AND BANKING.

Nolan, Chairman; Benson, Gillam, Gooding, Hegnes, Rask, Fowler, Hopp—9.

CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS.

Denegre, Chairman; Adams, Brooks, Callahan, Conroy, Devold, Dwyer, Erickson, Fowler, Guilford, Handlan, Jackson, Orr, Palmer, Ribenack, Van Hoven—17.

CIVIL ADMINISTRATION.

Carley, Chairman; Bessette, Bonniwell, Callahan, Cashel, Hall, Jackson, Rockne, Sullivan—9.

COMMERCE, MANUFACTURES AND TRADE.

Boylan, Chairman; Cumming, Kingsbury, Lee, Lindsley, Palmer, Ribenack, Orr, Reed—9.

CORPORATIONS.

Palmer, Chairman; Hegnes, Larson, Loonam, Naplin, Reed, Conroy, Benson—9.

DAIRY PRODUCTS AND LIVE STOCK.

Bonniwell, Chairman; Hamer, Handlan, Lee, Lindsley, Loonam, Millet, Van Hoven, Wilcox—9.

DRAINAGE.

Peterson, Chairman; Cliff, Cumming, Nord, Putnam, Stepan, Ward, Adams, Turnham—9.

EDUCATION.

Benson, Chairman; Cumming, Larson, Millet, Palmer, Sageng, Ward, Rask, Carley, Gooding, Wold, Lee, Guilford—13.

ELECTIONS.

Sageng, Chairman; Blomgren, Gandrud, Larson, Putnam, Brooks, Rockne, Sullivan, Lee—9.

FINANCE.

Rockne, Chairman; Baldwin, Benson, Bessette, Gandrud, Hopp, McGarry, Nolan, Nord, Orr, Palmer, Peterson, Rask, Sageng, Sullivan, Ward, Widell, Turnham, Carley—19.

GAME AND FISH.

Turnham, Chairman; Handlan, Hopp, Kingsbury, Kuntz, McGarry, Van Hoven, Guilford, Swanson—9.

GENERAL LEGISLATION.

Sullivan, Chairman; Blomgren, Boylan, Cliff, Conroy, Denegre, Gillam, Gjerset, Kingsbury, Palmer, Peterson, Wold, Putnam—13.

GRAIN AND WAREHOUSE.

Gillam, Chairman; Anderson, Bonniwell, Brooks, Johnson, Loonam, Sageng, Stepan, Wilcox—9.

INSURANCE.

Orr, Chairman; Blomgren, Carley, Denegre, Guilford, Larson, Lindsley, Madigan, Schmechel—9.

JUDICIARY.

Putnam, Chairman; Adams, Baldwin, Benson, Bonniwell, Brooks, Callahan, Carley, Cashel, Cliff, Denegre, Fowler, Gjerset, Guilford, Hall, Hopp, Jackson, Madigan, Millet, Naplin, Orr, Peterson, Rockne, Sullivan, Swanson—26.

LABOR.

Callahan, Chairman; Boylan, Brooks, Conroy, Denegre, Devold, Dwyer, Johnson, Swanson—9.

MARKETS AND MARKETING.

Gandrud, Chairman; Hamer, Ribenack, Romberg, Schmechel, Wilcox, Wold—7.

MILITARY AFFAIRS.

Rask, Chairman; Kuntz, Nolan, Swanson, Vibert, Widell, Putnam—7.

MOTOR VEHICLES.

Hegnes, Chairman; Boylan, Guilford, Reed, Romberg, Turnham, Naplin, Wold, ()—9.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Millet, Chairman; Blomgren, Cashel, Gillam, Johnson, Vibert, Rask, Gjerset, ()—9.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS AND BUILDINGS.

Cliff, Chairman; Erickson, Lindsley, Loonan, Wilcox, Bloomgren, Conroy, Dwyer, Sageng—9.

PUBLIC DOMAIN.

Vibert, Chairman; Bessette, Hamer, Hegnes, Nord, Peterson, Wilcox, Gjerset, ()—9.

PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Adams, Chairman; Callahan, Gandrud, Handlan, Kuntz, Madigan, Millet, Naplin, ()—9.

PUBLIC WELFARE AND HEALTH.

Handlan, Chairman; Boylan, Hall, Lindsley, Erickson, Reed, Ribenack, Schmechel, Stepan—9.

PUBLIC HIGHWAYS.

McGarry, Chairman; Adams, Baldwin, Brooks, Cashel, Anderson, Cliff, Denegre, Gooding, Madigan, Nolan, Nord, Schmechel, Turnham, Widell—15.

RAILROADS.

Baldwin, Chairman; Cumming, Dwyer, Erickson, Romberg, Millet, Swanson, Van Hoven, Fowler—9.

RECONSTRUCTION AND RELIEF.

Bessette, Chairman; Devold, Dwyer, Gandrud, Jackson, Reed, Stepan, Nord, ()—9.

RULES.

Larson, Chairman; Benson, Sageng, Jackson, Nolan, Putnam, Rockne, Sullivan, Vibert—9.

STATE AND COUNTY FAIRS.

Hopp, Chairman; Bessette, Hall, Kuntz, Loonam, Peterson, Widell, Conroy, Madigan—9.

STATE DEVELOPMENT AND IMMIGRATION.

Nord, Chairman; Baldwin, Gooding, Hall, Hegnes, McGarry, Reed, Dwyer, Lindsley—9.

SOLDIERS' HOME.

Van Hoven, Chairman; Bonniwell, Wilcox, Cashel, Devold, Kingsbury, Hamer—7.

TAXES AND TAX LAWS.

Gjerset, Chairman; Adams, Anderson, Baldwin, Hegnes, Hopp, Johnson, McGarry, Vibert, Widell, Nolan, Gillam, Fowler—13.

TOWNS AND COUNTIES.

Widell, Chairman; Anderson, Carley, Gillam, Hamer, Kingsbury, Naplin, Gjerset, Larson, Rask, ()—11.

TEMPERANCE.

Blomgren, Chairman; Gooding, Lee, Ribenack, Romberg, Van Hoven, Vibert, Peterson, Ward—9.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION.

Jackson, Chairman; Boylan, Cashel, Devold, Erickson, Fowler, Orr, Rockne, Swanson—9.

MILEAGE.

Madigan, Chairman; Cliff, Cumming—3.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 2, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the gross value of ores from persons, co-partnerships and corporations engaged in the mining or production thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 3, A bill for an act to establish a branch school of

agriculture at Waseca, as a Department of the University of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 4, A bill for an act to amend Section 9284, General Statutes 1913, relating to recognizances on appeals or writs of error to the Supreme Court in criminal cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 5, A bill for an act amending Section 118, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Supreme Court, and the terms thereof to be held by the justices each year.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 6, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 379 of the General Laws of 1911, being Section 9413 of General Statutes 1913, relating to the qualifications of official and legal publications.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 7, A bill for an act to amend the last paragraph of Section 1 of Chapter 66, General Laws 1917, relating to appeals in civil and criminal actions, and the fees and charges in the Supreme Court thereon.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sageng introduced—

S. F. No. 8, A bill for an act to establish a Department of Education, to create a State Board of Education, to define the powers and duties of such board, to abolish certain boards and offices, and to create a State Council of Education.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 9, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2557, 2558, 2559 and 2560 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913,

as amended by Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to highways.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 10, A bill for an act to appropriate money to pay the deficiency for aid to high, graded, semi-graded, consolidated, industrial and rural schools.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Dwyer, Fowler, Brooks, Turnham, Palmer, Devold, Guilford and Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 11, A bill for an act legalizing and validating certain obligations and indebtedness incurred and to be incurred by cities of the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 38, Article 4, of the state constitution, for the maintenance of the fire department, police department and other departments of such cities, in excess of the annual appropriations and taxes therefor, and authorizing the issuance and sale of municipal bonds of such cities for the payment of such obligations and indebtedness.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 12, A bill for an act relating to the transfer of shares of stock in corporations and to make uniform the law with reference thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 13, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of certain corporations whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporation made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 14, A bill for an act legalizing certain proceedings

of the governing body of any county, city, village, town or borough, which certain proceedings were taken during the year 1918, for the purpose of providing aid to the tornado sufferers at Tyler, Minnesota, and aid to the fire sufferers in Northern Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 15, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2624, 2625, 2627 and 2628 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 33, Section 7, of the Laws of 1915, relating to the licensing of motor vehicles, and determining the horse power of the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 16, A bill for an act entitled, An act to abolish the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, and to repeal Chapter 261, Laws of Minnesota, 1917.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Messrs. Johnson, Devold, Conroy, Schmechel, Stepan, Lee, Loonam and Romberg introduced—

S. F. No. 17, A bill for an act providing for a tonnage tax on ore mined in the state; providing the method of assessing and collecting such tax, and for reports from all mine owners and lessees of mines; and prescribing penalties for non-compliance with the provisions of this act, and for the application of funds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 18, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 259, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to property exempt from taxation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 19, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to

Section 1, Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to taxation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 20, A bill for an act defining gambling contracts as applied to sales of wheat and other food products, declaring same illegal, and providing penalty for violation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 21, A bill for an act to amend Section 7971 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 485 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the selection of jurors.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 22, Joint Resolution favoring League of Nations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 23, A bill for an act entitled, An act defining the right to membership in any incorporated fire department relief association or police department relief association receiving municipal or state aid of all employees and officers, whether elective or appointive, connected with a fire department or police department, alarm, telegraph or signal system, in all villages or cities in this state now or hereafter which may have a population of 50,000 inhabitants or more.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 24, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 105 of the Laws of 1913, and Chapter 63 of the Laws of 1917, relating to civil service in cities of the first class.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the

House of the following Concurrent Resolution, herewith transmitted:

A Concurrent Resolution relating to the death of Hon. R. C. Dunn.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 13, 1919.

The resolution relating to the death of Hon. R. C. Dunn was read.

Mr. Orr moved that the resolution lie on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Concurrent Resolution herewith returned:

A Concurrent Resolution in memoriam upon the death of Theodore Roosevelt.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 13, 1919.

REPORT OF MILEAGE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Madigan of the Committee on Mileage, reports that the members of the Senate are entitled to mileage as follows:

Name	No.	Miles	Amount
Adams	310		\$46.50
Anderson	214		32.10
Baldwin	388		58.20
Benson	144		21.60
Bessette	540		81.00
Blomgren	104		15.60
Bonniwell	136		20.40
Boylan	500		75.00
Brooks	30		4.50
Callahan	30		4.50
Carley	274		41.10
Cashel	356		53.40
Cliff	400		60.00
Conroy .....	...		.....
Cumming	630		94.50

Name	No. Miles	Amount
Denegre .....	...	.....
Devold	30	4.50
Dwyer	30	4.50
Erickson	310	46.50
Fowler	30	4.50
Gandrud	262	39.30
Gillam	290	43.50
Gjerset	288	43.20
Gooding	274	41.10
Guilford	30	4.50
Hall	360	54.00
Hamer	148	22.20
Handlan .....	...	.....
Hegnes	680	102.00
Hopp	306	95.90
Jackson .....	...	.....
Johnson	170	25.50
Kingsbury	214	32.10
Kuntz	86	12.90
Larson	198	29.70
Lee	282	42.30
Lindsley	358	53.70
Loonam	206	30.90
McGarry	400	60.00
Madigan	120	18.00
Millett	40	6.00
Naplin	644	96.60
Nolan	252	37.80
Nord	694	104.10
Orr .....	...	.....
Palmer	30	4.50
Peterson	484	72.60
Putnam	260	39.00
Rask	176	26.40
Reed	110	16.50
Ribenack	310	46.50
Rockne	172	25.80
Romberg	254	38.10
Sageng	350	52.50
Schmechel	224	33.60
Stepan	300	45.00

Name	No.	Miles	Amount
Sullivan	150		22.50
Swanson	280		42.00
Turnham	64		9.60
Van Hoven .....	...		.....
Vibert	296		44.40
Wallace	30		4.50
Ward	270		40.50
Weis	126		18.90
Widell	176		26.40
Wilcox	36		5.40
Wold	494		74.10

Mr. Madigan moved that the foregoing report of the Committee on Mileage be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Benson moved that when the Senate do adjourn it be until 11 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, January 14, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

Messrs. Callahan and Rask introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, A number of Senators have received requests from returned soldiers who are quartered at the U. S. General Hospital No. 29 at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, for permission to visit at the sessions of this Legislature, and

Whereas, It is the desire of this body to show every courtesy to those patriotic men who performed every sacrifice asked of them; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to extend to the returned soldiers now quartered at the Fort Snelling Hospital a cordial invitation to attend any of the sessions of the Forty-first Legislature.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Devold introduced the following resolution memorializing the U. S. Senate:

Whereas, United States troops are reported by the press to be now engaged in fighting the Russian people, there being no state of war between the people of the United States and the people of Russia declared by Congress; and

Whereas, The further presence of United States and allied

troops in Russia may lead to a state of war, and thereby all the objects for which the American people and the peoples of the world have fought will be defeated; and

Whereas, An extraordinary amount of misinformation has been given to the American people concerning Russia by the powerful daily press, indicating a regular and constant propaganda of misrepresentation; and

Whereas, Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, on the 12th day of December last, introduced a resolution in the United States Senate (S. R. 384), calling for an investigation of the Russian situation; and

Whereas, Among other pertinent inquiries, Senator Johnson asked the following:

“Is it true that the Soviet Government offered to the American Government a basis of co-operation, economic and military and sought the help of the American Government to prevent the ratification of the shameful treaty of Brest, and that the American Government never replied to this offer?

“Is it true that the Russian Soviet Government offered, through the highest economic council, a program for making America the most favored foreign nation in trade and commerce and involving the control by the allies of all those supplies most desired by the Central Empires?

“Is it true that the Department of States has refused to allow the American Red Cross to ship supplies to Moscow and Petrograd for the relief of the returning Russian war prisoners from Germany?

“Is it true that refusal of these recommendations prevented the evacuation of large amounts of munitions and war supplies from the eastern front that subsequently were captured by the Germans in their advance after the Brest negotiations had failed?”

Therefore be it

Resolved: 1. That the Senate of the State of Minnesota hereby indorse the resolution introduced by Senator Johnson on December 12th, in the United States Senate (S. R. 384) calling for an investigation of the Russian situation and asking data from the State Department;

2. That we call upon the United States Government to demand of the Allies the withdrawal of all troops from Russia, and that all the United States troops now in Russia be withdrawn; and

3. That copies of this resolution be immediately forwarded to

each of the representatives from Minnesota in the United States Congress.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Sullivan.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate appointed the following additional pages:

W. L. Johnson.

Eugene Simon.

Mr. Fowler moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

• Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

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FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, January 14, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wilcox,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

There being no objection—

Mr. Cliff was excused for today.

Mr. Palmer was excused for today.

Mr. Widell was excused for Wednesday and Thursday this week, Jan. 15 and 16, respectively.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Larson from the Committee on Rules offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, On Thursday, January 9th, 1919, the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules reported the appointment of certain stenographers to serve during the 1919 session, and

Whereas, Such report was made without the calling of the roll as required for expenditures of money,

Therefore, It is hereby resolved that the following appointment to serve as stenographers during the coming session be and hereby is ratified and confirmed that such appointments include the following:

Georgina Rosseland,
 Marie Walsh,
 Rose Gaertner,
 Nellie Grimm,
 Georgina Utsch,
 Albert Johnson,

and that each of them receive pay from the ninth day of January, 1919.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,
 And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Madian,	Sageng.
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carlev,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the resolution was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 25, A bill for an act to provide for the cultivation of vacant and untilled land and conferring upon honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the United States authority to till and cultivate such land.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 26, A bill for an act relating to lots in private cemeteries and their perpetual care.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 27, A bill for an act providing for the clearing of

stumps, trees, brush, and the construction of drains for the prevention of forest fires, for the benefit of the public health, and for farming purposes, and the payment for the same by the county, and providing for the assessment against lands so improved.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 28, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of burning in woods and prairie lands.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 29, A bill for an act to amend Section 6406, General Statute of Minnesota, 1913, relating to directors of trust companies and to vacancies in the board of directors of trust companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 30, A bill for an act designating red flags, red banners, and other red emblems and signs as warning signs of danger to life and property, restricting their use to such purpose, prohibiting their display for any other purpose, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 31, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of sleighs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 32, A bill for an act to amend Section 1832, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913 (same being Section I, Chapter 197, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909) relating to taxation for fire department relief funds in cities and villages having less than 50,000 inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. 33, A bill for an act regulating appointments, employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 34, A bill for an act to provide for experiments on peat lands.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 35, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 424, Special Laws for 1891, entitled "An Act to regulate the salaries, compensation and fees of certain county officers of Polk County, Minnesota."

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cumming moved

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 35, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 424, Special Laws for 1891, entitled An act to regulate the salaries, compensation and fees of certain county officers of Polk County, Minnesota.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 35,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 35, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 424, Special Laws for 1891, entitled An act to regulate the salaries, compensation and fees of certain county officers of Polk County, Minnesota.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Dwyer,	Guilford,	Kuntz,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Larson,
Benson,	Carley,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	McGarry,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,

Nolan,	Rask,	Romberg,	Swanson,	Widell,
Nord,	Reed,	Sageng,	Turnham,	Wilcox,
Orr,	Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,	Wold,
Putnam,	Rockne,	Sullivan,	Vibert,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Guilford, Fowler, Brooks, introduced—

S. F. No. 36, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 105 of General sota for 1917, being an act to improve the public service, to create a civil service commission and define its powers and duties, in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 37, A bill for an act to prohibit the use of oleomargarine as a substitute for table butter in state institutions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

Resolution of the Senate in relation to the Chippewa Indian Tribal Fund in hands of Federal Government.

Whereas, The great majority of the people of Chippewa Indian blood, residing in the State of Minnesota are citizens of said State and perform all the obligations imposed by the State upon all other citizens, and,

Whereas, The great majority of the Chippewa people in Minnesota are self-sustaining and as capable as the other citizens of the State to manage and control their property interests, and,

Whereas, The Government of the United States through its Bureau of Indian Affairs is now, and has for years, maintained a large force of agents and employes at an annual expense to said Indians of more than a quarter of a million dollars paid out of their trust funds, and an expense to the tax payers of the United States of more than one hundred thousand dollars per annum, paid out of the public treasury, for the alleged "support and civilization" of said citizens of Chippewa Indian blood, and,

Whereas, The expenditure of said money is useless and wasteful

and the service maintained is operating to the detriment of said Chippewa people, Now therefore,

Be It Resolved, By the Legislature of the State of Minnesota that the Congress of the United States be requested to discontinue said appropriations for the alleged "support and civilization" of the Chippewa people of Minnesota, and to enact such legislation as will enable said Chippewa people to secure a final settlement of their tribal affairs with the United States Government and the complete abolition of all agencies in this State now so uselessly maintained.

Be It Further Resolved, That the Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States from the State of Minnesota be requested to assist in carrying out the purposes for which this resolution is designed.

Be It Further Resolved, That a duly authenticated copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, that another be transmitted to the President of the Senate of the Congress of the United States, and that copies be sent to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives from the State of Minnesota.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules, on notice of debate by Mr. Putnam.

Mr. Fowler announced that the funeral services of Senator Carleton L. Wallace would be held tomorrow, January 15th, at 3 o'clock P. M., in the chapel at Lakewood Cemetery, Minneapolis, and on behalf of the family of the deceased, extended an invitation for all members of the Senate to be present.

Mr. Fowler moved that the President of the Senate appoint a committee to attend the funeral of the deceased.

Which motion prevailed.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate announced the following committee in pursuance to the foregoing motion:

Messrs. Rockne, Benson, Sullivan, Sageng, Putnam, Denegre, Adams.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Fowler moved that when the Senate do adjourn it be until Thursday morning at 11 o'clock A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, January 16, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by Mr. Rockne, acting President for the day.

Prayer by the Rev. J. H. Frarey of Blue Earth City.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names.

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Carley and Wold were excused for tomorrow, January 17th.

Messrs. Nord and Baldwin were excused for Friday and Saturday, January 17th and 18th, respectively.

Mr. Palmer was excused for today.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 38, A bill for an act to legalize certain certificates of mortgage foreclosure sale by action, and the record thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 39, A bill for an act prohibiting common carriers, firms, corporations, or any employer of labor, from requiring surety bonds of employes to be executed by any particular surety company and prohibiting a common carrier, firms, corporations or any employer of labor from rejecting any surety bond executed by an employe thereof and except for financial insufficiency.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 40, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to the compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 41, A bill for an act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 42, A bill for an act to prevent the sale or offering for sale of fur garments or articles of apparel under fictitious or misleading names.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Retail Trade.

Mr. Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 43, A bill for an act to appropriate money to defray the cost of the publication of the proposed amendment to the Constitution during the month of October, 1918.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 44, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 10 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, relating to an appropriation by certain counties for a soldier's and sailor's monument.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Madigan and Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 45, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, so as to extend equal suffrage to women, and providing for submitting the same to the vote of the people.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 46, A bill for an act entitled An Act relating to the sale of articles by weight and measure and fixing a standard weight or measure for the sale of articles of merchandise, and providing a penalty for the violating thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Retail Trade.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 47, A bill for an act requiring railroads, car shops and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car trucks and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise, and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow and other inclement weather.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 48, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 49, A bill for an act to reimburse Company "I," Third Infantry, Minnesota National Guard, for expenses incurred in equipment and maintenance of National Guard Armory at Crookston.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 50, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4958, 4959, 4960

and 4961 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings for removal, suspension or censure of attorneys at law for misconduct and to the investigation of charges of such misconduct.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 51, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have, or hereafter may have, 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Objections being raised, the bill was ordered to lie on the table for one day.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 52, A bill for an act to amend Section 402, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to words placed after names of candidates on the general election ballot.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 53, A bill for an act regulating the hours of labor of state employes in the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 54, A bill for an act relating to county tuberculosis sanatoriums, their construction, improvement, equipment, enlargement and maintenance.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Messrs. Brooks and Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 55, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Orr and Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 56, A bill for an act permitting the annexation of cities of the fourth class to counties adjoining such cities of the fourth class.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 57, A bill for an act forbidding the use, without permission, of motor vehicles and prescribing punishment therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 58, A bill for an act to amend Section 776, General Statutes for 1913, and to repeal Section 777, General Statutes for 1913, relating to method of organization of towns, and the petitioners necessary thereto and their qualifications.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, the same being Section 8213, of the General Statutes of 1913, and as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, so as to allow the employe to make selection of his physician or surgeon and hospital and further allowing the employe medical treatment and supplies during the period of disability of said injured employe.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 60, A bill for an act to regulate the width of sleds and sleighs and that all sleds and sleighs hereafter made or sold shall be of standard width after November 1, 1921.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 61, A bill for an act entitled An act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating

to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 62, A bill for an act entitled An act to authorize and empower the City Council or Common Council of cities of this state of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof for defraying the cost of laying main trunk sewers, storm sewers, making certain local improvements in intersections of streets and in front of property exempt by law from special assessments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 63, A bill for an act entitled An act to amend Section 1427 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Section 6, of Chapter 343 of the General Laws of the year 1909; relating to the teacher's retirement fund in cities of the first class, as amended by Chapter 300 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 64, A bill for an act entitled An act to pay Frank G. Scribner for re-scales of certain timber while Surveyor General of Logs and Lumber of Minnesota, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 65, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota providing for an eight hour work day for persons engaged and employed in certain pursuits.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 66, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the office of county treasurers, in counties

of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million nor more than ten million dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 67, A bill for an act to appropriate money to the State Board of Investment for the purpose of reimbursing the State Trust funds for losses sustained by reason of the inability of the village of Brookston to pay back moneys borrowed from such trust funds, and to provide for the cancellation of certain bonds heretofore issued by said village to the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 68, A bill for an act relating to the filing of valuations of lands in certain cases and penalties therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 69, A bill for an act to amend Section 3938 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the taking or receiving of fees from applicants for employment.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 70, A bill for an act to amend Section 2232 of General Statutes of 1913, relating to a division of 25% of the gross earnings tax paid by railroad companies, excepting street railways, and the apportionment of said taxes to the tax district wherein the property of said railroads are located.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 71, A bill for an act to recompense Dr. A. D. Whiting of the City of St. Cloud, Minnesota, for professional services rendered for one Peter Bohn, an employe of the State Normal School at St. Cloud, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 72, A concurrent Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to co-operate with the Dominion of Canada in the enlarged canalization of the St. Lawrence river for the passage of ocean going vessels into the Great Lakes, thus connecting the heart of the continent with both the coastwise and foreign commerce of the high seas.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Adams then moved that S. F. No. 72 lie on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Messrs. Ribenack and Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 73, A bill for an act entitled An Act for the relief of G. E. Quade for loss of property sustained by him near Duluth, Minnesota, during the forest fires in northern Minnesota on October 12th, 1918, by reason of the negligence and failure of the State of Minnesota to burn the slashings, brush, etc. on certain "cut over" lands near said property, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Ribenack and Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 74, A bill for an act entitled An Act for the relief of O. J. Oppland for loss of property sustained by him near Duluth, Minnesota, during the forest fires in northern Minnesota on October 12th, 1918, by reason of the negligence and failure of the State of Minnesota to burn the slashings, brush, etc. on certain "cut-over" land near said property, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Ribenack and Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 75, A bill for an act entitled An Act for the relief of P. L. Wagner for loss of property sustained by him near Duluth, Minnesota, during the forest fires in northern Minnesota on October 12th, 1918, by reason of the negligence and failure of the State of Minnesota to burn the slashings, brush, etc., on certain "cut-over" land near said property, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 76, A bill for an act to abolish penalties upon unpaid

real estate taxes and providing for the payment of interest upon unpaid real estate taxes, in lieu of said penalties, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

The Committee on Temperance introduced—

S. F. No. 77, A joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 77, A joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America,

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Mr. Sageng moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Mr. Sageng moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays 8, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,
Benson,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Naplin,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hall,	Larson,	Nord,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Lee,	Orr,
Carley,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Peterson,

Putnam,	Rockne,	Stepan,	Vibert,	Wilcox,
Reed,	Sageng,	Sullivan,	Ward,	Wold,
Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Swanson,	Widell,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Handlan,	Rask,		

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 77

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 77, A joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Sullivan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,				

So the resolution was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the salary and mileage of the Members of the Legislature and for the payment of the per diem of the officers and the employes of and all the other expenses of the Legislature—including payment for necessary supplies therefor.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Jan. 15, 1919.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 17, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of Wolf Bounties for Wolves killed between January 1, 1919 and July 31, 1919; under the provisions of Section 5197 General Statutes of 1913.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Jan. 15, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 68, A bill for an act prescribing the legal qualifications of newspapers published in municipalities which were devastated by forest fire in October, 1918, and legalizing publications heretofore made by newspapers purporting to be published within such forest fire limits.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Jan. 16, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 17, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of wolf bounties for wolves killed between January 1, 1919 and July 31, 1919, under the provisions of Section 5197. General Statutes 1913.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 68, A bill for an act prescribing the legal qualifications of newspapers published in municipalities which were devastated by forest fire in October, 1918, and legalizing publications heretofore made by newspapers purporting to be published within such forest fire limits.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved—

That the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 68, A bill for an act prescribing the legal qualifications of newspapers published in municipalities which were devastated by

forest fire in October, 1918, and legalizing publications heretofore made by newspapers purporting to be published within such forest fire limits.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 68,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 68, A bill for an act prescribing the legal qualifications of newspapers published in municipalities which were devastated by forest fire in October, 1918, and legalizing publications heretofore made by newspapers purporting to be published within such forest fire limits.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 10, A bill for an act to appropriate money to pay the deficiency for Aid to High, Graded, Semi-Graded, Consolidated Industrial and Rural Schools.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass, and that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Larson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock A. M. tomorrow, January 17th.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, January 17, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Turnham, Putnam and Palmer were excused for today.

Mr. Blomgren was excused for Monday and Tuesday of next week, January 20th and 21st, respectively.

OATH ADMINISTERED.

Messrs. Henry Wester as Enrolling Clerk, and W. J. McGarry as Engrossing Clerk, came forward and took the oath of office which was administered by Lieutenant Governor Thomas Frankson.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
St. Paul, January 15, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:—I have the honor to transmit herewith for reference to the proper committee and for consideration by your honorable body two drafts of a proposed bill for cooperation between the States and the United States to provide employment and homes for soldiers, sailors and marines.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

Which drafts were received and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

St. Paul, January 15, 1919.

*Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:—I have the honor to transmit herewith for consideration by your honorable body a copy of an order adopted yesterday by the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety relative to the termination of previous orders made by this Commission.

I am also enclosing copies of all the orders made by the Commission to which reference is made in yesterday's order.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

Whereas, The Commission of Public Safety, having been created in April, 1917, by Chapter 261 of the General Laws of that year as a war board, did during the progress of the war enact certain orders looking to the public safety and the successful conduct of the war, which orders are in full force and effect; and

Whereas, The signing of the armistice with the conditions attached thereto make a renewal of the war practically impossible, and the Legislature is now in session, and might desire, by legislative enactment, to continue said orders or some of them in force after the date hereinafter suggested,

Therefore, It is hereby ordered by the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety that all orders made by it now in force shall become inoperative on February 5, 1919, unless the Commission is otherwise instructed by the Legislature before the meeting of the Commission on February 4, 1919.

Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, January 14, 1919.

Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, .

By J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Attest: Governor and Ex-Officio Chairman.

H. W. LIBBY, Secretary.

St. Paul, January 17, 1919.

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:

Soldiers and sailors, who have served their country, are daily returning to our state. Hundreds of them are now gathering in the large cities without employment and without funds. Provision should be made at once for taking care of those in need until they can obtain employment. It is unquestionably our immediate governmental duty to make adequate temporary provision for those who have lost their positions while in the military service of the nation.

If the Legislature were not in session, I should call a special meeting of the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety and request the necessary authority to use the funds at its disposal to the extent needed. As the Legislature is now in session, I feel that instructions should be given by it through proper resolution as to the course to be pursued. If it is desired that the said Commission use such portions of the balance of its funds for this purpose as are required, a meeting of the Commission will be forthwith called to consider the manner in which it can best be distributed. Under any circumstances, it is respectfully urged that immediate action be taken so as to prevent our returning soldiers and sailors from suffering any hardship before permanent employment can be secured.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

A communication from the Burlington Good Roads Association was read, and ordered not printed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 78, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for and establishing a trunk highway system to be constructed, improved and maintained by the State; establishing and authorizing the creation of a fund for such purpose by the taxation of motor vehicles, the issuance of bonds, and otherwise.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGarry moved that one thousand (1,000) copies of S. F. No. 78 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Brooks introduced—

S. F. No. 79, A bill for an act to establish the English language as a basic language of instruction in all schools within the State of Minnesota, and to promote the work of Americanization of the peoples of the State.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 80, A bill for an act to amend Section 3653, Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, the same being Section 7243 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as the same is amended by Chapter 350 of the laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the descent of personal estate and distribution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 81, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this State now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article IV, of the State Constitution, to impose a tax or license upon all motor vehicles in any such city, and providing for the disposition of the fund accumulated thereby.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 82, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing the salary of the County Commissioners in counties of this State now or hereafter having not less than 70 or more than 80 full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than \$3,000,000 and not more than \$5,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 83, A bill for an act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of a felony.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 84, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 159, Laws 1903, relating to pensions for retired and disabled policemen.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 85, A bill for an act giving the powers of the Chief Justice to an associate justice when the Chief Justice is absent from the State or incapacitated.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Brooks introduced—

S. F. No. 86, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this State of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of constructing bridges across navigable streams running through such cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 87, A bill for an act to authorize the District Court to dismiss actions and proceedings which shall not be brought to trial within five years from the commencement thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 88, A bill for an act authorizing village councils to

acquire land for park purposes, and to appropriate money therefor and for the maintenance thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Ribenack introduced—

S. F. No. 89, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 3673 General Statutes 1913, relating to the adulteration of ice cream.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 90, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in foundaries, prescribing standard rules and regulations therefor and providing penalties for violations of the act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Messrs. Naplin, Johnson, Lee, Schmechel and Romberg introduced—

S. F. No. 91, A bill for an act to define royalties, to determine the capitalized value thereof, and to provide for the taxation of royalties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 92, A bill for an act entitled, An act to create and maintain a legislative reference department in connection with the State Law Library.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 93, A bill for an act authorizing city and village councils, boards of county commissioners and town boards to employ public health nurses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 94, A bill for an act to amend Section 7020, General

Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 285 of the General Laws of 1917, relating to liens for labor and material for improvement of real estate.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Blomgren introduced—

S. F. No. 95, A bill for an act to appropriate money to the ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic for caring for veterans of the Civil war, their wives and widows at the Anoka cottages.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 96, A bill for an act to amend Section 6347 of the General Statutes of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 97, A bill for an act relating to special elections.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 98, A bill for an act relating to the grain inspection and weighing department of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission of the State of Minnesota, providing for the creation of a committee to investigate its work and operations and to recommend improvements therein and changes in existing laws and appropriating money for that purpose.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Denegre introduced, by request—

S. F. No. 99, A bill for an act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 100, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of county com-

missioners in counties of this state having not less than 100, nor more than 137 congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 101, A bill for an act defining nuisances, providing for the abatement thereof, and the injunction of the person creating, keeping or maintaining or aiding in the same and providing that such person shall be guilty of misdemeanor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Ribenack introduced—

S. F. No. 102, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 352, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to reserves and deposits under certain classes of indemnity contracts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 103, A bill for an act relating to public schools in special school districts of not less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor more than 20,000 inhabitants, and to the rate of taxation in such districts.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Widell moved—

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 103, A bill for an act relating to public schools in special school districts of not less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor more than 20,000 inhabitants, and to the rate of taxation in such districts.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 103,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 103, A bill for an act relating to public schools in special school districts of not less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor more than

20,000 inhabitants, and to the rate of taxation in such districts.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 104, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing and empowering boards of County Commissioners in counties now or hereafter having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 to appropriate and expend not exceeding \$25,000 per year for two years in the improvement of lakes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 105, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 217, General Laws of 1917, being an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 106, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 344 Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to committment and petition for discharge of feeble minded persons.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 107, A bill for an act creating a Board of Censors for

motion picture films, reels or views, prescribing its duties and the salaries of the members thereof, providing a system of examination of such films, reels and views, and providing penalties for violation of the act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 108, A bill for an act to regulate the sale of cigarettes and cigarette paper and providing for licensing the manufacture and sale of same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Messrs. Hamer and Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 109, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6481 and 6483, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to co-operative associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Messrs. Callahan, Devold, Dwyer, Bessette, Boylan, introduced—

S. F. No. 110, A bill for an act to promote the public health by providing for one day of rest in every seven days, in certain employments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 111, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 363, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to contestants in boxing or sparring matches.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred

S. F. No. 11, A bill for an act legalizing and validating certain obligations and indebtedness incurred and to be incurred by cities of the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, of the state constitution, for the maintenance

of the fire department, police department and other departments of such cities, in excess of the annual appropriations and taxes therefor, and authorizing the issuance and sale of municipal bonds of such cities for the payment of such obligations and indebtedness.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

That the word "thirty" be stricken out in the third line of Section 3 on the second page of the original bill, and that the word "ten" be inserted in lieu thereof.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendment adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 11, A bill for an act legalizing and validating certain obligations and indebtedness incurred and to be incurred by cities of the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, of the state constitution, for the maintenance of the fire department, police department and other departments of such cities, in excess of the annual appropriations and taxes therefor, and authorizing the issuance and sale of municipal bonds of such cities for the payment of such obligations and indebtedness.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 11

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 11, A bill for an act legalizing and validating certain obligations and indebtedness incurred and to be incurred by cities of the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, of the state constitution, for the maintenance of the fire department, police department and other departments of such cities, in excess of the annual appropriations and taxes therefor, and authorizing the issuance and sale of municipal bonds of such cities for the payment of such obligations and indebtedness.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

APPOINTMENTS.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, reported the following appointees:

W. D. Johnson to serve as janitor, and receive pay of \$5.00 per day from the 15th day of January, 1919.

F. M. Eddy to serve as index clerk at \$5.00 per day.

Lena Emms to serve as general stenographer.

Irvin A. Caswell to serve as clerk on the Finance Committee.

Mrs. Helen S. Bridge to serve as general stenographer in place of Miss Georgiana Utsch, resigned, at a compensation of \$5.00 per day from and after January 17, 1919.

Mr. Larson then moved the adoption of the report.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, January 21st.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend the motion by making it 2:00 o'clock P. M. Monday, January 20th.

The question being taken on the amendment to the motion,

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then recurred on the original motion of Mr. Adams that the Senate do adjourn until 10:00 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, January 21st.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, January 21, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal as printed and corrected, was approved.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Duluth, Minn., January 16th, 1919.

The Senate, State of Minnesota, State Capitol, St. Paul, Minn.

Honorable Sirs: At a regular meeting of the Federation of Farmers' Clubs of the Duluth District, the following resolution was passed:

"Whereas, The fire of October 12th, 1918, destroyed the homes of thousands of the Northern Minnesota farmers, leaving them practically destitute, and

Whereas, A large percentage of said farmers are unable without aid to go back onto their lands, and

Whereas, It is to the best interest of the burned-over area and the State of Minnesota that these people be given all encouragement to go back onto their farms,

Be It Therefore Resolved, That it is the sentiment of this Federation of Farmers' Clubs that the State Legislature of the State of Minnesota be urged to render all assistance possible to these people."

Yours truly,

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE, FEDERATION OF FARMERS'
CLUBS OF DULUTH DISTRICT.

Which communication was read and referred to the committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Conroy introduced—

S. F. No. 112, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing the City Council or other governing body of any city now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to fix the salary of the assistant fire chief of such city.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Ribenack and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 113, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing that the claims of laborers shall be preferred claims in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Messrs. Gandrud, Erickson and Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 114, A bill for an act to establish a department of foods and markets; providing for the administration of such department, and defining the duties and powers of same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Markets and Marketing.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 115, A bill for an act to amend Section 4256 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to road crossings over railroads.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Messrs. Lee, Johnson and Schmechel introduced—

S. F. No. 116, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to

Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for the amendment of the State Constitution by a majority vote of all the votes cast upon each separate amendment.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Fowler (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 117, A bill for an act to prohibit the cutting, harvesting, taking or obtaining of ice in or from certain waters within the limits of cities of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter.

Which was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fowler moved that S. F. No. 117 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 117,

Was laid on the table.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 118, A bill for an act to amend Section 64 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which section relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards and the audit and payment of damages after the determination of an appeal in proceedings for the establishment, alteration or vacation of public highways.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Naplin and Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 119, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Sections 5 and 6 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, so as to empower the State of Minnesota to acquire, lease, construct, own and operate warehouses, cold-storage plants, elevators, flour mills, packing plants, power plants and other facilities for conserving, storing, manufacturing and marketing food and other farm products, and to maintain, construct and aid in the construction of roads, bridges and highways, and to empower the Legislature to pass laws authorizing the issuance of the bonds of the state for such purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 120, A bill for an act requiring the owner of premises

on which barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown; to destroy the same, declaring the same to be a public nuisance and imposing certain powers and duties with reference to the same on the state entomologist.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages or boroughs of unplatted agricultural lands, included within the corporate limits of such villages or boroughs in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 122, A bill for an act providing for free tuition in the State University and at the State Normal Schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts, or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Lee introduced—

S. F. No. 123, A bill for an act to appropriate money to refund to Edward Gaffney amount of overpayment on state land contract.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 124, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 338, Laws of Minnesota 1915, relative to salaries of auditors and treasurers in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles and valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$40,000,000.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 125, A bill for an act providing for admission to and the attendance at the University of Minnesota of residents of this State who have served in the army, navy or marine corps of the

United States in time of war and have been honorably discharged.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Denegre introduced —

S. F. No. 126, A bill for an act to amend Section 2128, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes, and repealing inconsistent laws.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 127, A bill for an act to amend Section 127, General Statutes, 1913, relating to bond, deputy and assistants of the Clerk of the Supreme Court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 128, A bill for an act entitled, An act to legalize certain proceedings in Probate Court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Ribenack introduced—

S. F. No. 129, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 6958, General Statutes 1913, relating to the area of homestead exemption.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 130, A bill for an act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 131, A bill for an act to amend Section 6017, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 282, Session Laws, Minnesota 1915, and as amended by Chapter 408, Session Laws, Minnesota 1917, and to amend Sections 6019, 6020, General Statutes Minnesota, as amended by Chapter 173, Session Laws Minnesota 1915, and to amend Sections 6021, 6022, 6023, 6024,

6025, 6026, 6027, 6028, 6029, 6031, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, and to repeal Sections 6016, 6032, 6033, 6034, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to legal and partition fences.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 132, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for drainage and control of flood waters to protect cities, villages, highways and farm lands from inundation and to authorize the organization of drainage and conservation districts to secure the construction and maintenance of such works and improvements as will secure the control of flood waters within the limits of such districts and conserve and utilize such waters for power purposes, fish production, or any other purpose consistent with the provisions of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 133, A bill for an act for the relief of Ethel Alice Strickler, and to appropriate money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 134, A bill for an act to amend Section 347 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, with reference to the qualifications of voters at primary elections and providing for the oath or affirmation of the voter as to his party affiliation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 135, A bill for an act to amend Sub-division I, Section 6492, of General Statutes, 1913, pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Messrs. Ribenack and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 136, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the purchase by the State of Minnesota and sale to the farmers in

the burned over district in northern Minnesota, of gasoline engines and circular saw attachments, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Messrs. Ribenack and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 137, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to State, Judicial, Township, City and Town Officers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 138, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the District Judges and to rules of the District Court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 139, A bill for an act relating to and providing for the creation of charitable trusts and amending Section 3249 of the Revised Laws, 1905, being Section 6710 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, by adding thereto a new subdivision to be known as Subdivision 8.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Ward introduced—

S. F. No. 140, A bill for an act relating to the circulation of false or defamatory circulars for political purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 141, A bill for an act to appropriate four hundred and forty-seven dollars and ninety-seven cents to re-imburse John Orłowski for services rendered the State as deputy inspector of oils.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 142, A bill for an act relating to premium rates of Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 143, A bill for an act to amend Sub-division 1, of Section 5771, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the fees of Register of Deeds in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 144, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 5 of Section 5762, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to the fees of sheriffs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Sullivan (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 145, A bill for an act to appropriate certain moneys for the maintenance of the Department of Labor and Industries.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 146, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compensate George Robertson for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment at the State Agricultural Experimental Station.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 147, A bill for an act relating to compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 148, A bill for an act requiring stockyards at terminal markets to be provided with feeding and watering troughs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 149, A bill for an act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 150, A bill for an act to amend Section 2799, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, and Section 14, Chapter 296, Session Laws, Minnesota 1915, relating to public schools.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Sullivan (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 151, A bill for an act to amend sub-section 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1913, which Chapter 400 is entitled "An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees," so far as the same relates to the salaries and compensation of the officers and employes of the Department of Labor and Industries, and authorizing the transfer of certain funds from the Contingent Fund of said department to the maintenance fund thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 152, A bill for an act fixing the fees to be charged and received by county abstract clerks.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 153, A bill for an act relating to salaries for employes in the Department of Weights and Measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File herewith returned:

S. F. No. 11, A bill for an act legalizing and validating certain

obligations and indebtedness incurred and to be incurred by cities of the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, of the state constitution, for the maintenance of the fire department, police department and other departments of such cities, in excess of the annual appropriations and taxes therefor, and authorizing the issuance and sale of municipal bonds of such cities for the payment of such obligations and indebtedness.

January 21, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 77, A joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America.

January 17, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 13, A bill for an act to appropriate money for state aid to certain schools.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 21, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 13, A bill for an act to appropriate money for state aid to certain schools.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred

S. F. No. 14, A bill for an act legalizing certain proceedings of the governing body of any county, city, village, town or borough, which certain proceedings were taken during the year 1918, for the purpose of providing aid to the tornado sufferers at Tyler, Minnesota, and aid to the fire sufferers in Northern Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred

S. F. No. 29, A bill for an act to amend Section 6406, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to directors of trust companies and to vacancies in the board of directors of trust companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred

S. F. No. 97, A bill for an act relating to special elections.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 4 of the typewritten bill by adding to the end thereof the following words:

"Provided, in senatorial districts lying in more than one county the returns of such special election shall be canvassed separately in each county by canvassing boards constituted as above, and thereafter the county auditor of each county in which such district lies, shall transmit a statement of the vote cast in his county at such special election to the secretary of state, who shall canvass the statements so transmitted to him and issue a certificate of election as hereinbefore provided."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 97, A bill for an act relating to special elections.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 97

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 97, A bill for an act relating to special elections.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

January 21, 1919.

To the Senate: Mr. Putnam of the Committee on Judiciary reports the appointment of the following sub-committees of the Committee on Judiciary.

COMMERCIAL LAW.

Cliff, Peterson, Jackson, Callahan, Naplin.

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW.

Rockne, Gjerset, Sullivan, Peterson, Putnam.

CORPORATIONS LAW, INCLUDING MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

Carley, Baldwin, Fowler, Madigan, Cashel.

COURTS, JUDICIAL AND PUBLIC OFFICES.

Millet, Benson, Carley, Bonniwell, Hopp.

CRIMINAL LAW.

Sullivan, Millet, Hall, Hopp, Cashel.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.

Orr, Rockne, Guilford, Hall, Cliff.

INSURANCE.

Denegre, Bonniwell, Orr, Fowler, Swanson.

NEGLIGENCE.

Bonniwell, Madigan, Millet, Baldwin, Callahan.

PLEADING, PRACTICE AND EVIDENCE.

Peterson, Hopp, Swanson, Naplin, Putnam.

PROBATE LAW.

Jackson, Carley, Madigan, Guilford, Hall.

PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Benson, Gjerset, Cliff, Fowler, Sullivan.

RAILROADS.

Baldwin, Orr, Benson, Cashel, Callahan.

REAL PROPERTY AND CURATIVE ACTS.

Adams, Cliff, Sullivan, Guilford, Denegre.

TAX LAWS.

Gjerset, Putnam, Adams, Jackson, Swanson.

Mr. Putnam moved that the above report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 14 and 29,

Were read the second time.

NOTICE OF AMENDMENTS TO RULES.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules gave notice of his intention to amend the permanent rules of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Ward offered the following joint resolution:

A Joint Resolution prescribing April 3, 1919, as the date for Final Adjournment of the Present Session of the Legislature.

Whereas, the Constitution of the State of Minnesota provides that no session of the legislature shall exceed ninety (90) legislative days; and,

Whereas, the work of the present session of the legislature will be completed in a shorter time;

Be It Therefore Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring, that Thursday, April 3, 1919, be and the same hereby is fixed as the date for the final adjournment of the present session of the legislature.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Putnam moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 132 be printed.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sageng moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, January 22, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Conroy and Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 154, A bill for an act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after the same are due and owing.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 155, A bill for an act to provide how Fraternal Benefit societies organized under the laws of this State may consolidate,

merge or reinsure its insurance risks, with any other Fraternal Benefit Society, or assume or reinsure the risks of any other Fraternal Benefit Society and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 156, A bill for an act to empower any city of the fourth class in the State of Minnesota, whether existing under a special or general law, or under a home rule charter, to prescribe reasonable rates under which public service corporations supplying gas or current for electric lighting or power purposes and occupying the streets and public places of any such city may operate within any such city.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 157, A bill for an act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 239, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to public schools.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Lee, Johnson and Schmechel introduced—

S. F. No. 158, A bill for an act providing for an amendment to Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to the method of altering or amending said Constitution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Messrs. Adams, Ribenack and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 159, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants, owing a hospital, to levy annually a tax of not exceeding one mill for the purpose of operating and maintaining such hospital.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 160, A bill for an act to amend Section 1488, Revised

Laws, 1905, the same being Section 3071, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the settlement of poor persons, so as to provide for the termination of a settlement in this State.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 161, A bill for an act to legalize mortgage foreclosures by advertisement upon real estate in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 162, A bill for an act to amend Section 6171, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the manner of filling vacancies in the Board of Directors of corporations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 163, A bill for an act providing for the Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; defining its powers and duties and appropriating money for carrying out the purposes thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 164, A bill for an act authorizing the County Board of any county that has heretofore expended funds or incurred indebtedness in the repair, deepening or changing the nature of any public ditch therein, or any branch thereof, to issue bonds therefor in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 165, A bill for an act to authorize the chief executive officers of State institutions to execute bonds in favor of the Federal Government in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 166, A bill for an act providing an official designation

for the several state asylums and state hospitals for the insane and the hospital farm for inebriates.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 167, A bill for an act authorizing the State Treasurer and State Auditor to make temporary transfers of money in the State Treasury not needed for immediate disbursements to the State Prison Revolving Fund and providing for the return thereof with interest to the funds from which the transfers are so made.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Fowler (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 168, A bill for an act to amend Sections 8 and 9 of Chapter 440 of the General Laws of 1913, as amended by Chapter 511, Laws of 1917, which said sections so amended fix and regulate the salaries and compensation of the Register of Deeds, his deputies, assistants and employes, in counties having a population of three hundred thousand or more.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 169, A bill for an act to provide the place and method of assessing the personal property of electric light and power companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 170, Joint Resolution. A concurrent resolution relating to fixing of wheat prices by Federal Government.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse,

Messrs. Naplin, Romberg and Loonam introduced—

S. F. No. 171, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota to provide for the levy of a tax for the purpose of creating a fund to insure owners of growing crops against losses by hail.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Adams, Ribenack and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 172, A bill for an act entitled, An act amending Section 3107, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salary of the clerk of the poor board.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Benson and Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 173, A bill for an act to provide for a temporary additional military organization to be known as a Provost Guard and for the temporary relief of men in the State of Minnesota, who have been honorably discharged from the military or naval forces of the United States during the present war and are in need of assistance and in want and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 174, A bill for an act entitled, An act to reimburse the official reporter of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District for amounts paid out for railway, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from his place of residence in the discharge of his official duties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Ribenack, Fowler, Bessette, Turnham and Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 175, A bill for an act defining and regulating the practice of Chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 82, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the county commissioners in counties of this State now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional con-

gressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than \$3,000,000 and not more than \$5,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 104, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering boards of county commissioners in counties now or hereafter having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 to appropriate and expend not exceeding \$25,000 per year in the improvement of lakes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 100, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of the county commissioners in counties of this State having not less than 100 nor more than 137 congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 49, A bill for an act to reimburse Company "I," Third Infantry, Minnesota National Guard, for expenses incurred in equip and maintenance of National Guard Armory at Crookston.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the same be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

Mr. Larson, Chairman, Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, reported the following appointees:

Martin Widsten, to serve as General Clerk in place of T. Morris, resigned, at the compensation of five (\$5.00) dollars a day from January 21, 1919.

Which report, on motion of Mr. Larson, was adopted.

Mr. Larson, Chairman, Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, offered the following amendment to the Standing Rules of the Senate, and moved its adoption :

Amend Rule No. 31, by adding one more member to the Finance Committee, and two additional members to the Drainage Committee.

Which amendment was adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 82, 104 and 100,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Lee moved that S. F. No. 116 be recalled from the Committee on Elections.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 116,

Was recalled from the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Lee then moved that S. F. No. 116 be returned to its author.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 116,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Fowler moved that S. F. No. 117 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 117,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 117, A bill for an act to prohibit the cutting, harvesting, taking or obtaining of ice in or from certain waters within the limits of cities of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 117

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 117, A bill for an act to prohibit the cutting, harvesting, taking or obtaining of ice in or from certain waters within the limits of cities of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,

Mr. Handlan voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, January 23, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

* Mr. Larson was excused for today and the remainder of the week.

Mr. Kuntz was excused for Friday and Saturday of this week.

Messrs. McGarry, Rask, Callahan and Hall were excused for Friday.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A communication was received from Mrs. Harry F. Weis and family, acknowledging with grateful appreciation the kind expression of sympathy manifested by the members of the Senate in their recent bereavement.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, January 22, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 77. Joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America.

S. F. No. 11. An act legalizing and validating certain obligations and indebtedness incurred and to be incurred by cities of the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution, for the maintenance of the fire department, police department and other departments of such cities, in excess of the annual appropriations and taxes therefor, and authorizing the issuance and sale of municipal bonds of such cities for the payment of such obligations and indebtedness.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Jackson, Bessette, Swanson, Boylan, Erickson and Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 176., A bill for an act creating a State Industrial and Insurance Board of the State of Minnesota; creating an Industrial Insurance Fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board, and of compensation, as provided by part two, Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended, to injured employes and to the dependents of employes who may be killed in the course of their employment, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Messrs. Jackson, Bessette, Swanson, Boylan, Erickson and Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 177, A bill for an act to amend Section 8207, General

Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 351, General Laws 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employes for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Messrs. Jackson, Bessette, Swanson, Boylan, Erickson and Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 178, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employes sustaining personal injury.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Messrs. Jackson, Bessette, Swanson, Boylan, Erickson and Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 179, A bill for an act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to compensate the dependents of employes in all cases where death results to an employe, caused by injury arising out of and in the course of employment, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Messrs. Jackson, Bessette, Swanson, Boylan, Erickson and Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 180, A bill for an act to amend the title and Sections 1, 9 and 34 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, "An Act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation by way of damages for injuries due to accident received by an employe arising out of and in the course of employment, modifying common law and statutory remedies, in such cases; establishing an alternative elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder in certain cases."

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 181, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 311, Laws

1911, relating to salaries of State Inspector of Apiaries and deputy inspectors.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 182, A bill for an act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Section 28 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to highways which have or may become impassable by reason of neglect thereof by the town. By adding to said section a new subdivision making it the duty of the members of the town board to do the work or make the improvements directed by the County Board under certain circumstances and prescribing a penalty for their failure or neglect so to do.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 183, A bill for an act amending Section 2 of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, which said Chapter is entitled, "An Act to enable the guardians of insane persons to furnish aid for the support and maintenance of children of insane persons in certain cases," the same being Section 7450, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, and legalizing prior proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 184, A bill for an act relating to the manufacture and sale of bread and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 185, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of sleighs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 186, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide

that any patent or proprietary medicine, pills, powders, salves, liniments, salts of all kinds and cigars, manufactured or offered for sale in this state, shall not have the retail selling price printed or stamped on them, either on the inside or outside wrapper or carton.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 187, A bill for an act to amend Sections one and two of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917, entitled, An act authorizing County Boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceeding year have totally or partially failed, providing for a lien upon the crops and land to secure repayment and providing for prosecution and punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Gjerset (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 188, A bill for an act to amend Section 2148, General Statutes 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sale.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 189, A bill for an act relating to vacating judgments in criminal cases for perjury and subornation of perjury and other fraudulent acts and refundment of fines and costs paid therein.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 190, A bill for an act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a Home Rule Charter.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 191, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of

additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Fowler (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 192, A bill for an act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465, of General Laws of 1907, and Chapter 126 of General Laws of 1911, and Chapter 482 of General Laws of 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 193, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 193, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 193

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 193, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Johnson,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Devold,	Hall,	Kingsbury,
Baldwin,	Callahan,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Kuntz,
Benson,	Carley,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Locnam,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	McGarry,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gjeraset,	Jackson,	Millet,

Naplin,
Nolan,
Nord,
Orr,
Palmer,

Peterson,
Putnam,
Rask,
Reed,
Ribenack,

Rockne,
Romberg,
Sageng,
Schmechel,
Stepan,

Sullivan,
Swanson,
Turnham,
Van Hoven,
Widell,

Wilcox,
Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gillam introduced—

S. F. No. 194, A bill for an act authorizing any village of this State now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant to dispose of surplus electricity to consumers outside the corporate limits of such village.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 195, A bill for an act to provide an annual tax levy for forestry purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 196, A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgments taken by military officers, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 197, A bill for an act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. W. H. Rand.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 198, A bill for an act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. Chas. D. Kaliher.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 199, A bill for an act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. A. D. Varley.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 200, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that S. F. No. 200 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 200

Was laid on the table.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 201, A bill for an act to prescribe certain duties of the State Forester, and prescribing fees, duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Reed introduced—

S. F. No. 202, A bill for an act for the relief of John F. Dahl and to appropriate money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Adams, Ribenack, Bessette, Erickson and Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 203, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing the method of payment of salaries and compensation of County Road Engineers and their assistants and employes, in any county in this state, nor or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Ribenack moved that S. F. No. 203 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 203

Was laid on the table.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 204, A bill for an act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the State Constitution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 3, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

H. F. No. 18, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, so as to extend equal suffrage to women, and providing for submitting the same to the vote of the people.

January 22, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Concurrent Resolution, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 61, A concurrent resolution addressed to the United States Senate, relating to the submission of an amendment to the Federal Constitution.

January 22, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the house of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 16, A bill for an act legalizing certain proceedings of the governing body of any county, city, village, town or borough, which certain proceedings were taken during the year 1918 for the purpose of providing aid to the tornado sufferers at Tyler, Minnesota, and aid to the fire sufferers in Northern Minnesota.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 22, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 61, A concurrent resolution addressed to the United States Senate, relating to the submission of an amendment to the Federal Constitution.

Was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 61, A concurrent resolution addressed to the United States Senate, relating to the submission of an amendment to the Federal Constitution.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 61,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 61, A concurrent resolution addressed to the United States Senate, relating to the submission of an amendment to the Federal Constitution.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49, and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Besette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gierset,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sageng,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Handlan,	Loonam,	McGarry,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Kuntz,			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 18, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, so as to extend equal suffrage to women, and providing for submitting the same to the vote of the people.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. F. No. 16, A bill for an act legalizing certain proceedings of the governing body of any county, city, village, town or borough, which certain proceedings were taken during the year 1918 for the purpose of providing aid to the tornado sufferers at Tyler, Minnesota, and aid to the fire sufferers in Northern Minnesota.

Was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 16, A bill for an act legalizing certain proceedings of the governing body of any county, city, village, town or borough, which certain proceedings were taken during the year 1918 for the purpose of providing aid to the tornado sufferers at Tyler, Minnesota, and aid to the fire sufferers in Northern Minnesota.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 16,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 16, A bill for an act legalizing certain proceedings of the governing body of any county, city, village, town or borough, which certain proceedings were taken during the year 1918 for the purpose of providing aid to the tornado sufferers at Tyler, Minnesota, and aid to the fire sufferers in Northern Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Rockne, having obtained unanimous consent, moved to amend House File No. 16, as follows:

First: By inserting after the word "village" where it occurs in line two (2) of section one (1) of the original typewritten bill, the words "Firemen's Relief Association."

Second: By inserting after the word "village" where it occurs in the second line of the title of the original typewritten bill, the words "Firemen's Relief Association."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,
Anderson,
Baldwin,
Benson,

Bessette,
Blomgren,
Bonniwell,
Boylan,

Brooks,
Callahan,
Carley,
Cashel,

Conroy,
Cumming,
Denegre,
Devold,

Dwyer,
Frickson,
Fowler,
Gandrud,

Gillam,	Johnson,	Nord,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sageng,	Ward,
Guilford,	Lee,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Hamer,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Stepan,	Wilcox,
Handlan,	Madigan,	Rask,	Sullivan,	Wold,
Hegnes,	Millett,	Reed,	Swanson,	
Hopp,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Turnham,	
Jackson,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 3, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Ward, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 34, A bill for an act to provide for experiments on peat lands.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass, be not printed, and that the same be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, Chairman, from the Committee on Labor, to which, was referred—

S. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, the same being Section 8213, of the General Statutes of 1913, and as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, so as to allow the employe to make selection of his physician or surgeon and hospital and further allowing the employe medical treatment and supplies during the period of disability of said injured employe.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that—

S. F. No. 51 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 51

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 51, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have, or hereafter may have, 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 51—

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 51, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have, or hereafter may have, 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams.	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that—

S. F. No. 200 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 200

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 200, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 200,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 200, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 203 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 203

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 203, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing the method of payment of salaries and compensation of County Road Engineers and their assistants and employes, in any county in this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 203

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 203, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing the method of payment of salaries and compensation of County Road Engineers and their assistants and employes, in any county in this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wilcox,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold.
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 14 be stricken from General Orders and indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 14

Was indefinitely postponed.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate announced the following additional appointments on the standing committees:

Messrs. Hegnes and Hall on Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Adams on Committee on Finance.

Mr. Reed removed from Committee on Corporations and appointed on Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Blomgren is removed from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, and appointed on Committee on Corporations.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Fowler moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

ELEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, January 24, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 205, A bill for an act relating to investments and deposits of insurance companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 206, A bill for an act relating to insurance.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to authorize the valuation of

bonds and other securities, by insurance companies and fraternal beneficiary associations, by the Amortization Method.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 208, A bill for an act to prohibit the restraint of trade and commerce, and for the prevention of combinations for fixing charges for services and fixing prices.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. Fowler, by request, introduced—

S. F. No. 209, A bill for an act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Fowler, by request, introduced—

S. F. No. 210, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, fixing and regulating the salaries, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 inhabitants or over, as amended by Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 511, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 211, A bill for an act providing for the appointment of a fire marshal by the Commissioners of Insurance and fixing his salary; abolishing the offices of assistant fire marshal, deputy fire marshals and special deputies as now authorized by law; providing for the appointment of deputy fire marshals by the Commissioner of Insurance, and devolving on and transferring to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshals appointed under this act, the duties, powers and privileges now imposed on and granted to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshal and repealing Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 564, Laws of Minnesota, 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 212, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV., Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof, made and entered into within four months prior to April 6, 1917, and vesting in the District Court of this State jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Widell and Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 213, A bill for an act to appropriate money for maintenance of public parks and for additions thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 214, A bill for an act to amend Section 8969, General Statutes 1913, relating to frauds on innkeepers, etc.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, Chairman, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 23, A bill for an act entitled, An act defining the right to membership in any incorporated fire department, relief association or police department relief association receiving municipal or state aid of all employes and officers, whether elective or appointive, connected with a fire department or police department, alarm, telegraph or signal system, in all villages or cities in this state now or hereafter which may have a population of 50,000 inhabitants or more.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Insert after the last word in the title the following words: "In which a separate bureau of police and fire alarm is provided by law."

And in the seventh line of Section 1, after the words "50,000

inhabitants or over" the words, "in which a separate bureau of police and fire alarm is provided by law."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 23,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Benson moved that when the Senate do adjourn it be until 8 o'clock p. m., Monday, January 27.

Which motion prevailed.

APPOINTMENT.

Mr. Larson from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules announced the appointment of Emma Schwager as stenographer to succeed Lena Emms, resigned.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWELFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, January 27, 1919.

The Senate met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. R. S. Reed of Minneapolis, Minn.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Wilcox,
Brooks,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

St. Paul, January 27, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson, Lieut. Governor, State of Minnesota, Saint Paul, Minnesota.

Dear Mr. Frankson: The Board of Directors of the Saint Paul Association, speaking for its membership of nearly 5,000 citizens, wish to extend through you, as Presiding Officer, to members of the Senate an invitation to attend a dinner in honor of the members of the Forty-first Legislature, to be given in the main dining room of the new Saint Paul Athletic Club on Tuesday evening at 6:15 P. M. on February 4th.

A personal invitation will be extended to each Senator in due time. The real purpose of the invitation in this form is with the hope that the Senators will thus far in advance set aside that evening so that all members of the Senate may attend and participate in this occasion that Saint Paul may express its appreciation of having in our midst during the legislative session the large number of distinguished and self-sacrificing citizens of the State of Minnesota who in the final analysis have the responsibility as well as the honor of playing so important a part in the moulding of public policy with reference to our commonwealth during this important new era in the life of our State. The committee in charge will endeavor to arrange a program of speakers that will address themselves to such of the more important matters of state policy as members of the Senate have before them.

In order that we may know thus far in advance the extent to which the date set is satisfactory to the members of your honorable body will you not be good enough to give the members of the Senate an opportunity to pass upon it and have the Chief Clerk of the Senate communicate the result to us.

Trusting that we may have the honor and pleasure of having all the members of the Senate as our guests, we are, respectfully yours,

Saint Paul Association,

E. N. McMAHON,
General Secretary.

PAUL N. MYERS,
President.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, January 20, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File to-wit:

S. F. No. 1, An act to appropriate money for the payment of the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the salary and mileage of the members of the Legislature and for the payment of the per diem of the officers and the employes of and all the other expenses of the Legislature—including payment for necessary supplies therefor.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Loonam, Stepan and Wilcox introduced—

S. F. No. 215, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota granting to the people the direct power of the initiative and referendum as additional means to secure and control legislation and as an additional means by which the people may amend the Constitution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 216, A bill for an act providing for the publication and sale of "The Minnesota Capitol Official Guide and History."

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Messrs. Nord, Cumming, Naplin and Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 217, A bill for an act making an appropriation to the State Drainage Commission to be expended in paying the state's share of the cost of the Red Lake River drainage project and providing for the assessment of other lands benefited.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Swanson introduced —

S. F. No. 218, A bill for an act amending Section 1, of Chapter 194, General Laws for 1915, authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 219, A bill for an act to amend Section 2632 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to motor vehicles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 220, A bill for an act to appropriate money to Julie C. Gauthier for certain purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 221, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3541 and 3545. General Statutes 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Brooks introduced—

S. F. No. 222, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants and over, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Brooks introduced—

S. F. No. 223, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915 and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of county surveyors in counties having, or which may hereafter have a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Gjerset (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 224, A bill for an act to provide for the organization or admission and the regulation and taxation of incorporated mutual insurance companies other than life, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 225, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 114, Laws 1917, fixing the salaries of members of county boards in all counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or

fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million five hundred thousand dollars and less than twelve million dollars and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 225, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 114, Laws 1917, fixing the salaries of members of county boards in all counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million five hundred thousand dollars and less than twelve million dollars and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 225,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 225, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 114, Laws 1917, fixing the salaries of members of county boards in all counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million five hundred thousand dollars and less than twelve million dollars and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 235, Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Section 6 of Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota 1917, which section provides for the appointment by the Commissioner of Highways of assistant engineers and prescribing their powers, duties and compensation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 227, A bill for an act to legalize certain payments of salary and expense to County Commissioners in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 227, A bill for an act to legalize certain payments of salary and expense to County Commissioners in certain counties.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 227

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 227, A bill for an act to legalize certain payments of salary and expense to County Commissioners in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Commung,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 228, A bill for an act fixing the clerk hire of the County Auditor in counties now or hereafter having not less than thirty-eight nor more than forty-two congressional townships and now or hereafter having a taxable valuation of not less than eight million dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 229, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for the investigation and demonstration of the most efficient and economical methods of land clearing and making an appropriation therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 230, A bill for an act relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed by a board of tax levy, or other corresponding body, and requiring that the estimate of the county board for said fund shall be allowed in full and included in the tax levy.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 231, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 192, Laws 1915, as amended by Chapter 31, Laws 1917, relating to the issuance by the State Auditor of leases on school, university, internal improvement, swamp and other state lands in which the state may have an interest for taking sand, clay, rock, marl, peat and black dirt therefrom, storing thereon ore, waste materials from mines, rock and tailings from ore milling plants, and for building or garden sites and for other uses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 232, A bill for an act providing in certain cases for the issuance of patents to lands heretofore sold, by the state under ex-

ecutory contracts, to persons engaged during the present war in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States and appropriating money with which to pay the unpaid principal and interest as stipulated in such contracts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended by the House, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested:

S. F. No. 97, A bill for an act relating to special elections.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 24, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Sageng moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 97 and that the bill be placed upon its repassage, as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Hammer,	Loonam,	Sageng,	Wold,
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to as amended.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE—CONTINUED.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 181, A resolution, memorializing the Congress of the

United States to grant a gratuity of three months' pay to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 24, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 181, A Concurrent Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to grant a gratuity of three months' pay to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cliff moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 181, A Concurrent Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to grant a gratuity of three months' pay to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 181.

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 181, A Concurrent Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to grant a gratuity of three months' pay to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines.

Was read the third time.

The following Senators were excused from voting on H. F. No. 181, because of relatives in the United States military service:

Messrs. Bonniwell, Widell, Nolan, Swanson, Sullivan, Nord and Madigan.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Blomgren,	Callahan,	Cumming,	Erickson,
Benson,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Denegre,	Fowler,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Devold,	Gandrud,

Gjerset,	Jackson,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Turnham,
Hall,	Johnson,	Loonam,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Hamer,	Kingsbury,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Handlan,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Sageng,	Wilcox,
Hegnes,	Larson,	Orr,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Hopp,	Lee,	Peterson,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 3, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out in the 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st lines of Section 1 on page 1 of the original bill the following:

“and additional bonds to the amount of \$100,000.00 in par value for the purpose of defraying the cost of arching and covering any creek flowing in, through or across any lands or public highway in such city, including the straightening of such stream and acquiring of private property necessary for the making of such improvement.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 3, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 3.

Were read the second time.

H. F. No. 3, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll call being called, there were yeas 48, and nays
none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bloimgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Wilcox,
Callahan,	Hall,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to as amended.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Town and Counties, to
which was referred—

S. F. No. 118, A bill for an act to amend Section 64 of Chapter
235, Laws 1913, which section relates to the powers and duties
of town and county boards and the audit and payment of dam-
ages after the determination of an appeal in proceedings for the
establishment, alteration or vacation of public highways.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill
do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to
which was referred—

S. F. No. 137, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chap-
ter 499, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to regulation of em-
ployment and removals in Public Departments and upon Public
Works in the State of Minnesota, and the Counties, Cities and
Towns thereof, relating to State, Judicial, County, Township,
City and Town Officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill
do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to
which was referred—

S. F. No. 164, A bill for an act authorizing the County Board
of any county that has heretofore expended funds or incurred

indebtedness in the repair, deepening or changing the nature of any public ditch therein, or any branch thereof, to issue bonds therefor in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 172, A bill for an act entitled, An act amending Section 3107, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salary of the Clerk of the Poor Board.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 164, 172, 118 and 137.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hamer offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

“Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, that February 20th, 1918, at eleven o’clock a. m., be and the same hereby is fixed for proper memorial services to be held in the Senate Chamber in memory of the late Senator Robert C. Dunn from the 55th Senatorial District.

Be It Further Resolved, that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of five members of that body to take charge of appropriate ceremonies in honor of the deceased.”

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o’clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, January 28, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, January 27, 1919.

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist,

State Capitol, St. Paul.

Amendment to road act has been incorporated in Post Office appropriations bill. We will try and get an amendment to protect the State. We suggest for your consideration the following: Provided that where the constitution of any state prohibits the same from engaging upon internal improvements or from contracting public debts for extraordinary purposes in an amount insufficient to meet the monetary requirements of the act of July 11, 1916, or any

act amendatory thereof, or restricts annual tax levies for the purpose of constructing and improving roads and bridges, and where a constitutional alteration or amendment to overcome either or all of such prohibitions must be submitted to a referendum at a general election held biennially, the sum to which such state is entitled under the method of apportionment provided in the act of July 11, 1916, or any act amendatory thereof, shall be withdrawn by the Secretary of the Treasury from the principal fund appropriated by the act of January 11, 1916, or any act amendatory thereof, upon receipt of the certification of the governor of such state to the existence of either or all of said prohibitions, and such sum shall be carried by the secretary of the treasury as a separate fund for future disbursement as hereinafter provided. Provided further that when by referendum the constitutional alterations or amendments necessary to the enjoyment of the sum so withdrawn have been approved and ratified by any state, the secretary of the treasury upon receipt of certification from the governor of such state to such effect shall immediately make available to such state for the purposes set forth in the act of July 11, 1916, or any act amendatory thereof, the sum withdrawn as hereinbefore provided. Provided further that nothing herein shall be deemed to prevent any state from receiving such portion of said principal sum as is available under its existing constitution and laws.

Please wire us as soon as possible whether this in your opinion, meets the situation. What steps, if any, have been taken towards amendment of the state constitution and whether you have any plans to raise this money other than after constitutional amendment. The Department claims they are asking for the money to encourage internal improvements immediately on account of returning soldiers and the act provides that the soldiers shall be given preference. Please wire fully your views.

KNUTE NELSON.

FRANK B. KELLOGG.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sullivan moved that the communication received from United States Senators Nelson and Kellogg, and reported by the Secretary, be referred to the Committee on Public Highways, this committee to prepare an appropriate reply in the form of a joint resolution and submit same to the Senate for action.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 233, A bill for an act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made by foreign executors or administrators.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 234, A bill for an act to provide for an additional assistant attorney general.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Denegre and Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 235, A bill for an act to appropriate money for Sibley House Association for maintenance of Sibley House.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 236, A bill for an act creating a board for seed potato inspection and certification, providing penalties for the violation of such provisions and appropriating money for its use.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 237, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 303, Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1883 relating to the compensation of County Commissioners in Goodhue County, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 237, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 303, Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1883 relating to the compensation of County Commissioners in Goodhue County, Minnesota.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 237,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 237, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 303, Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1883 relating to the compensation of County Commissioners in Goodhue County, Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Nord and Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 238, A bill for an act to amend Section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the duties of the clerk of the County Board of Education of unorganized territory and providing for the publication of the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of such board.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 239, A bill for an act to provide whole family protection for members of fraternal benefit societies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 240, A bill for an act to appropriate money for shelving and other furnishings for the enlarged quarters of the State Library.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Finance introduced—

S. F. No. 241, A bill for an act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the state, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by forest fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 241, A bill for an act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the state, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by forest fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith.

Be read the second and third times, and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 241,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 241, A bill for an act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the state, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by forest fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 242, A bill for an act entitled, An act relating to street improvements in cities of the fourth class, and in villages, and to the payment of the cost thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Fowler (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 243, A bill for an act relating to the salary of the clerk of Probate Court, clerks, deputies, etc., of each county of this state then having, or which might hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand inhabitants or over.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 244, A bill for an act entitled, An act to appropriate money for the benefit of Thomas Murphy.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 245, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture, use and sale of oleomargarine, and to provide for license fees to be paid by manufacturers, wholesale and retail dealers, hotels, restaurants, dining or eating rooms, bakeries, and all other places where oleomargarine is sold or served to the public; and to prescribe penalties and punishments for violation of the provisions of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. Gillam introduced--

S. F. No. 246, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 273 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the levying of a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainment in public buildings or upon public grounds in incorporated villages.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 247, A bill for an act to provide for the elimination of certain lands from state forests.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 248, A bill for an act for the relief of the widow and dependents of Guy A. Riddle, private of Company A, Seventh Battalion, Minnesota Home Guard Motor Corps, on account of his death in forest fire relief work, near the city of Duluth, Minnesota, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 249, A bill for an act to promote the safety of employes by providing for certain qualifications before such employes shall be intrusted with the operation of dangerous machinery.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 250, A bill for an act entitled, An act for the partial relief of the people who lost their homes in northeastern Minnesota in the forest fires of October 12, 1918, and authorizing and appropriating money for relief work therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Guilford introduced--

S. F. No. 251, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 65 of the Gen-

eral Statutes of 1913, Minnesota, relating to registered land, upon the death of the owner thereof, and to provide for the transfer and administration thereof and to repeal Sections 6935 and 6936 of General Statutes 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Callahan and Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 252, A bill for an act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 79, A bill for an act to amend Section 5778, General Statutes 1913, relating to the fees of Grand and Petit Jurors.

H. F. No. 58, A bill for an act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of a felony.

H. F. No. 87, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of period of corporate existence of certain corporations whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporation made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 28, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 58, A bill for an act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of a felony.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 79, A bill for an act to amend Section 5778, General Statutes 1913, relating to the fees of grand and petit jurors.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 87, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of certain corporations, whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporations made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 32, A bill for an act to amend Section 1832, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913 (same being Section I, Chapter 197, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909) relating to taxation for fire department relief funds in cities and villages having less than 50,000 inhabitants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 159, A bill for an act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants, owning a hospital, to levy annually a tax of not exceeding one mill for the purpose of operating and maintaining such hospital.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 62, A bill for an act to authorize and empower the City Council of cities of this state of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof for defraying the cost of laying main trunk sewers, storm sewers, mak-

ing certain local improvements in intersections of streets and in front of property exempt by law from special assessments.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "authorized" in the nineteenth line of Section 1 of the typewritten bill the following words:

"Within six (6) months after passage of this act."

2. By striking out in the nineteenth line of Section 1 of the typewritten bill the words "a resolution" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "an ordinance."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 63, A bill for an act to amend Section 1427 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Section 6, of Chapter 343, of the General Laws of the year 1909, relating to the teacher's retirement fund in cities of the first class, as amended by Chapter 300 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 32, 159, 62 and 63,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Kingsbury offered the following resolution—

Resolved, that the Game and Fish Commissioner of Minnesota, be and hereby is instructed to furnish to the committee on game and fish of the Senate, within ten days after the adoption of this resolution, all the information in his possession pertaining to the awarding of contracts for the taking of fish from the lakes and streams of Minnesota, during the past four years, giving the names and addresses of the persons or corporations to whom said contracts were awarded, the kind of nets used, and the size of mesh, the amount of fish taken by each of said persons or corporations, under

their contract or contracts, the amount of money received from the sale of same, the amount paid to the state; and further, the amount received by the state for any fish taken and sold by the commissioner, or his deputies or agents, acting for the state, during the same period, and the disposition of all funds derived from the sale of the same.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Carley.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Sullivan in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President, having resumed the chair, Mr. Sullivan reported that the committee had considered—

S. F. Nos. 29 and 104.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 82, 100 and 23.

Which the committee reports progress.

And then, on motion of Mr. Sullivan, the report of the committee of the whole Senate was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock A. M., tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

Secretary of the Senate.
GEO. W. PEACHEY,

FOURTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, January 29, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Boylan was excused for today.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Game and Fish Committee (Messrs. Turnham, Handlan, Hopp, Kingsbury, Kuntz, McGarry, Van Hoven, Guilford and Swanson) introduced—

S. F. No. 253, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate and codify the laws of this State, relating to the preservation, protection and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish

Messrs. Kuntz and Bonniwell introduced—

S. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Section 4379 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter W54, Session Laws, 1915, relating to railroads.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1 of Section 1 of Chapter 138, Laws of 1915, relating to insurance corporations, describing the kind of business such corporations may transact and repealing Chapter 276, Laws of 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 256, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Kuntz introduced—

S. F. No. 257, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes, 1913, as amended 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Mr. Adams (for St. Louis County Delegation) introduced—

S. F. No. 258, A bill for an act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on County road work under the provisions of Chapter 182, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, in any county of this State now or hereafter having an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 259, A bill for an act appropriating money for the maintenance and care of Itasca State Park and Forest.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 2 of Section 3313, General Statutes 1913, regulating investment of the funds of domestic insurance companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 261, A bill for an act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to state, county and city depositories.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 262, A bill for an act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park and to regulate hunting and trapping therein and adjacent thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 263, A bill for an act to authorize the leasing of Douglas Lodge and certain other buildings in Itasca State Park.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Messrs. Hamer and Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 264, A bill for an act classifying telephone companies for purposes of taxation, providing the method by which the property of the companies in each class shall be taxed and fixing the rate of taxation for each class.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 265, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 156 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year

1917, the same being an act relating to sheriffs and their deputies and other assistants in counties containing not less than eighty congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000 and to the salaries and duties of such deputies and assistants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 266, A bill for an act to amend Sections 786, 787 and 788 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the surveying or subdividing of townships or sections.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 267, A bill for an act to repeal Sections 786 to 796, inclusive, of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the surveying or subdividing of townships or sections

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 268, A bill for act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their race, color, blood, descent or religious creed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 269, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compensate Silas L. Staples for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment, under the Surveyor General of the second district for the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Adams (for St. Louis County Delegation) introduced—

S. F. No. 270, A bill for an act to ratify and confirm the sale by the County Board of any county in this state and the purchase by any city of the first class operating under a charter adopted in pur-

suance to Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, of a portion of the Court House grounds located in such city and acquired by such county for a county court house, jail and court house grounds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 271, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 459, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

The Committee on Military Affairs introduced—

S. F. No. 272, A bill for an act providing for cooperation with the United States in the settlement of returned soldiers, sailors and marines, on State lands and lands acquired under this act; creating a soldier settlement board, defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 7, A bill for an act forbidding the use without permission, of motor vehicles and prescribing punishment therefor.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 28, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 7, A bill for an act forbidding the use without permission, of motor vehicles and prescribing punishment therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

MAJORITY REPORT.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Elections, submitted the following majority report:

STATE OF MINNESOTA.
In the Senate of Minnesota.

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN, Contestant,

—VS.—

W. W. WILCOX, Contestee.

The undersigned, majority of the Members of the Committee on Elections of the Senate of the State of Minnesota, Forty-first Session, to which was referred the contest proceedings above entitled, submit the following report:

At the General Election held November 5, 1918, Contestant George H. Sullivan and Contestee W. W. Wilcox were candidates for the office of State Senator from the Forty-third Legislative District composed of Washington County, Minnesota. The Canvassing Board of the County of Washington reported contestant received 1,756 votes and contestee received 1,799 votes for said office, an apparent majority in favor of contestee of forty-three votes. Said Canvassing Board, however, had no jurisdiction to determine the question of whether the votes cast in the precinct of Woodbury hereinafter referred to should be excluded on account of violation of the election laws by the judges and officials of said precinct. Contestee was given a certificate of election and has taken his seat in the Senate.

Within the time and manner prescribed by law Contestant George H. Sullivan instituted a contest for the said office for the reasons specified in his Notice of Contest, which reasons substantially are:

1. Violation of the election laws commonly known as the Corrupt Practices Act by W. W. Wilcox, Contestee, in knowingly publishing false statements of and concerning the Contestant, intending that such false statements should affect the voting at such election and which tended to affect voting at said election.

2. Violation of the election laws of this State by the election officials of Woodbury Township on election day whereby all of the judges and election officials in that precinct attempted to influence and did influence the voters of said precinct to vote against contestant and in favor of contestee, and in particular that said judges and election officials permitted a large number of circulars published by contestee and containing said false statements against contestant to be placed inside the polling room of said precinct upon a chair near the only door to said

room and so situated that said circulars were exhibited to each voter who came into the polling room during the whole day of election from the opening to the closing of the polls. Each voter entering said room had to pass so near to said circulars that he must have seen them and said circulars were picked up and dropped on the floor of said room so that in the afternoon and evening of election day the circulars were widely distributed over the floor of said election room. All of which occurred in the immediate presence of all of the judges and officials in charge of said election and with their actual knowledge, under such circumstances as to make it appear that the circulars were so placed and used with the acquiescence, consent, collusion and connivance of said judges and election officials who were all strong partisans of said contestee, thus violating one of the most important provisions of the election law designed to secure to the voter, to the candidates and to the public the most vital and fundamental essential of an election, a free and uninfluenced vote, and to prevent election officials from attempting to influence voters to vote for or against any candidate or measure and to secure purity and honesty of elections.

Testimony was taken before Justices of the Peace as provided by law and a record made of the same, which record was forwarded to this Senate and by it delivered to your committee for consideration and which record is herewith returned. This record has been printed and it will be observed from reading it that there is little or no conflict in the testimony. The facts are clear and practically beyond dispute. The law is likewise clear and positive. The real issue is whether the law shall be applied to the undisputed facts without regard to the results upon the parties interested, or whether the election laws designed to protect voters and the public and to secure purity in elections shall be disregarded in order to favor one of the parties to this contest.

A recount of the ballots was had in the contest proceedings which reduced the apparent majority of contestee to 35. This matter came on for hearing before your Committee on Wednesday afternoon, January 22, 1919, at two o'clock P. M., Hon. Albert Schaller, of Hastings, Minnesota, Wilson & Thoreen, of Stillwater, Minnesota, and Alfred P. Stolberg, of Center City, Minnesota, appearing for Contestant, and Thomas V. Sullivan and Charles W. Barnes, of St. Paul, Minnesota, appearing for Contestee.

After hearing counsel on both sides in said matter and after carefully reading said record and the authorities cited by counsel, the undersigned find the following facts relating to said contest and arrive at the following conclusions of law:

I.

That Contestant and Contestee were both candidates for the office of State Senator from the Forty-third Legislative District composed of Washington County, at a general election held November 5, 1918, and the County Canvassing Board made the following return:

Sullivan, 1,756.

Wilcox, 1,799.

On the recount the vote was as follows:

Sullivan, 1,751.

Wilcox, 1,786.

The vote by precincts shown by the original returns and recount are shown in Exhibit I attached to the printed record.

II.

Contestant was and for many years before election had been an attorney-at-law practicing as such at Stillwater, Minnesota, and was well known as a lawyer throughout the district. On October 30, 1918, Contestee published an advertisement in the Stillwater Messenger, a newspaper printed and circulated in the City of Stillwater and throughout said district, which advertisement is Exhibit "A" of the record, a copy of which follows:

FROM THE STILLWATER MESSENGER, OCT. 30, 1918.

STOP!

LOOK!

READ!

then on Nov. 5th vote for

W. W. WILCOX

for

State Senator from Washington County.

The candidate of all the people.

My interests are your interests and if elected I will endeavor to watch for and safeguard the interests of all the people, not merely the interests of the favored few.

Twelve years ago George H. Sullivan, attorney for the Twin City Rapid Transit Company was elected to represent the people of Washington County in the state senate.

It is up to you, Mr. Voter to judge for yourself whether George Sullivan has represented Washington County or the half hundred corporations for which he is agent and attorney and who pay him for his services.

Study his record on all the important measures in the Senate in the past twelve years and see if he has not been a pretty faithful servant of the corporations.

He favored a bill to take away from the cities and towns the right to control their public utilities; in 1915 he fought for the Street Railway bill to tighten their grip on the city of Minneapolis. He voted against the bill to require railroads to pay workmen twice a month. He opposed the tonnage tax, the Railroad Distance Tariff bill, Equal Suffrage, State Wide Primary, popular election of U. S. Senators, and the initiative, referendum and recall.

Foreign corporations doing business in Minnesota for which George H. Sullivan is the accredited agent and attorney.

See Secretary of State's office for this list:

Name of corporation	Address	Am't of Capital Stock
Air Reduction Sales Co.	Delaware	25,000
Albany Paper Wrapping Co.	Albany	120,000
American Bridge Co.	Jersey City	70,000,000
American Cranberry Exchange.	Jersey City	50,000
Am. Steel & Wire Co.	Jersey City	90,000,000
Am. Tire & Rubber Co.	Chicago	25,000
Artercraft Fixtures Cor.	Millbrook, N. Y.	100,000
Art Metal Construction Co.	Boston	2,142,000
Atlas Portland Cement Co.	North Hampton, Pa.	500,000
Bearings Service Co.	Wilmington, Del.	100,000
Booth Cold Storage Co.	St. Louis, Mo.	50,000
Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co.	New Jersey	7,500,000
Consolidated Millinery Co.	Chicago	100,000
Davis-Watkins Dairyman's Supply Co., Del.		4,500,000
Elite Pattern Service Inc.	Manhattan, N. Y.	5,000
Famous Players-Lasky Cor.	Millbrook, N. Y.	4,754,819
Franklin Automobile Co.	Syracuse, N. Y.	400,000
Geo. A. Fuller Co.	Jersey City	300,000
Husch Bros.	Portland, Me.	2,500
H. Koppers Co.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	1,500,000
Illinois Steel Co.	Chicago	50,000,000
Illinois Steel Ware house Co.	Chicago	100,000

Name of corporation	Address	Am't of Capital Stock
Interstate Inv't & Holding Co.	Wilmington, Del.	200,000
Jas. E. Sipes & Co.	Wilmington, Del.	170,000
Jas. Stewart & Co., Inc.	New York	100,000
Lehigh Valley Coal Sales Co.	Jersey City	10,00,000
Leonard Construction Co.	Chicago	50,000
Linde Air Products Co.	Cleveland	5,750,000
Louis K. Liggett Co.	Boston	5,722,000
Maxwell Motor Sales Co.	Wilmington	10,000
Miami Corporation	Wilmington	1,300,000
M. Samuels Co.	Wilmington	2,400,000
Nat. Analine & Chem. Co.	West, N. Y.	20,000,000
National City Co. N. Y.	New York	10,000,000
National Mileage Co.	Chicago	10,000
Parex Film Co.	New York	1,000
Pittsburgh Filter Mfg. Co.	Pittsburgh	150,000
Pittsburgh Valve Foundry Co.	Pittsburgh	1,150,000
Purity Coal Co.	Chicago	10,000
Ramapo Ore Co.	Manhattan	10,000
Remington Typewriter Co.	Wilmington	100,000
Republic Rubber Co.	Youngstown, O.	2,500,000
Saule Products Co.	Wilmington	500,000
Select Pictures Co.	Millbrook, N. Y.	5,000
Sinclair Refining Co.	Portland, Me.	8,000,000
Stenotype Co.	Wilmington	1,750,000
Stewart-Warner Speed Co.		11,000,000
S. S. Kresage Co.	Detroit	12,000,000
Triangle Distributing Cor.	Scarsdales, N. Y.	1,000,000
United Cigar Stores Co.	Chicago	60,000
United Cigars Store of Am.	Jersey City	35,000,000
United Motor Service Inc.	Wilmington	50,000
United Theater Equipment Co.	Wilmington	3,000,000
United States Rubber Co.	New Brunswick	120,000,000
Universal Stenotype Co.	Wilmington	1,500,000
Unicorn Film Service Co.	Rochester, N. Y.	15,000,000
Vacuum Oil Co.	Rochester, N. Y.	15,000,000
Vitagraph-Lubin-Selig-Essenay, Inc.		500,000
V. O. Hammon Pub. Co.	Wilmington	100,000
Walter M. Lowney Co.	Boston	500,000
World Special Films Cor.	New York	50,000

Total Capitalization\$516,162,569

How can he represent the people of Washington County?
On your ballot Nov. 5th. Look for the three W's.

Prepared for and issued by W. W. Wilcox, White Bear Lake, Minn., candidate for State Senator from Washington County.

III.

Contestant thereupon sent out a reply circular, Exhibit "H," to the effect that the statement in Exhibit "A" that he was the attorney for the 61 foreign corporations in the list therein, was made for the purpose of making the voters believe that he was the legal counsel and attorney in legal proceedings for such corporations for the purpose of prejudicing voters against him; that such statement in Exhibit "A" was false and made with intent to deceive the voters; that he was not and never had been at any time the attorney-at-law for any of the corporations named in the list in court proceedings or in any other manner, and that many of the other statements in Exhibit "A" were equally misleading; that the records of the Secretary of State did not show any information in respect to the matter such as Exhibit "A" stated. And attached to such circular was a copy of a certificate by the Secretary of State to the effect that his records did not show that contestant was the lawyer, legal counsel or attorney for any of the corporations named in the list contained in Exhibit "A." A true copy of Exhibit "H" follows:

EXHIBIT "H."

Stillwater, Minn., October 29, 1918.

To the Voters of Washington County:

In a political advertisement inserted in the Stillwater Messenger of October 30th by W. W. Wilcox, of White Bear Lake, the statement is made that I am the attorney for sixty-one foreign corporations. This statement is made for the purpose of making the voters of this county believe that I am the legal counsel and attorney in legal proceedings for the corporations named for the purpose of prejudicing the voters against me. The reader of the advertisement is referred to the office of the Secretary of State for verification of the list.

Such statement is essentially false and is made with intent to deceive the voters. If I were the lawyer or attorney at law for any of the companies named the place to find out the truth would be in the records of the courts of Minnesota. Everybody knows this, and this cheap attempt to deceive will not fool anyone who

will inquire of the clerks of the various courts of Minnesota, nor will it fool anyone who will inquire at the office of the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State has nothing to do with lawyers or lists of lawyers or lawyers for companies or individuals.

The fact is that I am not now and never have been at any time the attorney at law for any one of the corporations named in said list either in any court proceeding or in any other manner as a lawyer. Many of the other statements in the advertisement are equally misleading.

I refer you to the statement of Julius Schmahl, Secretary of State, a copy of which follows:

This is an attempt made by Wilcox to avoid meeting the real questions before the American people relative to the war and the Nonpartisan League. What has he done? What does he intend doing? What about Townley, LeSeuer and the Nonpartisan league. Is he still a member of that organization? Will Townley control him or does he repudiate the league.

His advertisement says nothing about these vital things which loyal Americans want to know about.

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

St. Paul, Minnesota, October 30, 1918.

To Whom It May Concern:

My attention has been called to a political advertisement in the Stillwater Messenger of October 30, 1918, inserted by W. W. Wilcox of White Bear Lake, which sets forth a list of the names of sixty-one foreign corporations and states that George H. Sullivan is the attorney for all of them, and refers to my office for verification of the statement. I have no records in my office showing that Mr. Sullivan is the lawyer, legal counsel or attorney at law for any of the corporations named in the list contained in said advertisement. I have no records in my office as Secretary of State or otherwise pertaining to lists of attorneys at law, lawyers or legal counsel for any persons, partnerships, corporations or foreign corporations. All records as to attorneys at law, lawyers and legal counsel will be found in the offices of the clerks of the various courts of the state and absolutely nothing pertaining to such matter is of record in my office.

JULIUS SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

The Contestee received a copy of the Sullivan circular, Exhibit "H" on Saturday, November 2, 1918, and directed his mother to go to St. Paul to consult with Charles W. Barnes, one of the managers of the Nonpartisan League and one of the counsel who argued this matter for Contestee before this Committee, and have an answer prepared. Pursuant to such instructions Barnes, with the co-operation of C. J. Buell, prepared a circular, being Exhibit "B" of the record, a copy of which follows:

SULLIVAN AND SCHMAHL QUIBBLE.

Try to Deceive the Voters.

Section 6206 of Minnesota General Statutes provides that all Foreign Corporations doing business in Minnesota must file with the Secretary of State a copy of the appointment of their agent. The word attorney does not appear in the statute but the agent is attorney in fact though the appointment may simply designate an agent.

Sullivan dare not make affidavit that he is not the accredited agent of these corporations in Minnesota and that his appointment is not a matter of record in the office of the Secretary of State. Notice how both Sullivan and Schmahl avoid using the term agent and emphasize the words attorney, lawyer, etc.

Sullivan's name is filed with the Secretary of State as the agent of these corporations. Does anybody doubt that he is attorney in fact whether the filing papers so indicate or not?

"Section 6206 of Minn. Gen. Statutes.—OFFICE AND AGENT IN STATE. Every foreign corporation for pecuniary profit, before it shall be authorized or permitted to transact any business in this state, or to continue business herein if already established, or to acquire, hold, or dispose of property within this state, or to sue or maintain any action at law or otherwise in any of the courts in this state, shall have and maintain a public office or place in this state for the transaction of its business, and shall appoint an agent, who shall reside in the county in which said public office is located, duly authorized to accept service of process, and upon whom service of process may be had in any action to which said corporation may be a party; and service upon such agent shall be due and personal service upon such corporation. An authenticated copy of the appointment of such agent shall be filed with the secretary of state, and a certified copy thereof shall be prime facie evidence of the appointment and authority of such agent."

State of Minnesota, County of Ramsey—ss.

C. J. Buell, first being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the author of the histories of the Minnesota Legislature of 1913-1915-1917; that in this capacity he is frequently called upon to furnish facts regarding the records of members of the Senate and House of Representatives; that somewhere about a month ago he was requested to examine the records in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota and report the Foreign Corporations doing business in the State of Minnesota, for which said corporations, Senator Geo. H. Sullivan of Washington county, is the regularly accredited agent for purposes of receiving legal service: that he made such an examination and found that said Geo. H. Sullivan is the regularly accredited agent of the list of Foreign Corporations hereto attached.

C. J. BUELL.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Ramsey, this 2nd day of November, 1918.

H. G. TEIGEN,

Notary Public, Ramsey County.

(Notarial Seal)

My commission expires Feb. 6, 1925.

State of Minnesota, County of Ramsey—ss.

Joseph E. Hennessy, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that the attached list of foreign corporations for which the name of George H. Sullivan of Stillwater, Minnesota, appears in the files of the Secretary of State of Minnesota, as the accredited agent, has been checked and verified this Second day of November, 1918.

JOSEPH E. HENNESSY,

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, on the Second day of November, one thousand nine hundred eighteen.

G. K. SPANGENBERG,

Notary Public, Ramsey County, Minn.

(Notarial Seal)

My commission expires March 11, 1922.

Saint Paul Daily News sustains Wilcox—The following was printed on page 8 of Daily News, Saturday, November 2nd:

"Their Legal Representative.—Investigation Saturday of these records shows that some 64 foreign corporations, including those in question, officially designated Sen. Sullivan as their agent and legal representative in this capacity. Four of these corporations are shown to have since withdrawn this designation.

"The records conclusively show that Mr. Sullivan is the designated representative of the corporations, but do not bear upon the

question of whether he actually represents them in court proceedings."

Prepared and issued by and for W. W. Wilcox, White Bear Lake, Minn. (Union Label)

Ten thousand of these Circulars Exhibit "B" were printed Saturday night and distributed Sunday, Monday and Election Day, as hereinafter set forth.

IV.

In his Notice of Contest the Contestant specified that Exhibits "A" and "B" were false substantially in the following particulars:

That in and by said advertisement and the statements set forth in Exhibit "A" and in Exhibit "B" said Contestee W. W. Wilcox intended to charge and did charge and intended the readers of said advertisement and the voters of said district to understand * * * that this Contestant was then and there employed by each of the corporations set forth in said lists in Exhibits "A" and "B" * * * as the attorney-at-law of each of said corporations and as the lawyer of said companies and each of them, and each of them paid said Contestant for services rendered as the attorney and lawyer of each of said companies.

Said Notice of Contest did not challenge the truth of the statements contained in said Exhibits "A" and "B" that Contestant was the statutory agent for certain of the corporations named in the list contained in each of said Exhibits "A" and "B," but did challenge said statements as to the following named corporations:

American Bridge Company, Jersey City.....	\$70,000,000.00
American Steel and Wire Co., Jersey City.....	90,000,000.00
Consolidated Millinery Co., Chicago.....	100,000.00
Husch Bros., Portland, Me.....	2,500.00
Illinois Steel Warehouse Co., Chicago.....	100,000.00
Illinois Steel Co., Chicago.....	50,000,000.00
National Analine & Chemical Co., West, N. Y.....	20,000,000.00
Remington Typewriter Co., Wilmington.....	100,000.00
Saute Products Company, Wilmington.....	500,000.00
United Cigar Stores Co., Chicago.....	60,000.00
V. O. Hammon Pub. Co., Wilmington.....	100,000.00
Walter M. Lowney Co., Boston.....	500,000.00

And as to each of said corporations last named, Contestant alleged that he was not their agent nor connected with any of them in any way, and Contestant also alleged in said Notice of Contest that said statements contained in said advertisement Exhibit "A" were also

false in so far as the same stated and charged with reference to his contestant as follows:

"In 1915 he fought for the street railways bill to tighten their grip on the City of Minneapolis. He opposed the State Wide Primary, popular election of U. S. Senators" and in the statement: "George Sullivan has represented half a hundred corporations (meaning the corporations named in the list contained in said advertisement) for which he is agent and attorney and who pay him for his services."

V.

The testimony is conclusive and we find that the statements in Exhibits "A" and "B" that Sullivan was the statutory agent or attorney or in any manner connected with the following named corporations:

American Bridge Co., Jersey City.....	\$70,000,000.00
American Steel & Wire Co., Jersey City.....	90,000,000.00
Booth Cold Storage Co., St. Louis, Mo.....	50,000.00
Husch Bros., Portland, Me.....	2,500.00
Illinois Steel Warehouse Co., Chicago.....	100,000.00
Walter M. Lowney Co., Boston.....	500,000.00
Remington Typewriter Co., Wilmington.....	100,000.00
Saute Products Corporation, Wilmington.....	500,000.00
Universal Stenotype Co., Wilmington.....	1,500,000.00
Union Typewriter Co., New York.....	20,000,000.00
V. O. Hammon Pub. Co., Wilmington.....	100,000.00
United Cigar Stores Co., Chicago.....	60,000.00
Artcraft Pictures Corp., Millbrook, N. Y.....	100,000.00
United Profit Sharing Corp., Wilmington.....	350,000.00

was wholly false and untrue and that said Barnes, Buell and Contestee knew or should have known that said statements were false when the same were so published.

The testimony is likewise conclusive and we find that Contestant was not and never had been the attorney-at-law, lawyer or legal counsel for any of the foreign corporations named in the lists thereof in Exhibits "A" and "B" and in so far as they charged either directly or indirectly that Sullivan was the attorney for said corporations in the sense that he was their lawyer or legal counsel or represented them in any way except as a mere statutory agent for the service of process, said exhibits were wholly false and untrue.

We find that Exhibit A, so far as reference is made to contestant as attorney for the various corporations therein named, was

intended to and did convey to the voters of Washington County the meaning that contestant was the attorney at law for such corporations, and that in the publication and circulation of Exhibit B among the voters of Washington County the contestee reiterated the various charges contained in Exhibit A in so far as Exhibit A falsely charged contestant with being the attorney or lawyer of the corporations therein named. Such republication of said false charges by contestee after he had been clearly advised by contestant's Exhibit H that said charges were wholly false and without any truth whatsoever, and that the records of the Secretary of State did not show any such facts and being made without any personal investigation by contestee to ascertain the truth, although contestee could easily have learned the truth by consulting the records of the Secretary of State was, therefore, maliciously and wilfully done with intent on the part of contestee to deceive the voters of said County for the purpose of prejudicing them to vote against contestant and in favor of contestee. Contestee's action in so doing was utterly and wholly inexcusable and reckless and showed a malicious disregard of the truth, and that, in our judgment, this constitutes a most serious, deliberate, material and substantial violation of the Corrupt Practices Act. The claim that contestee acted in good faith, believing such statement so published was true is the merest sham and pretense which can deceive no one at all familiar with the record.

That the statements contained in Exhibit "A" that "in 1915 he voted for the street railway bill to tighten their grip on the City of Minneapolis. * * * He opposed the State Wide Primary, popular election of U. S. Senators" were unfair and misleading because the bill referred to, being Chapter 124, Laws of 1915, provided that no franchise should be of any validity or effect whatever unless approved by a majority of the people of Minneapolis voting thereon, and because while the contestant opposed some bills providing for State Wide Primary in the years prior to 1912, he voted for the State Wide Primary Bill passed at the Special Session of 1912, and because while Contestant prior to 1912 had voted against certain bills providing for the nomination of candidates for United States Senator at a state wide primary, yet in 1912 said Contestant voted for the joint resolution ratifying the amendment to the United States Constitution providing for the election of United States Senators by the people.

We find that the statement that "George Sullivan has represented the half hundred corporations for which he is agent and attorney who pay him for his services" as contained in said Exhibit "A" in the following form:

"It is up to you, Mr. Voter, to judge for yourself whether George Sullivan has represented Washington County or the half hundred corporations for which he is agent and attorney and who pay him for his services."

although not in the form of a direct statement, contains the insinuation, innuendo and suggestion that Contestant represented the foreign corporations mentioned in Exhibit "A" as their agent and attorney and also represented them in the State Senate instead of the people of Washington County, and that as to such statements, innuendos and suggestions the same are and each of them is wholly false and untrue.

That no testimony whatever was offered by the Contestee, nor was any attempt made by him to prove the truth of any of the false statements herein found to be false or challenged by Contestant's Notice of Contest herein. And we find that all of said false statements were knowingly published by Contestee and were made by Contestee with knowledge of their falsity or with the means of such knowledge easily within reach of Contestee, and that apparently no effort was made by Contestee personally to investigate the truth thereof before publishing the same; and that his agents, Buell and Barnes, who furnished him with such information knew the same was false. We find that all of said false statements were made with intent by Contestee to affect voting at said election and with intent to prejudice the voters of Washington County against Contestant. That said false statements tended to and did affect voting at said election and tended to and did prejudice voters against Contestant at said election, and undoubtedly the publication and circulation of said false statements deprived Contestant of a large number of votes which otherwise would have been cast in favor of Contestant. This is of special importance upon the merits of this contest for the reason that if said false statements only prejudiced 18 voters to vote against contestant, who otherwise were favorable to contestant, then such false statements were responsible for the defeat of Contestant and the election of Contestee.

We further find that the publication of said false statements contained in Exhibits "A" and "B" constitutes a deliberate, ma-

terial, serious and substantial violation of Section 573 G. S. 1913, and of the Corrupt Practices Act, as defined by our Supreme Court in the cases of:

Olsen v. Billberg, 129 Minn. 160.

Hawley v. Wallace, 137 Minn. 183.

In the latter case the Court said:

"The statute is directed against false statements relative to facts. It is not intended to prevent criticism of candidates for office nor to prevent deductions and arguments from their official conduct unfavorable to them. It does not reach criticism which is merely unfair or unjust. It does reach false statements of specific facts. Many of the statements contained in this pamphlet were not untrue and many were not legally objectionable. There was a skeleton of truth in connection with nearly all of them, for Hawley was a member of the council and was concerned in the transactions of which the pamphlet purported to give an account. The charge throughout was that Hawley had been dishonest and unfaithful in the conduct of his office. No one could have misunderstood it. It was more than an insinuation. It was not all innuendo. There were direct statements and charges of fact. In so far as the charges exceeded criticism and were statements of specific acts of wrongdoing they were false statements of fact. They were intended to affect voting at the election and naturally tended to that result, and they were not trivial or unimportant but were deliberate, serious and material within the meaning of Sections 599 and 600. They were fully as much within the condemnation of the statute as those considered and held forbidden in Olsen v. Billberg, 129 Minn. 160, 151 N. W. 550."

The false statements complained of by contestant herein clearly fall within the class of false statements reviewed in the two cases just cited.

It appears from the testimony of Contestee himself (found on pages 19 to 25 Record) that George Noltimier was to attend to the distribution of Exhibit "B" in the southern part of the county and that the distribution of the same was directed by contestee from his own home, as to the northern part of the county, and from this it appears that it was distributed in the following precincts with the results following:

Afton Town	Sullivan	47	Wilcox	85
Afton Village	"	15	"	23
Oakdale	"	82	"	101

Woodbury	Sullivan	26	Wilcox	149
Newport Town	"	68	"	61
Newport Village	"	31	"	32
Cottage Grove	"	46	"	75
Denmark	"	27	"	42
Forest Lake Town.....	"	46	"	84
New Scandia	"	43	"	193
Oneka	"	57	"	63
Grant—First Precinct	"	52	"	39
Grant—Second Precinct	"	48	"	51

And the same was not distributed in the following precincts with the results following:

Town of May	Sullivan	69	Wilcox	46
Marine Village	"	41	"	27
Village of Hugo	"	40	"	10
Village of Forest Lake.....	"	76	"	40
City of Stillwater	"	711	"	449

It therefore appears that where the circulars were distributed Contestee had a majority and where not distributed the Contestant had a majority of the votes cast. Charles W. Barnes, one of the counsel who argued this matter before the committee, expressed the opinion that Exhibit "B" had the effect of beating Sullivan. (Pages 152-7 Record.)

These matters are referred to as significant evidence of the fact that the false statements in these circulars tended to affect voting and actually had that result.

The best evidence of the prejudicial character of the circulars appears by inspection of the same and no one with any political experience will seriously dispute the proposition that these false statements did constitute, as found by the committee, a serious, deliberate, material and substantial violation of the Corrupt Practices Act, for the commission of which by a successful candidate, for any office except that of member of the legislature, the statute provides for forfeiture of his office by judgment of ouster by the district court. The only reason the statute does not so provide in the case of members of the legislature is because of the provision in the Constitution which makes each House the sole judge of the election returns and eligibility of its own members and hence no statute could authorize any court to take jurisdiction of a cause involving the election or forfeiture of office of a member of the legislature. But this committee is of the opinion that the law is intended to gov-

ern the conduct of candidates to each House of the Legislature and that the law applicable to candidates for other offices should be applied to candidates for the Legislature by the House having jurisdiction thereof.

VI.

MISCONDUCT OF ELECTION JUDGES AND OFFICIALS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WOODBURY.

Before proceeding directly to what happened on election day in this precinct, the admitted facts and circumstances surrounding the same should be examined. It appears without contradiction or dispute that the three judges of election, Kruse, Rode and Bielenburg, were all members of the Nonpartisan League, of which organization Contestee was a member; that Fritze and Bach, two of the constables, were also members of the same organization, and that all of these officials, except Bach, had been actively engaged in circulating Exhibit "B" on Sunday and Monday prior to election; that circular Exhibit "B," to the number of between 3,000 and 4,000, was taken to the home of one Biebighauser, in Woodbury, on Sunday by George Noltimeir, who was authorized so to do by Contestee, for distribution therein and in the other towns in the southern part of the county; that although Contestant examined all persons as witnesses who were shown to have received Exhibit "B" for distribution, such examination resulted in only accounting for less than 1,000 thereof. That according to the testimony of all such persons and all the election officials they all appeared to be unwilling witnesses anxious to say anything in favor of Contestee and testifying with great reluctance to anything in favor of Contestant.

Kruse, one of the election judges, on Monday before election had a large quantity of circulars Exhibit "B," part of which he distributed and the remainder of which, according to his testimony, remained unaccounted for.

On the morning of election the janitor opened the town house, built a fire an hour and a half or two hours before the polls opened and none of the circulars "Exhibit B" was in such town house. When Kruse and Bothe, judge and clerk of election respectively, arrived at the town house they testified they saw a bundle of the circulars Exhibit "B" on a chair just inside the front and only door of the town house, in such a conspicuous place that each voter upon entering the town house had to pass nearby the chair where he could not help but see the circulars thereon and be attracted by the large type of the headlines thereof. This bundle of circulars is described

by election judge Bielenburg as a stack of circulars two or three inches high. The record is conclusive that this bundle of circulars remained in the election room practically in the presence of the judges and other election officials during the whole day of election, from the time the polls opened until the polls closed; that they were not disturbed or cast out by any of the election officials, but that along in the evening they had become to a large extent scattered and distributed over the floor of the election room indicating that they had been picked up from time to time by the voters as they passed by and later dropped to the floor. About 4:30 o'clock P. M., election day Contestant came into the town house and called the attention of the judges of election to the fact that his opponent's literature was in the election room but nothing was done toward removing them by the officials or anyone. The record is conclusive as to these matters and it is undisputed that these circulars so remained in the election polls all day with the actual knowledge and the apparent acquiescence and consent of all of the elections judges and officials. All of such officials being aware of the presence and use of the circulars from the time each one arrived at the town house in the morning until the polls closed at night, none of them having objected nor done anything toward removing them, it is obvious that they were aware of the purpose for which the circulars were placed and used there. It is also apparent that the person who placed the circulars there must have had some intimation from the election officials or some reliable source that the elections officials would not object to or prevent the use of the circulars that was made of them there that day.

All the circumstances irresistibly point to the conclusion that there was collusion on the part of the election officials with the person who put the circulars in the election room and indicate that there was a common understanding among the election officials that these circulars should be allowed to remain in the election room under the circumstances stated and to be exhibited and circulated in the manner stated for the purpose of influencing all of the voters who came into the election room that day to vote against the Contestant and in favor of Contestee.

The foregoing facts and circumstances which are proved beyond doubt by the uncontradicted admissions of unwilling witnesses who participated therein, shows a serious and deliberate violation of the election law which was designed to secure purity of elections and to prevent any person or persons, but more especially election judges and officials, on election day, and particularly within the election

room itself, from doing any act or thing by any means whatever, whether by language, oral or written, or otherwise, to attempt to influence any voter as to how his vote should be cast.

Sections 580 and 615 G. S. 1913 absolutely prohibit the circulation on election day of any campaign literature of any kind and prohibit soliciting or electioneering of any character within 100 feet of the polls and prohibit every judge, clerk or official of election, or any other person within any polling place, or within 100 feet thereof, from in any manner attempting to induce any person to vote or refrain from voting in any particular way and provide for punishing all violations thereof. The object of these statutes and other provisions of the law is to secure to the voter the opportunity to cast his vote without being approached by any kind of influence in any manner, oral, written or otherwise, by any means or from any source whatever. The statute is especially designed to secure the voter from every attempt on the part of election officials to influence his judgment or his vote. The law also intends that the election shall be held in a fair and impartial manner on the part of election officials so that no candidate shall be prejudiced by any action of the election officials. The law is designed to secure to the public the advantage of having the free, untrammelled judgment of the voter expressed in his vote instead of the judgment of some third person or election official, and so it provides for excluding all extraneous influence of whatsoever character.

Can there be any doubt in any unbiased mind that the circumstances disclosed by the record clearly show that the letter and spirit of the above statutes governing elections was clearly violated by all of the judges and election officials in the precinct of Woodbury on election day? All of the members of the committee agreed in the discussion of this question that the law had been violated, but some of the members of the minority were of the opinion that the violation of the law in Woodbury precinct was not of such a serious nature as to require the exclusion of the votes from that precinct. But in our view this violation of the law was of the most serious character in respect to the abuse by election officials of their official positions for the purpose of influencing voters, which is the very evil the law was designed to prevent. The language of Section 615 is directed especially against attempts by judges and election officials to influence voters. It was passed in view of the well known corrupt practices which existed in former days when in some precincts the judges and election officials practically controlled the voters of their precincts by well known methods of influencing

voters. This abuse was so great that, as some courts expressed it, the judges and clerks of election in some instances came to look upon the votes of their precincts as their personal property to be disposed of according to their own desires.

We are of the opinion that if violations of the election law of this character are permitted and not rebuked and punished in the most effective way it will put a premium upon such conduct and invite its repetition in future elections. If we fail to effectively punish this character of fraud and corruption at elections, what will be the result? We might just as well repeal all of the laws on our statute books designed to secure purity and freedom of elections. The law intends that not more than two of the judges should be from the same political party and the purpose of this law was to prevent a combination and conspiracy among the judges in favor of or opposed to any candidate or measure.

We have examined with care the law upon the question of when and under what circumstances the return from a precinct should be rejected. We find a large number of decisions of courts of the highest authority to the effect that where in any precinct there has been any unlawful influence permitted or found to have been exercised upon the voters generally that this amounts to so destroying the purity of the election in respect to the actual votes cast that the entire returns must be rejected because it is impossible to determine the effect upon such votes of the unlawful and forbidden influence whatever it may be.

Freeman v. Lazarus, 61 Ark. 247.

In this case one of the judges distributed tracts for the purpose of influencing voters. The Court said:

"From these and other provisions of the statutes is plainly evident the intention of the legislature to free voters from all extraneous influencing and to make his ballot an expression of his own will.
* * * But the legislature, by language which can admit of neither controversy nor doubt, has forbidden these officials from doing anything whatever that should in any way influence the elector in casting his ballot."

The Court quoted McCrary on Elections as follows:

"There is a difference between fraud committed by officers or with their knowledge and connivance and a fraud committed by other persons in this: The former is ordinarily fatal to the returns while the latter is not fatal unless it appear that it render doubtful or change the result."

In Sproule v. Fredericks, 11 So. 472 (Miss.)

Where there was proof of collusion among the election officials for the purpose of influencing votes, the Court said:

"The law is not designed to make the electors mere creatures for registering the will and choice of the officers of election."

Board v. Dill, 110 Pac. 1107 (Okla.)

One Boucher substituted for one of the judges of election without being sworn and went into the booth to assist the voters and marked ballots for a number of illiterates. The precinct was thrown out because of the plain violation of the law with relation to the secrecy of the ballot.

Allen v. Griffith, 169 S. W. 1003. (Ky.)

Voters marked ballots openly on the table and the side of the booth was exposed, destroying secrecy. For failure to swear voters as to their disability to vote the returns from the precinct were rejected. The Court said:

"It is settled that ballots voted openly by voters not sworn are illegal and cannot be counted. It is the rule to purge the election of such illegal votes where the number is small and it is reasonably certain for whom they were cast. Where the number is large and there is uncertainty as to the precise number and as to the persons for whom the vote is cast, the precinct must be thrown out."

The Court further says:

"But whether done intentionally or through ignorance where more than enough votes to affect the result were cast * * * in open violation of law, this is not a case of mere irregularity. Had such voters been permitted to vote properly the result may have been different. They may have been influenced by the very fact that it was clearly known for whom they were voting. * * * Such an election is not the result of the popular will."

Whaley v. Thomason, 93 S. W. 212 (Texas.)

This was a local option election. The wets won by 40 votes and disbursed liquors and cigars on election day. The judges failed to prevent electioneering and it was held this avoided the election. The Court said:

"A pure untrammelled ballot is of far more importance than the success or failure of any measure."

Attorney General v. McQuade, 94 Mich. 439, 54 N. W. 944.

The result turned upon a vote in a certain precinct. In this

precinct 13 ballots were received from voters who were not registered, also ballots were received of 75 voters who had shown their ballots after being marked. After discussing the statute requiring secrecy and registration and holding them mandatory, the Court said:

"These provisions of the law must be held mandatory or else the purpose of the law is defeated and the opportunities for fraud are increased rather than diminished. If an inspector or other persons be permitted to enter the booths with the voters the danger is far greater than under the old system, where there was some opportunity to see and detect fraud. Under this practice venal voting could be readily accomplished. The law is designed to secure absolute secrecy to the elector, and thus prevent all opportunity for corrupt practices."

"The law does not permit parties to profit by such frauds, though they may not have participated in the fraud."

The Court here quote from Paine on Elections and McCrary on Elections as follows:

"When fraud on the part of the officers of election is established, the poll will not be rejected, unless it shall prove to be impossible to purge it of the fraud. When the result at a poll, as shown by the returns, is false and fraudulent, and it is impossible to ascertain the actual vote from the other evidence in the case, the vote of such poll must be wholly rejected." Paine, *Elect.* §499; McCrary, *Elect.* §§190, 192.

Citing a large number of cases.

The Court approve the following language in Mann's case, 2 Phila. 320:

"Where the conduct of election officers is such as to destroy the integrity of their returns, and to avoid their *prima facie* character, due and adequate proof must be produced of each vote relied on by the respondent."

And the Court also approves the following language in Heyron v. Mahoney, 9 Mont. 497, 24 Pac. 93:

"Fraud does not invalidate the legal votes cast, but, by destroying the presumption of the correctness of the returns, it makes it necessary that any person who claims any benefit from the votes shall prove them; and, where no proof is offered, and the frauds are of such a character that the correct vote cannot be determined, the return of the precinct will be rejected." 6 Amer. & Eng. Enc. Law, 353.

In Jones v. Glidewell, 63 Ark. 161, 13 S. W. 723.

"The entire vote was rejected because certain voters were intimidated by being compelled either to show their ballots or be ostracised by others. * * *

If these provisions are held directory only, it follows that the intent of the people to pass a law to preserve the purity of elections is defeated, and the statute instead provides such means to protect and cover up corruption and venality."

In re Cramer's Election, 93 Atl. 937 (Pa.)

The Court rejected the returns from a precinct because the provisions of the election law were disregarded, requiring the election room and booth to be so constructed that persons would be excluded from mingling with the voters and of having an opportunity to influence them, and although no actual fraud or undue influence was shown, saying: "That the statute was passed to prevent fraud in the first instance and its requirements were mandatory."

The case of Attorney General, ex rel Harwood, v. Stillson, 108 Mich. 419, 66 N. W. 388, is strikingly similar in principle to the contest under consideration. In that case the election officials permitted one Karnemaat, who was opposed to the election of the relator, to act as interpreter, there being about 150 Hollanders in the precinct. He was permitted to remain throughout the day within the railing of the polling place and to freely converse with the electors before they voted, in the Holland language. No one requested an interpreter nor was he called upon to act as such. The Court said there were two questions to be determined:

"1. Were the ballots of such voters as Karnemaat conversed with void, so that they should have been excluded?

"2. If so, inasmuch as it cannot be ascertained how they voted, should the vote of the township have been excluded from the canvass?"

After calling attention to the rule that mere irregularities not affecting the result would not reject the returns, the court says:

"On the other hand, where fraud appears upon the part of the inspectors, the voter must sometimes be deprived of his vote. Attorney General v. McQuade, 94 Mich. 439. And this must always be the case where mandatory provisions are disregarded, if the result would be thereby changed."

The Court here called attention to practices at elections prior to the adoption of statutes against corrupt practices for the purpose of correcting evils connected with elections as formerly conducted, and say :

“We must admit the legislature intended, and the public understood, that thereafter ballots should not be prepared, by the voter or others, before the elector reached the polling place, and that, when he reached there, he was not to be annoyed by importunities or more potent influences calculated to affect or prevent his free, untrammelled action. To this end, expensive booths and utensils were provided, and ‘a lawful fence’ required to remove him from his fellows. It is now claimed that this is directory, and that unless the injured party can show that a radical departure from the plain provisions of the law actually resulted in a loss of votes to the relator, and a consequent change of result, there is no occasion to disturb the result as declared ; and the reason alleged is, not that there is no probability that the relator has suffered, but that he must submit to a probable wrong, lest some voters not-responsible should lose their votes. * * * We think that the possible loss of votes is not the greatest calamity that can follow improperly conducted elections. We are not sufficiently credulous to suppose that an election board could be so ignorant as not to know that the law was transgressed by the course permitted in this case ; and, unless we are to put a premium upon such conduct, and invite its repetition throughout the state, we must conclude that some of the voters must lose their votes, through their offending officers. The readiest way to stop fraud and corruption at elections is to see to it that the same is not rewarded by success ; and when, by the connivance and procurement of the election officers, the law is, in essential particulars, disregarded, so that candidates and voters lose the benefit of its protective provisions under circumstances well calculated to produce the belief that such conduct may have changed the result from what it would otherwise have been, there is as great danger of wrong to the individual voter through counting, as excluding, the vote of the precinct. * * *

While we are not prepared to say that the vote of a precinct should be thrown out for a failure on the part of the inspectors to attain absolute perfection in the conduct of an election, where, as in this case, the whole body of electors have been subjected to the possibility of a forbidden influence, and a large portion are shown to have been approached in forbidden ways, under circumstances

strongly indicating a fraudulent design, the vote of the precinct should be thrown out, if the result would be thereby changed."

All that is said by the Court by way of argument in the above case is peculiarly applicable to this contest. All of the voters of Woodbury were subjected to the forbidden influence of the circulars containing false statements against contestant and under circumstances indicating that the election officials endorsed the statements in the circulars, thus creating an atmosphere of opposition to the contestant and of favoritism toward Contestee in the very election poll itself indicating a fraudulent design on the part of all the officials to influence all the voters of the precinct so far as possible to vote against Contestant and in favor of the Contestee.

Attorney General v. Kirby, 120 Mich. 572, 75 N. W. 1009.

This case turned upon the question of throwing out the returns from the district of Elba. The election officials selected one Kerr to instruct voters to vote without any authority of law so to do. Kerr asked the voters if they knew how to vote, and if they wished instruction took the ballot from them and showed them how to vote. He had free access to every voter that came in. He talked with them while in the booths with the door open, standing in the door part of the time. He was out of sight of the officials part of the time who heard them talking, but no evidence was given as to what he said, except several voters testified that he showed them on the ballot where to vote for the respondent if they desired so to do. This was all the evidence there was of any actual attempt on his part to influence voters. The Chief Justice said:

"Manifestly the election law was wholly ignored in the appointment of Mr. Kerr, in intrusting the ballots to him, and permitting him to have free access to the electors after they had passed into the voting precinct and into the booths themselves. It is urged that the inspectors of election acted in good faith, and supposed they had the right to appoint a man as an instructor of election. * * * the law makes no such provision. * * * It is due to the members of the election board to say that there is no evidence that they acted from corrupt motives. If, however, this conduct can be sustained, and the plain provisions of the law ignored, rascals can very readily make the same plea, and it would be difficult to expose their rascality."

The Court further held that the provisions of the law are mandatory and could be evaded by showing that the parties acted in good faith and that the voters were not in fact influenced.

It was suggested in the argument that there was no evidence that the presence of the circulars in the polling room at Woodbury actually influenced any voters to vote against Contestant and in favor of Contestee. As we have seen the courts hold there is absolutely no merit in such a suggestion. Testimony as to what influences the human mind is at best merely speculative and is the most uncertain and dangerous kind of testimony, especially in an election case such as this one where such testimony could not be called for until after the ballots were counted and the precise effect of the statements of witnesses as to their intentions and what influenced them would be known. They could swear falsely as to their past intentions and as to what either did or did not influence them without possibility or fear of punishment, because it would be impossible to disprove their statements as to what did or what had not influenced them. No one can ever prove by testimony the effect of any of the influences upon voters prohibited by statute. The law forbids bribery, the use of liquor and the use of campaign literature or other persuasion or argument inside of the polling room, as well as in any of the other places on election day specified by the statute. Would it be contended by anyone that if liquor were offered to voters in an effort to induce them to vote in a certain way, within the polling place, that it would be necessary to follow up such proof by testimony that the person receiving such liquor had actually changed his mind about how he was going to vote, or would any suggestion of that kind be entertained in a case where money was used to induce a voter to vote in a certain way? If it is not necessary to show the actual effect and extent of the actual influence upon the voter's mind in one case, should it be in another, inasmuch as all these influences are alike prohibited by penal statutes? Just what difference does it make, so far as the law is concerned, which of the forbidden, unlawful and criminal influences is used, as to the effect upon the votes in the precinct? It is the intention of our system of election laws that elections shall be honest and fair as between candidates and free from every influence prohibited by statute so that when the result is arrived at it will be the free and spontaneous expression of the individual voter and of the popular will. To permit any forbidden influence which is intended to operate upon the mind of the voter is to do a criminal act which amounts to a legal fraud and when such acts are committed or permitted by election officials with the evident design on their part to affect voting, and when such influence permeates all of the votes cast in a precinct so that it never can be ascertained what was the real, true, fair, free and spontaneous votes

of the voters thereat, then the returns from such precinct should be thrown out because all votes cast under such circumstances are illegal.

As the Court said in

Lloyd v. Sullivan, 24 Pac. 218,

"Where tarnished by fraudulent, negligent or improper conduct on the part of the officials so that the result of the election is unreliable, the entire returns are rejected."

It is no hardship upon the voters of Woodbury to reject the returns from that precinct because every voter who voted there that day knew the law was being violated in behalf of Contestee and against Contestant by the presence of the circulars. As said in

Cramer's Election Case, 93 Atl. 937 (Pa.)

"Every voter at that poll on that day must be held to a knowledge of the fact that the requirements of the statute were not being complied with but were being openly and flagrantly disregarded, and acquiescence on their part in the dereliction leaves but little ground for them to complain if the entire vote of the ward should be stricken out. The remedy was as available to them as to the officials."

As we have seen, the votes cast in Woodbury were not the free, untrammelled votes of the voters because subjected to the unlawful influence of the officials through their gross misconduct, the result of which tainted all the votes and made them illegal. If these votes are counted in effect it means that the illegal votes of this precinct practically disfranchises the legal votes cast in all the remaining precincts of the county. As said in

Vigil v. Garcia, 87 Pac. 543 (Col.)

Where the Court, speaking of this proposition, say:

"If this were not the law, one or two precincts in which the election is fraudulently conducted could practically disfranchise the legal voters of all the remaining precincts of the county. If any persons are to lose their votes by reason of the misconduct of election officials it should be those who reside in the precinct where the wrongdoing occurs, rather than to have the legal and honest votes in honest precincts overcome by fraudulent conduct taking place in other precincts over which they have no control."

The suggestion was made on the argument that the returns from Woodbury should not be thrown out because the Contestee was not shown to be connected with the circulation of Exhibit "B" in the polling booth on election day. In none of the cases passing upon the

misconduct of election officials has it ever been considered necessary to connect the candidate profiting thereby in order to reject the returns. Any such rule would put a premium upon misconduct by election officials and make it impossible to properly deal with election frauds committed by officials. The same thing is true of election frauds committed by third persons. The law is that no person may benefit by a fraud or retain either goods or votes obtained by fraud. The real question is whether the votes of the precinct are legal or illegal. The rule is well stated in

White vs. Slama, 130 N. W. 978 (Neb.)

Where certain Italian laborers voted illegally at the instance of certain persons not connected with defendant. The Court said:

"There is no proof in the record that Slama was responsible for the conduct of these Italian laborers and counsel for the contestant disclaimed any such connection; but for the purpose of this case it is immaterial whether party organization or misguided personal zeal inspired this plain violation of the law. No Court should permit a candidate to hold an office by virtue of such a fraud."

We have seen that in principle and upon the authority of courts of the highest standing that returns from a precinct under the circumstances existing on election day in the precinct of Woodbury have been uniformly rejected. Our attention has not been called to any case holding a contrary view. We believe that it is of the highest importance that this matter be determined not only in accordance with law and the justice of the case, but we believe that any decision of this matter which permits the judges and officials of election to disregard the law and permit their partisan feeling or other motive to override the plain provisions of the statute designed to protect voters and to secure a free and untrammelled vote, will be a dangerous innovation and will furnish a precedent which will tend to destroy the whole system of laws designed to secure purity of elections. Such rule would be an invitation to dishonest or partisan election boards to influence elections by every means within their power which, under the new system, is infinitely greater than under the old system. It would place the parties in charge of the election machinery of a precinct or county or in the state in such a position that they could sway elections at their desire and get whatever results they wished. Unless our statutes relating to corrupt practices are rigidly enforced they might as well be repealed. The suggestion that punishment of the guilty officials is a sufficient remedy is utterly ridiculous. Undoubtedly the officials at Woodbury would gladly

pay fines much more than any Court could assess for the purpose of being permitted to carry out their designs. But to permit a fraud to be carried out and allow the fruits of such fraud to be retained is contrary to the entire spirit of all our laws.

Another suggestion was made on the argument that the voters at Woodbury precinct had all received a copy of Exhibit "B" prior to election and hence were familiar with its contents and were consequently not influenced in fact by seeing it in the polling room on the day of election. Many reasons may be advanced showing that the suggestion is of no value whatever.

First. The record shows there was no competent testimony that each voter had received Exhibit "B" prior to election. There was some opinion evidence to that effect but it was not a subject for opinion evidence, being purely a question of fact and none of the persons expressing such opinion stated that they had any knowledge on the subject beyond the limited knowledge of each person circulating a few copies of Exhibit "B."

Second. All of the reasons that we have given herein dealing with the question of the effect of influence on the human mind applies with equal force to this proposition.

Third. To see the circular casually circulated prior to election is a very different thing in its influence upon a voter than finding it openly and flagrantly exhibited and circulated in the election room in the immediate presence of and under such circumstances as to imply that it was there with the sanction, consent, approval and endorsement of the election officials who were the leading men of the town. Under such circumstances the voter might and in all probability would be strongly influenced by it, when no such result would follow seeing it under other circumstances prior to election.

For the reasons above given by the undersigned and stated in the opinions of the courts from which we have quoted, we are of the opinion that the returns from the precinct of Woodbury should be excluded and rejected, and excluding such returns the legal votes cast at said election are:

For Sullivan, 1725

For Wilcox, 1640

and having received a majority of the legal votes cast, in our opinion the Contestant was duly elected to the office of State Senator for the Forty-third Legislative District composed of the County of Washington.

Your Committee in addition to passing upon the questions embodied in the foregoing did vote upon the following specific questions at meetings of the Committee; the record of the votes upon which is as follows:

At the meeting held January 24th:

It was moved that it is the sense of the committee that Exhibit "A," so far as reference is made to Contestant as attorney for sixty odd corporations, the same was intended to convey to the voters of Washington County the meaning that Contestant was the attorney-at-law for the corporations named in Exhibit "A," which was adopted by a vote of 7 to 1. Senator Lee, voting in the negative, said, in explanation of his vote, that Exhibit "A" was likely to convey to the voters of Washington County the meaning that Sullivan was the attorney-at-law of said corporations.

It was moved that the use of the word "attorney" in Exhibit "A" in the sense as found by the committee, was a false charge against Sullivan, which motion was carried, 7 ayes and no nays.

The committee voted upon the following question:

Were such false statements as found by this committee a deliberate, material, serious and substantial violation of the law as defined by our Supreme Court and as disclosed by the record in this contest? The vote was 5 ayes and 3 nays.

Those voting in the affirmative were Blomgren, Sullivan, Rockne, Brooks and Putnam.

Those voting in the negative were Sageng, Gandrud and Lee.

It was moved that it is the sense of this committee that the portions of circular Exhibit "A," which states as to Contestant "that in 1915 he fought for the street railways bill to tighten their grip on the City of Minneapolis. He opposed the State Wide Primary, popular election of U. S. Senators" that an inspection of the official records of his vote shows this charge to be unfair and misleading, but in the opinion of this committee the same is not so substantial and material as to come within the prohibition of our statute. The vote was 7 ayes.

It was moved that it is the sense of the committee that in the publication and circulation of Exhibit "B" among the voters of Washington County the Contestee reiterated the false charges contained in Exhibit "A" in so far as it falsely charged Contestant with being the attorney and lawyer of the corporations therein named. The vote was 7 ayes and no nays. Senator Lee not voting.

It was moved that the committee finds that in computing the vote for Washington County in this contest that the votes in Woodbury township be rejected. 5 ayes, 3 nays.

Those who voted in the affirmative were Blomgren, Sullivan, Rockne, Brooks and Putnam; those voting in the negative were Sageng, Gandrud and Lee.

At the meeting of the Committee held January 28th:

The committee finds that on election day, November 5, 1918, at Woodbury township, Washington County, Minnesota, the election officials of said township permitted copies of Exhibit "B" found in the record to remain posted upon the front wall of the election hall and a large number of them to remain on a chair in the election hall and did not remove the said Exhibit from said hall when their attention was called to it, but allowed them to remain there the entire day. The committee further finds that such act was an illegal act and further than the bringing and placing of Exhibit "B" on election day on the chair in the election hall was illegal and that these acts were a violation of the corrupt practices act. 9 ayes, no nays.

That as a matter of law the committee finds that on account of the illegal acts as found above the votes for State Senator in Woodbury township, Washington County, Minnesota, cast on November 5, 1918, must be rejected from the canvass of the vote for senator. 5 ayes, 4 nays.

We, therefore, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, that the Contestant, George H. Sullivan, was duly elected as Senator of the Forty-third Legislative District of the State of Minnesota, on November 5, 1918, and that he is entitled to be seated as such Senator of said District in said body.

The undersigned further recommend that this report be taken up and considered by the Senate on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1919, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FRANK G. PUTNAM,
WM. F. BROOKS,
A. J. ROCKNE,
JOHN D. SULLIVAN,
F. C. BLOMGREN.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sageng moved that—

The minority report be printed, following the majority report in the Journal of the Senate as of January 29, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN THE SENATE OF MINNESOTA.

George H. Sullivan,

Contestant,

vs.

W. W. Wilcox,

Contestee.

MINORITY REPORT.

The Committee on Elections having considered the evidence in the above entitled contest proceedings the undersigned members thereof submit the following report:

At the election held on November 5th, 1918, contestant, George H. Sullivan, and contestee, W. W. Wilcox, were candidates for state senator in Washington County, which constitutes the 43d Senatorial District in this state. Upon the count and canvass of the votes by the proper election officials of said county the said W. W. Wilcox was declared elected from said district by a majority of forty-three votes. The certificate of election was accordingly issued to the said W. W. Wilcox by the county auditor of Washington County, and on the 7th day of January, 1919, he took the oath of office as a member of the Senate and is now occupying a seat in this body.

Within the time and in the manner prescribed by law contestant, George H. Sullivan, instituted a contest for said senatorial seat, setting forth in his notice of contest the following allegations as the ground and reason for his contest:

(1) That errors were made by the several election officers in counting and returning the vote for the office of senator whereby more votes were credited to the contestee than he actually received and less votes were credited to the contestant than had actually been cast for him, so that if there had been a correct canvass and return of the votes cast for state senator the contestant would have received a majority of the votes cast for said office.

(2) That shortly before election the contestee unlawfully and with intent to deceive the voters of said county and prejudice them against said contestant, published and circulated two statements designated in the record of the contest as Exhibits "A" and "B," which statements were in part wholly false and of such a nature that they would prejudice and did prejudice a large number of voters against said George H. Sullivan causing them to vote for the contestee when otherwise they would have voted for the contestant.

(3) That in several precincts of the county the judges and clerks of election were all members of a political party or organization known as the Nonpartisan League, and that in said precincts said election officers permitted said Exhibit "B" to be circulated in the room in which the election was held, and in the presence of said election officers permitted members of said political organization and others to solicit votes for the contestee thereby depriving the contestant of not less than 100 votes on account of such unlawful practices.

Testimony in the contest was taken by justices of the peace as provided by law. A full record thereof was made and the record with exhibits was forwarded to the Senate and delivered to the Committee on Elections for consideration.

Arguments on the record in the contest by counsel for contestant and contestee were heard by said Committee on January 22d, 1919. Judge Albert Schaller of Hastings and Wilson & Thoreen of Stillwater appearing for contestant, and Thomas V. Sullivan and Charles W. Barnes of St. Paul appearing for the contestee.

The issues involved in this contest, the findings of fact and conclusions of law on which the undersigned minority members of the Committee base their recommendations to the Senate, can be best set forth by considering separately and in the order in which they are raised the several points in contestant's notice of contest.

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The original returns by the Canvassing Board of Washington County gave the contestee, W. W. Wilcox, 1,799 votes and the contestant, George H. Sullivan, 1,756 votes, a majority of 43 votes for Mr. Wilcox. In the contest proceedings a recount of the ballots was had as provided by law and the result of said recount appears in the record of the contest. On the recount slight errors were found in 16 of the 29 precincts of the county. The correct vote of the county for state senator as established by the recount was 1,786 votes for

the contestee, W. W. Wilcox, and 1,751 votes for the contestant, George H. Sullivan, showing an undisputed and conceded majority of 35 votes for Mr. Wilcox.

2.

The specific and material objection which the contestant makes in the second point of his notice of contest is that in an advertisement published on October 30th in the Stillwater Messenger, a newspaper published in Stillwater, and having a general circulation throughout the county, the contestee "falsely and with intent to deceive the voters of said district and prejudice said voters against this contestant," charged him with being the attorney at law for 50 or 60 foreign corporations all listed in said advertisement, and having a combined capitalization in excess of \$500,000,000. This false statement the contestant further avers is reiterated in the circular known as Exhibit "B" issued by the contestee on the Sunday preceding the election and circulated extensively throughout the county on that day and the following Monday. Exception is also taken to a statement in Exhibit "A" purporting to give contestant's record on certain bills for or against which he had voted as a member of the State Senate.

Our judgment of the facts in the matter of the statements contained in said exhibits is that in Exhibit "A" the word "attorney" in view of its context was intended to convey and did convey the impression that the contestant was the attorney at law of the foreign corporations named therein. We find that that statement was substantially reiterated in Exhibit "B."

This charge, the testimony clearly shows, was untrue and unfounded. In regard to the statement in Exhibit "A" about the contestant's legislative record, as exception is made to it in his notice of contest, we feel that while it contains a skeleton of truth, it is nevertheless false and misleading because it fails to state the facts justly and fairly.

Are the false and unfair statements in Exhibits "A" and "B" of such a serious and material nature that they come within the prohibition of our statute as interpreted by the Supreme Court of this state? That question, in view of the testimony, we must answer in the negative. The contestant admits that during all the years of his long service in the Senate he has been employed as an attorney by the Twin City Rapid Transit Company. If sustaining such a relation to the great public service corporation of our own state is prop-

er it does not seem to us that a statement that the contestant was also the attorney for a number of foreign corporations is a serious and material violation of the statute prohibiting false and untrue statements. As bearing directly on this question we call attention to the language of the Supreme Court in *State v. Landy*, 130 Minn. 138: "It is not claimed that the article by insinuation or otherwise, charges Mr. Lawler with any wrongdoing or the violation of law; nor do we think it fairly open to such construction." Further in the decision the Court says: "Corporations are public necessities, are creatures of the law, and not per se odious." Further, "Our attention has not yet been directed to any case holding an article of the import and tone of the one in question actionable either civilly or criminally."

On the other hand, if there is anything justly subject to public criticism in the fact that a member of the legislature retains his relationship as attorney of a great domestic public service corporation having, naturally, a direct and vital interest in the legislation on which he must pass judgment, it is not in our judgment a serious and material violation of the statute in question, to say that he is also the attorney for a number of foreign corporations having comparatively little or nothing at stake in our legislation.

If the Senate, however, should find that the statements in Exhibits "A" and "B" were in fact serious and material violations of the corrupt practices act, the effect of such a decision under the repeated rulings of our Supreme Court and enforced by a long line of legislative and congressional precedents, would be to void the election of the contestee and create a vacancy in the office of Senator from the 43rd senatorial district.

3.

The third and final contention in contestant's notice of contest relating to the manner in which the election was conducted in several precincts in the county resolves itself to a consideration of what took place at the election in Woodbury Township.

The material fact, as shown by the testimony relative to this precinct is that during the entire days of the election a bunch of the circulars known as Exhibit "B" were lying on a chair near the door of the hall in which the election was held. One or two of the circulars were tacked on the outside of the building near the door. There is testimony to the effect that some of the circulars were lying on the floor, and one witness testifies that he saw a copy of the cir-

cular in an election booth. One witness testifies that he saw one of the contestant's cards in the room. There is no testimony to show who brought the circulars into the hall nor is there any evidence that the circular was passed around and handed to the voters or that there was any electioneering by word of mouth during the day.

It is in evidence that the judges of election instructed the constable to see that all booths were kept free from political cards and circulars and that he frequently inspected the booths in carrying out these instructions.

About four o'clock in the afternoon when only about one-half of the vote of the precinct had been cast the contestant visited the hall in which the election was held and called the attention of the election judges to the circular by saying, "Well, I see my opponent's circulars are here." According to contestant's testimony one of the election judges, in reply to his remark about the circulars, "threw his head up and said 'yes.'"

It is in evidence that Exhibit "B" had been thoroughly and systematically circulated throughout the township on the day preceding the election and practically every voter of the township who testified in the case and to whom the question was put said that he had seen or read the circular on the preceding day.

The testimony shows that in this election the contestant received twenty-six votes in this precinct to 149 for the contestee, while in the election of 1914 when the contestant was likewise a candidate for senator he had received 12 votes in the same precinct to 126 for his opponent. There is no evidence that the contestee was in any way directly or indirectly responsible for the presence of the circular in Woodbury town hall on election day.

In arriving at a conclusion as to whether or not the precinct of Woodbury should be included or excluded in the total vote of Washington County on the office of senator the determining and only question to answer is this: Did the presence of those circulars as indicated by the evidence with other attending circumstances exert such an undue influence upon the voters of Woodbury township that the vote on senator in Washington County would have resulted in a majority for the contestant if the election in Woodbury had been in every way regularly and lawfully conducted?

If the contest is to be decided in the spirit of the laws of our own state and decisions of our own Supreme Court this is the one

question at issue in this contest, and to ask that question is to answer it. Even in an ordinary election the mere presence of these circulars would in every probability not exert any appreciable influence on the vote in the precinct, and when it is recalled that the election last fall was extraordinary in its strong intense convictions on both sides of the issues raised in the campaign to assume that a left-over lot of circulars lying on a chair near the door in the election hall containing nothing new, but an old story which the voters had read on the preceding day had any influence whatever on the election is to violate every conception of reason and common sense. So patent and obvious is this conclusion that it does not appear from the record that even the contestant claims that any reasonable doubt was cast on the election of senator from Washington county because copies of Exhibit "B" were lying on a chair near the door in Woodbury town hall on election day, and yet such a contention is the only theory on which the majority of the Committee can predicate the conclusion that the contestant and not the contestee was elected senator at said election.

Except in states like Michigan where practically every violation of the election laws on account of their unusual stringency is held to vitiate the election the rule generally followed by the courts of this country, including those of our own state, is the one stated with admirable clearness in McCrary on Elections: "It is impossible to define exactly the degree of irregularity and illegality in the conduct of an election which will render the return void, but perhaps the best rule upon the subject is this: If the voice of the electors can be made to appear from the returns, either alone or aided by extrinsic evidence, with reasonable clearness and certainty, then the return should stand, but not otherwise."

There is no comfort in this rule of law for those who contend that all that is necessary in order to throw out a precinct is to show that the election officers have acted unlawfully. In spite of the unlawful acts of election officers, if the voice of the electors appears from the election with reasonable clearness and certainty then the election should stand.

The Supreme Court of Arkansas in *Sailor v. Rankin*, 189 S. W. 357, lays down the following rule of law governing cases in which entire precincts are sought to be rejected because of irregularities and fraud: "The power to reject an entire poll being a dangerous power it should be exercised only in extreme cases; that is to

say, in a case where it is impossible to ascertain with reasonable certainty the true vote." The court could scarcely have chosen language better calculated to show the essential weakness of the position taken by the majority of the Committee. Because it is a "dangerous power," throwing out whole precincts "should be resorted to only in extreme cases" when it is impossible to ascertain the true vote with "reasonable certainty."

Discussing the rule of law justifying the exclusion of whole precincts the Court continues: "On the other hand it is equally well settled that when in a given voting precinct it is shown that fraud was promiscuously committed by the election officers which affected the result to an extent the exact limit of which it is impossible from the testimony to ascertain and which fairly draws in question the integrity of the whole returns the same should be thrown out entirely and omitted from the count." It clearly appears from this language that two things are essential in order to convince a court that a whole precinct should be rejected: First, that fraud was promiscuously committed by the election officers; and, second, that it affected the result and "fairly draws in question the integrity of the returns." It cannot be said that the failure of the election officers in Woodbury Township to destroy or remove the circulars is comparable with promiscuous commission of fraud, and there is absolutely no showing, not even a claim, that it affected the result or threw a reasonable doubt on its integrity.

The Supreme Court of Kansas in *Allen v. Griffith*, 169 S. W. 1003, states the same rule of law with possibly greater clearness and force: "The fraud, illegality and irregularities being such as to affect the result and so widespread that we can not tell with any reasonable certainty whether appellant or appellee was elected we conclude that the election should be declared void.

We submit to the deliberate judgment of the Senate that if the contest under consideration is to be settled in harmony with the rule of law laid down in this decision there can be only one determination of it—the contestee must prevail. We venture the opinion that there is not one member of the Senate who will undertake to say that he "can not tell with any reasonable certainty whether contestant or contestee was elected."

Discussing the principle justifying in extreme cases the rejection of a total precinct, the Supreme Court of Arkansas, in *Patton v. Coates*, 41 Ark. 111, says: "It devolves upon the courts not to press this principle too far nor apply it lightly to slight indications of fraud, violence or intimidation. Its application, indeed, is a mat-

ter of the gravest and most anxious responsibility inasmuch as it involves necessarily the disfranchisement in the particular election of all the honest voters in the township. The wrong should appear to have been clear and flagrant and in its nature diffusive in its influences; calculated to affect more than can be traced; and sufficiently potent to render the result really uncertain."

A case more directly in point than any case cited by contestant's counsel as to the facts was decided by the Supreme Court of North Carolina, *Roberts vs. Calvert*, 98 N. C. 580. In this case the court said, citing in substance the facts and conclusions of the court:

"The defendant contended that the election at the voting place in question was attended with such irregularities and confusion as rendered it void. There was evidence "that there were threats and intimidations used by relator's friends," and one witness testified, "that he was satisfied that but for the threats and intimidations respondent would have received a larger number of votes;" but there was no evidence that a single voter did not vote, or that one voted otherwise than as he desired to do, or that the vote cast was less—materially, or at all less—than the number of registered voters. Mere noise, confusion and empty threats can not, of themselves, destroy the integrity of the election; to have that effect they must at least deter electors of reasonable firmness from voting, or drive them to vote through such fear and intimidation—otherwise than as they intended and desired to do, and this ought clearly to appear.

The evidence only tended to show confusion and threats: there was no evidence of violence nor display of arms or other implements of force—so far as appeared, no one left the voting place, no one failed to vote who desired to do so, and one of the judges of election said that he thought it was a fair one. Accepting the evidence as true, there was no such confusion, or threats, or violence, as rendered the election void, and the Court properly so decided."

It is true that two distinct and divergent lines of judicial decisions may be found bearing on the effect of irregularities at elections and illegal acts on the part of election officers. One holds that unless the irregularities or even intentional wrong on the part of the election officers throws a reasonable doubt on the vote the result should stand and that, to quote the language of former Chief Justice Start, then judge of the first judicial district of this state: "Compliance with the law by election officers is to be secured by punishing them and not by defeating the will of the citizen as expressed by his ballot."

The other line of decisions followed closely by the Supreme Court of Michigan holds that practically any irregularity or unlawful conduct on the part of an election officer renders the election void on the theory that "the only way to secure compliance with election laws is to make the validity of the election depend upon such compliance." To quote again the words of Chief Justice Start, "The rule first stated has been the settled policy of our state for the past thirty years." Not one opinion can be cited to show that in later years the Supreme Court of Minnesota has departed from this settled policy. To show how absolutely untenable in reason and common sense would be the claim that the presence of the circular Exhibit "B" in Woodbury town hall on election day exerted such an undue influence on the voters that the contestant thereby lost the election as senator it is only necessary to call attention to the fact as established by the record that while in 1914 when the contestant was likewise a candidate for senator he received only 8 per cent of the total vote in said precinct while in this election he received 15 per cent of the total vote. It appears from the official vote of Washington county that the contestant had one vote more in Woodbury township than the total of the votes cast for both the republican and democratic candidates for governor. In the whole county, however, he fell 951 votes short of running as well in comparison with the total republican and democratic vote for governor as he did in Woodbury township and even in his home city of Stillwater he failed by 309 votes of holding up the record he made in Woodbury.

Basing our decision on the findings of fact and conclusions of law above stated we find that contestee, W. W. Wilcox, was duly elected senator from the 43rd senatorial district of the state of Minnesota consisting of Washington county as declared by the canvassing board of said county. The undersigned members of the Committee on Elections, therefore, recommend that contestee, W. W. Wilcox, be allowed to retain his seat in the Senate and recommend the adoption by the Senate of the following resolution:

Resolved, That contestee, W. W. Wilcox, be entitled to a seat in the Senate of the State of Minnesota, as senator duly elected from the 43rd senatorial district of the State of Minnesota at the election held therefor November 5th, 1918, and that he retain his seat as senator from that district in said body.

OLE O. SAGENG,
P. A. GANDRUD,
ADOLPH S. LARSON,
IVER J. LEE.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the foregoing majority and minority reports of the Committee on Elections be considered by the Senate next Friday, January 31st, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred,

S. F. No. 53, A bill for an act regulating the hours of labor of state employes in the State of Minnesota,

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred

S. F. No. 26, A bill for an act relating to lots in private cemeteries and their perpetual care.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By adding to Section 1 thereof, the following:

Provided, that nothing herein contained shall have the effect of legalizing any gift, devise or bequest which would otherwise be invalid under the laws of this state, in any matter now pending in any court of this state or, which may be instituted within sixty days after the passage of this act.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendment adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 167, A bill for an act authorizing the state treasurer and state auditor to make temporary transfers of money in the state treasury not needed for immediate disbursements to the state prison revolving fund and providing for the return thereof with interest to the funds from which the transfers are so made.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 235, Laws of Minnesota 1913, as amended by Section 6 of Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota 1917, which section provides for the appointment by the Commissioner of Highways of Assistant Engineers and prescribing their powers, duties and compensation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JOINT RULES.

Mr. Larson from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules reported the following Joint Rules for the Senate and House:

JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

Joint Conventions—How Governed. Rule 1. The Speaker of the House shall preside at all conventions of the two branches of the Legislature, and shall call the members to order. The Chief Clerk of the House shall be the secretary, and the sergeant-at-arms of the House shall be the sergeant-at-arms of the convention.

Duties of the President. Rule 2. The President of the convention shall preserve order and decorum, may speak on all points of order in preference to other members; shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the convention by any member. He shall rise to put a question, but may state it sitting.

Questions—How Stated. Rule 3. Questions shall be distinctly put in this form to-wit: "As many as are of the opinion that (as the question may be), 'Aye,'" and after an affirmative vote is expressed, "As many as are of the contrary opinion, say 'No'." If the President doubts, or a division be called, the convention shall decide—those in the affirmative of the question shall first rise and afterwards those in the negative.

President's Right to Vote. Rule 4. The President shall have the right of voting in all cases except on an appeal from his decision, and on all questions he shall vote last.

Order of Debate. Rule 5. When any member is about to speak or deliver any matter to the convention, he shall rise and

respectfully address himself to "Mr. President" and confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personalities.

Rule 6. Whenever any member is called to order he shall be seated until the point of order is determined; and if called to order for words spoken in debate the exceptional words shall be reduced to writing immediately.

Rule 7. When two or more members rise at the same time, the President shall name the member who is in order.

Rule 8. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question, without permission of the convention.

Call of the Convention. Rule 9. Any five members may move a call of the convention, and require absent members to be sent for, but a call cannot be made after voting is commenced; and a call being ordered and the absentees noted, the doors shall be closed and no member permitted to leave the hall until the report of the sergeant-at-arms be received and acted upon, or further proceedings under the call are suspended by a vote of a majority of all the members of the convention.

Either House May Amend, Etc. Rule 10. It shall be in the power of either house to amend any amendment made by the other, to any bill or resolution.

Bills—How Enrolled and Signed. Rule 11. After a bill, memorial or resolution shall have passed both houses, it shall be duly enrolled in typewriting by the enrolling clerk of the house in which it originated. The Senate and House Committees on Enrolled Bills, acting jointly, shall then carefully compare the enrollment with the engrossed copies as passed by the two houses, and after correcting all errors that may be discovered in the enrollment, report the same as correctly enrolled to their respective houses. They shall then obtain the signatures and certificates of the proper officers to the enrolled copies, present the same to the governor for his approval, and report the date of such presentation to their respective houses.

Elections By Joint Conventions. Rule 12. Whenever there shall be an election of any officer in joint convention, the result shall be certified by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and by them announced to their respective houses, and shall be entered on the journal of each and communicated to the governor by the secretary of the convention.

Committees of Conference. Rule 13. In all cases of disagree-

ment between the Senate and House on amendments, adopted by either house to a bill, memorial or resolution passed by the other house, a committee of conference, consisting of not less than three members, nor more than five members from each house may be requested by either house, and the other house shall appoint a similar committee. The manner of procedure shall be as follows: The Senate, for instance, passes a bill and it is duly transmitted to the House, which body adopts an amendment to the bill and passes the bill as amended, returning the same, with a record of the action of the House, to the Senate; the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendment, asks for a committee of conference, appoints such a committee on the part of the Senate, and with a record of the action of the Senate, returns the bill to the House; if the House adhere to its amendment a like committee is appointed on the part of the House. The joint committee shall at a convenient hour agreed upon, meet and state to each other, verbally, or in writing, the reason of their respective houses for or against the disagreement, and confer thereon, and shall report to both houses such agreement as they may arrive at, if any—and if not, the fact of a disagreement. The House having possession of the bill at the time when the conference is agreed to shall first act upon such report, if an agreement is reported, and duly transmit the same, with a record of its action thereon, to the other house, together with the bill.

Either House May Recede, Etc. Rule 14. It shall be in order for either house to recede from any subject or matter of difference existing between the two houses at any time previous to a conference, whether the papers upon which the difference has arisen are before it or not, and a majority shall govern, except in cases otherwise provided in the constitution; and the question having been put and lost, shall not be again put upon the same day, and a reconsideration thereof shall in all respects be regulated by the rules of the respective houses.

Appropriations of Money—How Made. Rule 15. The same bill shall not appropriate public money or property to more than one local or private purpose.

No certificate authorizing the payment of any money appropriated by the legislature shall be issued by the secretary of the Senate or by the clerk of the House by virtue of any motion or resolution, unless such motion or resolution shall have been carried by a majority of all the members of the House in which it was introduced.

No clause appropriating money for a local or private purpose shall be contained in a bill appropriating money for the state gov-

ernment or public institutions, and all resolutions authorizing the issuing of certificates by the secretary of the Senate or the Clerk of the House for the payment of money shall be upon the call of the "yeas" and "nays."

Within sixty legislative days after the convening of the legislature in regular session and at least twenty days prior to the adjournment thereof, the Committee on Finance of the Senate and the Committee on Appropriations of the House, shall report to their respective houses five separate appropriation bills as follows:

1. A bill appropriating money for the general administrative and judicial expenses of the state government for the succeeding two fiscal years, including salaries, office expenses and supplies and other necessary expenses connected therewith.

2. A bill appropriating money for the support and maintenance of all state, penal and charitable institutions, and other institutions of the state except educational for the two succeeding fiscal years.

3. A bill appropriating moneys for the support and maintenance of all state educational institutions for the two succeeding fiscal years.

4. A bill covering all appropriations providing for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota which may have been allowed by the Finance Committee of the Senate or the Appropriation Committee of the House.

5. A bill covering all appropriations made to aid in the maintenance of State or County Fairs including parks, fish hatcheries and other semi-state activities.

No other appropriations shall be contained in any of said bills but all other appropriations shall be contained in separate bills.

Rules of Joint Convention. Rule 16. The rules of the House shall be the rules of the joint convention of both houses in all cases where the foregoing rules are not applicable.

Title of Bills Shall Express Their Subject. Rule 17. The subject of each bill shall be clearly expressed in the title and when a bill is amendatory of an existing act, it shall not be sufficient to refer to the chapter, section or page, but the subject thereof shall be clearly stated.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson moved that the foregoing joint rules for the Senate and House be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 53, 26, 167, 226

Were read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, and that S. F. No. 164, No. 6 on General Orders, be stricken from General Orders, given its third reading and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 164, A bill for an act authorizing the County Board of any county that has heretofore expended funds or incurred indebtedness in the repair, deepening or changing the nature of any public ditch therein, or any branch thereof, to issue bonds therefor in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rask moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 272 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Devold called up his resolution, introduced on January 13th, which appears on page 25 of the Journal of the Senate for the Fourth Day.

Mr. Devold then moved that the rules be suspended and the resolution be adopted.

Mr. Sullivan moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,

Mr. Sullivan moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the suspension of the rules,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 5 and nays 53, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Devold,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	Stepan,	Wilcox,
Johnson,	Naplin,			

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sageng,	

So the motion to suspend the rules did not prevail.

Mr. Baldwin called up his resolution, introduced on January 14th, which appears on page 5 of the Journal of the Senate for the Fifth Day.

After some remarks had been made as to the contents of the resolution, Mr. Baldwin then consented to the resolution being referred to the Committee on General Legislation by the President of the Senate.

Which resolution was referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, January 30, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wilcox,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Conrøy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, January 29, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 97, An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 273, A bill for an act authorizing and ratifying the payment of fees and expenses paid to any person for conveying insane patients to the state hospitals.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 274, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of the County Treasurers in counties of this State, containing not less than 38 Congressional townships of land, and having an assessed valuation of not less than eight million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 275, A bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse Erick B. Olson and Ole B. Olson for overcharges in interest collected by the State on certain state land certificates.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Kuntz introduced—

S. F. No. 276, A bill for an act providing for reward for procuring the arrest and conviction of any person charged with automobile stealing, and the manner in which the claimant shall apply therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 277, A bill for an act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. Chas. W. Robertson.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Conroy introduced—

S. F. No. 278, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 3339, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled, An Act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any municipality containing five

thousand inhabitants or more may provide Salvage Corps Fire Patrol with competent superintendent for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires, suitable rooms for their accommodation and necessary apparatus to save and preserve property and life at and after a fire.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 279, A bill for an act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 73 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars, providing for approaches thereto, and providing for the levy of taxes and issuance of bonds therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 280, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture, sale and dispensation of medicines, extracts and condiments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 281, A bill for an act to fix the time of holding general terms of the District Court in and for the Tenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, and amending Chapter 367 of the General Statutes of 1917.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved—

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 281, A bill for an act to fix the time of holding general terms of the District Court in and for the Tenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, and amending Chapter 367 of the General Statutes of 1917.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 281

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 281, A bill for an act to fix the time of holding general terms of the District Court in and for the Tenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, and amending Chapter 367 of the General Statutes of 1917.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wilcox,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 282, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements at and constructing and repairing municipal baths and bath houses in such cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 283, A bill for an act to appropriate \$500.00 to pay Donald E. Bridgman for services rendered in connection with the compilation of the Uniform Commercial Acts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 284, A bill for an act empowering the State Board for vocational education to establish a division for the re-education and placement of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, permitting co-operation with the Federal Government, and making an appropriation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 124, A bill for an act entitled, "An Act authorizing and empowering boards of County Commissioners in Counties now or hereafter having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 to appropriate and expend not exceeding \$25,000 per year for two years in the improvement of lakes."

H. F. No. 109, A bill for an act entitled, "An Act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants."

H. F. No. 98, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 10 of Section 696 General Statutes 1913 relating to an appropriation by certain Counties for a soldiers' and sailors' monument."

H. F. No. 178, A bill for an act providing for free tuition in the State University and at the State Normal Schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts, or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

H. F. No. 102, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

January 30, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 124, A bill for an act entitled, "An Act authorizing and empowering boards of County Commissioners in Counties now or hereafter having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 to appropriate and expend not exceeding \$25,000 per year for two years in the improvement of lakes."

Was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No.

124, be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 104, No. 2 on Calendar, and that S. F. No. 104 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 124,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 104,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 109, A bill for an act entitled, "An Act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants."

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 98, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 10 of Section 696 General Statutes 1913 relating to an appropriation by certain Counties for a soldiers' and sailors' monument."

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 178, A bill for an act providing for free tuition in the State University and at the State Normal Schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts, or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. F. No. 102, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 239, A bill for an act to provide Whole Family Protection for Members of Fraternal Benefit Societies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words "for whose support and maintenance a

member of such association is responsible" in the 6th line and 7th line of Section 1, and placing in lieu thereof the following sentence: "Any person responsible for the support of a child may make application for such benefits." Further amend S. F. No. 239 by inserting after the new sentence of Section 1, provided in the foregoing amendment, the following: "Provided that such society has a class of adult membership carrying life insurance certificates at a rate of contribution at least equal to those known as National Fraternal Congress rates with four (4) per cent interest, to which juvenile certificate holders shall be transferred without medical re-examination upon attaining the age of sixteen years."

Further amend by striking out the words "provided that such surrender will not reduce the number of lives insured in the branch below five hundred" where they appear in the 14th, 15th and 16th lines of Section 3.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 155, A bill for an act to provide how Fraternal Benefit societies organized under the laws of this State may consolidate, merge or reinsure its insurance risks, with any other Fraternal Benefit Society, or assume or reinsure the risks of any other Fraternal Benefit Society and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 205, A bill for an act relating to investments and deposits of insurance companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 221, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3541 and 3545, General Statutes, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the word "and" where it appears in the 16th line of Section 1. Strike out the word "and" where it appears in the 19th line of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "with". Strike out the word "and" where it appears in the 21st line of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "with".

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred a resolution introduced by Mr. Baldwin, memorializing Congress in reference to the tribal funds of the Chippewa Indians now in the hands of the Federal Government,

Reports the same back with a recommendation that said resolution be amended so as to read as follows:

Whereas, The Great majority of the people of Chippewa Indian blood residing in the state of Minnesota are citizens of said state and perform all the obligations imposed by the state upon all other citizens; and

Whereas, The great majority of the Chippewa people in the state of Minnesota are, in the opinion of the Senate of Minnesota, capable of managing and controlling their property interests; and

Whereas, The Government of the United States through its Bureau of Indian Affairs has maintained for a number of years and is now maintaining a large force of agents and employes in connection with the administration of said trust at a very considerable expense, which expense is being paid out of the trust funds of said Indians; and

Whereas, We are of the opinion that the further maintenance of this force of agents and employes at the expense of said trust fund has become unnecessary;

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota that the Congress of the United States be and it is hereby requested to discontinue the use of said trust fund for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and that it be further requested to enact such legislation as will enable said Chippewa people to secure a final settlement of their tribal affairs with the United States Government, due regard being had for the well-being of said Indians.

Be It Further Resolved, That the senators and representatives

in the Congress of the United States from the State of Minnesota be requested to assist in carrying out the purposes for which this resolution is designed.

Be It Further Resolved, That a duly authenticated copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, that another be transmitted to the President of the Senate of the Congress of the United States, and that copies be sent to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives from the State of Minnesota.

And that as so amended the same do pass.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, as recommended by the committee.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Benson,	Devold,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Brooks,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,	

So the resolution was adopted, as amended.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 173, A bill for an act to provide for a temporary additional militia organization to be known as a Provost Guard and for the temporary relief of men in the State of Minnesota, who have been honorably discharged from the military or naval forces of the United States during the present war and are in need of assistance and in want and appropriating money therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 238, A bill for an act to amend Section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the duties of the

clerk of the county board of education of unorganized territory, and providing for the publication of the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of such board.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 157, A bill for an act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 239, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to public schools.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Section 1. That Section 9 of Chapter 239, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

“9. Any pupil from an associated rural school shall be admitted to the seventh and eighth grades in the central school upon the same conditions as pupils resident in the district of the central school.”

Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after August 1, 1919.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 105, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 217, General Laws of 1917, being an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 27, A bill for an act providing for the clearing of stumps, trees, brush, and the construction of drains for the prevention of forest fires, for the benefit of the public health, and for farming purposes, and the payment for the same by the county, and providing for the assessment against lands so improved.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 28, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of burning in woods and prairie lands.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By inserting the words "and all other areas bearing native coniferous tree growth" after the word "Kittson" where the same occurs in line 8 of section 1.

2. By inserting the words "capable of checking the spread of such fire" after the word "firebreak" where the same occurs in line 9 of section 1.

3. By inserting the sentence "Any person setting such fires shall watch the same and use the highest degree of diligence to prevent their spreading to the property of another or getting beyond control," after the word "officer" where the same occurs in line 13 of section 1.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the following named person, Thos. C. Majewski, be and is hereby appointed for the position as general stenographer at the compensation of five dollars per day from Jan. 29th, 1919.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashe,	Hall,	Naplin,	Romberg,	

So the resolution was adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 239, 155, 205, 221, 173, 238, 157, 105, 27, 28.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate Journal as of Wednesday, January 29th (14th day), be corrected so as to show that Mr. Wilcox voted in the affirmative for the suspension of the rules on the Devold resolution, then under consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

The Journal was then corrected as ordered.

Mr. Hegnes moved that S. F. No. 31 be recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade and be re-referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 31 was recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

S. F. No. 31 was re-referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Messrs. Peterson, Cumming, Sageng, Gillam, Palmer, Turnham, Putnam and Gandrud introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved by the State of Minnesota, That the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety be, and it hereby is, instructed to continue in force for a period of sixty (60) days from the date of the adoption of this resolution, its orders heretofore made, numbered one, two, seven, eight, ten, eleven, twelve, fourteen, seventeen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-two, twenty-four, thirty-four, thirty-five, forty-three, forty-seven and forty-eight.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Sullivan.

Mr. McGarry moved that S. F. No. 185 be recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade and be re-referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 185 was recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

S. F. No. 185 was re-referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Messrs. Cumming, Sageng, Gillam, Palmer, Turnham, Gandrud, Putnam and Peterson introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption—

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota: That the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety be, and it hereby is, instructed to continue in force for a period of sixty (60) days its orders creating the Home Guard and Motor Transport Guard, together with all additions and amendments to said orders.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Devold.

Mr. Blomgren moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, January 31, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Noian,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Anderson was excused for an indefinite time on account of sickness.

Messrs. Carley and Putnam were excused for all of next week.

Messrs. Gjerset and Peterson were excused for Monday and Tuesday of next week.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Two petitions from the Minnesota Woman Suffrage Association were read and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

ST. PAUL, January 29, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

Milton M. Williams, Morrison County, for the term ending the first Tuesday in March, 1925.

William J. Mayo, Olmsted County, for the term ending the first Tuesday in March, 1925.

MUNICIPAL JUDGES.

Ezra R. Smith, Crow Wing County, Municipal Judge in and for the Village of Crosby.

Charles N. Matson, Renville County, Municipal Judge in and for the City of Renville for the term expiring when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

SPECIAL MUNICIPAL JUDGE.

Harrison B. Sherwood, Crow Wing County, Special Municipal Judge in and for the City of Brainerd for the term ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

MEMBERS STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

L. C. Weeks, Becker County, for the term of three years beginning February 5, 1919.

Thomas McDavitt, Ramsey County, for the term of three years beginning January 28, 1919.

Samuel H. Boyer, St. Louis County, for the term of three years beginning February 5, 1919.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF CHIROPODY EXAMINERS AND REGISTRATION.

Edwin C. Murphy, Ramsey County, for the unexpired term of H. E. Ballard, deceased, expiring May 3, 1919.

MEMBERS STATE BOARD OF ELECTRICITY.

John W. Helm, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1924.

Oscar M. Frykman, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1924.

Fred A. Otto, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate, having advised with, do now consent to and confirm the appointments of His Excellency The Governor, above transmitted.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Hall, Gillam and Cashel introduced—

S. F. No. 285, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salaries of County Commissioners.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Putnam and Cashel introduced—

S. F. No. 286, A bill for an act providing for the appointment of court reporters in the thirteenth and seventeenth judicial districts of this state defining the duties and fixing the compensation of such reporters.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Schmechel introduced—

S. F. No. 287, A bill for an act authorizing the licensing of certain persons as veterinarians without examination.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 288, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken by the County Board of any county for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and to legalize the contract for doing said work and the bonds heretofore authorized or issued or hereafter to be authorized or issued in pursuance thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 289, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915, relating to the prescription by physicians and dentists of certain narcotics for habitual users of the same so as to prohibit such prescriptions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 290, A bill for an act to amend Section 7401, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the depositing of money not claimed by distributees.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 35, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 424, Special Laws for 1891, entitled An act to regulate the salaries, compensation and fees of certain county officers of Polk County, Minnesota.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 129, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 344, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to commitment and petition for discharge of feeble minded persons.

H. F. No. 142, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 217, General Laws of 1917, being an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts and to apportion anew the Senators and Representatives among the several districts.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Jan. 30, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File herewith returned.

S. F. No. 117, A bill for an act to prohibit the cutting, harvesting, taking or obtaining of ice in or from certain waters within the limits of cities of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Jan. 31, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 142, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 217 General Laws of 1917, being an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 129, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 344, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to commitment and petition for discharge of feeble minded persons.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 182, A bill for an act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Section 28 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to highways which have or may become impassable by reason of neglect thereof by the town. By adding to said section a new subdivision making it the duty of the members of the town board to do the work or make the improvements directed by the County Board under certain circumstances and prescribing a penalty for their failure or neglect so to do.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Senate File No. 182 by striking out the word "gross" in the last line of said bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 228, A bill for an act fixing the clerk hire of the County Auditor in counties now or hereafter having not less than thirty-eight nor more than forty-two Congressional townships and now or hereafter having a taxable valuation of not less than eight million dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Senate File No. 228 by adding at end of Section 1 the following:

“Provided, however, that the total amount of clerk hire shall not exceed Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) in any one year.”

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 265, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 156 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, the same being an act relating to sheriffs and their deputies and other assistants in counties containing not less than eighty Congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000 and to the salaries of such deputies and assistants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 147, A bill for an act relating to compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 144, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 5 of Section 5762, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to the fees of sheriffs.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 124, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 338, Laws of Minnesota 1915, relative to salaries of auditors and treasurers in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles and valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$40,000,000.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 166, A bill for an act providing an official designation for the several state asylums and state hospitals for the insane and the hospital farm for inebriates.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 165, A bill for an act to authorize the chief executive officers of State institutions to execute bonds in favor of the Federal Government in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 87, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of period of corporate existence of certain corporations whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporation made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 174, A bill for an act entitled, An act to reimburse the official reporter of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District for amounts paid out for railway, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from his place of residence in the discharge of his official duties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 138, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the District Judges and to rules of the District Court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 87, A bill for an act to authorize the District Court to dismiss actions and proceedings which shall not be brought to trial within five years from the commencement thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 85, A bill for an act giving the powers of the Chief Justice to an associate justice when the Chief Justice is absent from the State or incapacitated.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 7, A bill for an act to amend the last paragraph of Section 1 of Chapter 66, General Laws 1917, relating to appeals

in civil and criminal actions, and the fees and charges in the Supreme Court thereon.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 6, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 379 of the General Laws of 1911, being Section 9413 of General Statutes 1913, relative to the qualifications of official and legal publications.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows :

1. Strike out all of section 2 of the bill and insert the following in lieu thereof :

“Section 2. All acts and parts of acts, whether general or special, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.”

2. Adding a new section to the bill, to be known as Section 3, and to read as follows :

“Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after Nov. 1, 1919.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 5, A bill for an act to amend Section 118, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Supreme Court, and the terms thereof to be held by the justices each year.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 4, A bill for an act to amend Section 9248, General Statutes 1913, relating to recognizances on appeals or writs of error to the Supreme Court in criminal cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 58, A bill for an act to amend Section 776, General Statutes for 1913, and to repeal Section 777, General Statutes for 1913, relating to method of organization of towns, and the petitioners necessary thereto and their qualifications.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 182, 228, 265, 147, 144, 124, 166, 165, 174, 138, 87, 85, 7, 6, 5, 4, 58.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 87.

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Benson moved that S. F. No. 173, No. 19 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance, the same to retain its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 173,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 142 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 105, No. 22 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 105 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 142,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 105,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Peterson called up the resolution introduced by Messrs. Peterson, Cumming, Sageng, Gillam, Palmer, Turnham, Putnam and Gandrud on January 30th (fifteenth day) and which appears on the twelfth page of the Senate Journal, as of the above date and day.

After some remarks had been made as to the purpose of the resolution, Mr. Sullivan moved that action on the resolution be deferred for 30 minutes, which was agreed to by the Senate.

Mr. Sageng introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption—

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, the fixing of a price for the 1919 wheat crop is a matter of great and paramount importance to the people of Minnesota and proposed legislation on that subject is now being considered by a congressional committee in Washington, D. C., and it is important that the interests of this state be properly safeguarded,

Now Therefore, Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota that the Lieutenant Governor of the State of Minnesota be and he is hereby directed to appoint one member of the Grain and Warehouse Committee to attend, with a member of the Minnesota Railway and Warehouse Commission, a congressional hearing at Washington, D. C., at which proposed legislation affecting and fixing the price of wheat for the 1919 crop is to be considered.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millet,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

Pursuant to the foregoing resolution, the President of the Senate appointed Mr. Gillam to attend a congressional hearing at Washington, D. C., at which proposed legislation affecting and fixing the price of wheat for the 1919 crop is to be considered.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Palmer, at 11 A. M., moved that the Senate do now recess for ten minutes, for the purpose of hearing an address by Harry W. Jones, District Vocational Officer, Federal Board for Vocational Education.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 11:10 A. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Peterson moved that the resolution previously under consideration with reference to the Public Safety Commission be amended, as follows:

By striking out all of the words thereof beginning with the words "sixty (60) days" in the 3d line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Ten (10) days from the adoption of this resolution all its orders heretofore made."

Mr. Peterson then moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peterson then moved the adoption of the resolution as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette moved that the Senate do now recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2 o'clock P. M., the hour having arrived for the consideration of the Sullivan-Wilcox election contest.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Putnam moved that the majority report and resolution of the Committee on Elections declared that contestant George H. Sullivan was duly elected as Senator of the 43d Legislative District of the State of Minnesota on Nov. 5, 1918, and that he is entitled to be seated as such Senator of said District in this Senate be adopted.

Mr. Sageng moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wilcox,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Mr. Sageng then moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sageng moved that the minority report as printed in the Journal of the Senate for the 14th day and appearing on pages 36-44 inclusive, be substituted for the majority report.

The question being taken on the adoption of the substitution of the minority report for the majority report,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 31, and nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Palmer,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Jackson,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Devold,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Handlan,	Rask,	Vibert,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Reed,	Ward,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sullivan,	
Brooks,	Hall,	Nord,	Swanson,	
Callahan,	Hamer,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,	

So the President of the Senate declared that the minority report was not adopted.

Mr. Guilford offered the following amendment to the majority report—

RESOLUTION.

George H. Sullivan of Stillwater, Minnesota, having duly filed with the State Senate a notice of contest of the election of W. W. Wilcox to the office of State Senator for the 43d Legislative District, and the matter having been duly referred to the Elections Committee, and the said committee having duly presented to the Senate two reports, one finding the contestant entitled to a seat as State Senator from the said 43d District, the other report finding that the contestee, W. W. Wilcox, is entitled to said seat from the said 43d District, and the Senate having duly considered both of said reports.

Now Be It Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, that:

The contestee, W. W. Wilcox, by reason of serious and important violations of the Statutes of Minnesota governing the conduct of candidates for election to the office for which he was a candidate, is not entitled to hold and keep the office of State Senator from the said 43d Legislative District of Minnesota.

That the vacancy thereby created be filled by calling a special election forthwith, in accordance with the Statutes of Minnesota governing special elections for filling vacancies.

That a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Governor and that he is hereby requested to call such special election in the usual manner in accordance with the Statutes of the State of Minnesota.

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment to the majority report.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35, and nays 27, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Carley,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Larson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Cumming,	Hall,	Lee,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Devold,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Vibert,
Baldwin,	Callahan,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Ward,
Benson,	Denegre,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Millett,	Rockne.	
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Nord,	Sullivan,	
Bonniwell,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,	

So the amendment to the majority report was adopted.

Mr. Guilford moved that the vote whereby the amendment to the majority report was adopted be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Guilford offered the following as a substitute to the motion to adopt the majority report, and moved its adoption—

Whereas, George H. Sullivan of Stillwater having duly filed with the State Senate a notice of contest of the election of W. W. Wilcox to the office of State Senator for the 43rd Legislative District, and the matter having been duly referred to the Election Committee and the said committee having duly presented to the Senate two reports, one finding the contestant entitled to the seat as State Senator from said 43rd District, and the other report finding that the Contestee W. W. Wilcox is entitled to said seat from the said 43rd District, and the Senate having duly considered both of said reports;

Now Therefore, Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota:

1. That the said George H. Sullivan did not receive a majority of the votes cast at said election and was not elected.

2. That the Contestee, W. W. Wilcox, by reason of deliberate, serious and material violations of the Statute of Minnesota governing the conduct of candidates for election to the office for which he was a candidate, did not receive a legal majority of the votes legally cast at such election and is not entitled to hold and retain his seat as Senator, and said seat is hereby declared vacant.

3. That the vacancy thereby created be filled by calling a special election forthwith in accordance with the Statutes of the State of Minnesota governing special elections for filling a vacancy in the office of state senator.

That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Governor and that he is hereby requested to call such special election in accordance with the Statutes of the State of Minnesota.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Devold,	Gillam,
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Guilford,
Benson,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Erickson,	Hall,
Bessette,	Callahan,	Cumming,	Fowler,	Hamer,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Denegre,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,

Hopp,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Rockne,	Turnham,
Jackson,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Johnson,	McGarry,	Peterson,	Sageng,	Vibert,
Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Kuntz,	Millett,	Rask,	Stepan,	Widell,
Larson,	Naplin,	Reed,	Sullivan,	Wold,
Lee,	Nolan,	Ribenack,	Swanson,	

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Sullivan moved that the Senate do now adjourn until next Tuesday, February 4th, 11 o'clock A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, February 4, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Vibert was excused for Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Blomgren was excused for today.

Mr. Jackson was excused for tomorrow.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A petition from residents of Hubbard county was read, ordered not printed, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

A letter from the Farmers' Terminal Packing Company was read and ordered not printed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
ST. PAUL, February 3, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 35, An act to repeal Chapter 424, Special Laws for 1891, entitled, An act to regulate the salaries, compensation and fees of certain county officers of Polk county, Minnesota.

S. F. No. 117, An act to prohibit the cutting, harvesting, taking or obtaining of ice in or from certain waters within the limits of cities of the first class not governed by a home rule charter.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Benson and Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 291, A bill for an act to amend Section 6358, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to State Banks.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 292, A bill for an act relating to reinsurance by insurers authorized to issue policies in this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 293, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 446, Section 3, of the General Laws of 1913, entitled An act to fix and provide for the salaries of the deputy coroner, secretary, morgue keeper, and assistant morgue keeper of counties in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) and less than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 294, A bill for an act to amend Section 1416, General Statutes 1913, relating to special assessments in installments for paving in cities having 20,000 inhabitants or less.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 295, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 385, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, being an act entitled, An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of insurance and certain other companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 296, A bill for an act amending the title and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 15 and 17 of Chapter 429, General Laws, 1917, being An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof, and creating a state securities commission.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 297, A bill for an act to appropriate money to aid in the payment of premiums at exhibitions of poultry by poultry associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 298, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the maintenance and encouragement of county and district agricultural societies, and for payment of premiums on exhibits at fairs held by such societies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 299, A bill for an act permitting counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand people to appro-

priate money for the purpose of advertising, improving or developing the agricultural resources of such counties and the payment of such money to incorporated development societies, amending Section 745, General Statutes 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 300, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (1) of Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which Section 88 was amended by Section 28, Laws 1917, by adding thereto at the end thereof a new subdivision and which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to the repair and maintenance of bridges on town and county roads and also the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to roads which have become impassable.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 301, A bill for an act to amend Section 6516, General States 1913, as amended by Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Mr. Denegre, for the Ramsey County delegation, introduced—

S. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to authorize County Commissioners to appropriate moneys to assist in the construction, improvement and maintenance of connecting roads and streets, and bridges thereon, in certain cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 303, A bill for an act relating to court bonds, undertakings, recognizances and other securities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 304, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 5, General

Laws 1919, entitled, An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Messrs. Swanson and Brooks introduced—

S. F. No. 305, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 5, Chapter 194 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases, and appropriating money thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Kuntz introduced—

S. F. No. 306, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1, 2 and 3, Chapter 65, of the laws of 1915, relating to mutual liability insurance associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 307, A bill for an act to amend subdivision three, section one, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 308, A bill for an act to amend Section 83, Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor, and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes, as amended by Chapter 43 of the General Laws of 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 309, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 488, Laws of 1917, relating to state assignment, tax sale certificates or forfeited sale tax certificates, and limiting the time within which notices of expiration of redemption may be issued or served upon such certificates, and declaring void all such certificates upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and extinguishing the lien of all such certificates and the lien of the taxes for the year or years described therein upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and the lien of all subsequent taxes paid under any such certificate.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 310, A bill for an act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 200,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 311, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more to provide and maintain at the expense of the county, transportation facilities for the use of certain county officers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Swanson, Rask, Hegnes, Cumming, Hamer, introduced—

S. F. No. 312, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 376, Session Laws of 1913, which Chapter 376 is entitled, An act to appropriate money in aid of the maintenance and expenses of County Agricultural agents, to empower counties to appropriate money for the same purpose, and to provide for and regulate the appointment, maintenance and duties of such agents, and to provide in lieu thereof for county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Putnam and Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 313, A bill for an act to amend section 252, General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, as amended by Chapter 400 of the Session Laws of 1913, being subdivision 2 of Chapter 5A of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the salaries of judges and certain other officers of the Supreme and District Courts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 314, A bill for an act to amend Section 220, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relative to fees on deposits of money in court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler (by request), for Hennepin County Delegation, introduced—

S. F. No. 315, A bill for an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections, and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Hennepin County Delegation (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 316, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 317, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 5384, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to killing of animals and birds in forest reserves, parks, etc.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Hennepin County Delegation, introduced—

S. F. No. 318, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now

or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 319, A bill for an act to authorize and empower cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the state constitution, to acquire, construct, equip, own, maintain and operate street railways, and to issue bonds of the city therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 320, A bill for an act prohibiting railroad common carriers from demanding or collecting from transient merchants demurrage charges in certain cases, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 321, A bill for an act providing that where a patent is issued to a deceased patentee, title shall inure to and become vested in the heirs, devisees or assignees of such deceased patentee.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 322, A bill for an act providing a penalty of five years in the penitentiary for stealing an automobile, or having a stolen automobile in possession.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 323, A bill for an act to amend Section 1038, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to salaries of County Coroners in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 324, A bill for an act to amend Section 1039, General Statutes of Minnesota, relating to salaries of deputies and secretaries of county coroners in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 103, A bill for an act relating to public schools in special school districts of not less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor more than 20,000 inhabitants, and to the rate of taxation in such districts.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 151, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in Public Departments and upon Public Works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

H. F. No. 167, A bill for an act requiring the engineer in charge of the construction of any public ditch, drain or drainage project to file in the office of the Register of Deeds an accurate plat of all drain tile laid as a part of such system.

H. F. No. 122, A bill for an act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the filing of an affidavit of bias or prejudice of judge.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Februaury 3, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 386, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to provide means for purchasing and moving of the wheat still remaining in the hands of the farmers.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 4, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 122, A bill for an act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the filing of an affidavit of bias or prejudice of judge.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 151, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in Public Departments and upon Public Works in the State of Minnesota, and the Counties, Cities and Towns thereof, relating to State, Judicial County, Township, City and Town Officers.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 151 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 137, No. 5 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 137 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 151,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 137

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 167, A bill for an act requiring the engineer in charge of the construction of any public ditch, drain or drainage project to file in the office of the register of deeds an accurate plat of all drain tile laid as a part of such system.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 386, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to provide means for purchasing and moving of the wheat still remaining in the hands of the farmers.

Was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Benson moved

That the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 386, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to provide means for purchasing and moving of the wheat still remaining in the hands of the farmers.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 386

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved to amend H. F. No. 386, a joint resolution, as follows: by inserting after the word "Minnesota" in the second line of the third paragraph of the bill the following: "the Senate concurring."

Which amendment was adopted.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 386, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to provide means for purchasing and moving of the wheat still remaining in the hands of the farmers.

Was read the third time, as amended.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 212, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter

adopted pursuant to Article IV., Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof, made and entered into within four months prior to April 6, 1917, and vesting in the District Court of this State jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 102, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that—

H. F. No. 102 be re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 102,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 93, A bill for an act authorizing city and village councils, boards of county commissioners and town boards to employ public health nurses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 93 and 212,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption—

Whereas, Sunday, February 2, 1919, was the seventy-sixth anniversary of the birth of Senator Knute Nelson, and

Whereas, Senator Nelson, during his long life gave to the nation

the full vigor of his young manhood in the days of civil strife, and has given the people of this state superlative service as County Attorney, State Senator, Regent of the University of Minnesota, Congressman, Governor and United States Senator, and

Whereas, the life of Senator Nelson has been a splendid example of private virtue and public service, devotion to the highest ideal of American manhood and an inspiration to the people of this state;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Senate that on this seventy-sixth anniversary of his birth, we tender to Senator Nelson our felicitations upon the years that have been allotted him, this expression of our hope that he may be spared to us for many other years of life and health and service, and the gratitude of the people of Minnesota that, as he offered his physical strength to the Union in the Sixties, he now gives the higher service of a mental strength—vigorous, honest, loyal—and an unswerving devotion to our national welfare in these critical and momentous days.

Be It Further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be entered in the Journal of the Senate and the Secretary be instructed to forward a certified copy thereof to Senator Knute Nelson.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Hamer offered the following Joint Resolution and moved its adoption—

Whereas, the motor vehicle and other motors using the same or similar fuel have become such an important factor in the economic life of today; and

Whereas, the efficient use of all such motors depends upon the use of a fuel that is of good, or at least of fair quality; and

Whereas, there is at present no general standard of quality of such commodity in our own state, and in but few, if any, of the other states in the union; and

Whereas, this condition leaves the consumer without any adequate guaranty of quality in purchasing motor gasoline; and

Whereas, the State of Minnesota, as well as other states similarly situated in relation to the supply of this commodity, is subject to a serious disadvantage in any effort it may make to adopt and enforce any standard of grade for motor gasoline;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, that the Congress of the United States be requested to adopt and enforce, at the earliest opportunity, through the fuel department, or otherwise, a standard of motor gasoline according

to specifications as recommended by the Committee on Standardization of Petroleum Specifications in its report of October 2d, 1918, and published in Bulletin No. 1, a copy of which is hereunto attached.

Be It Further Resolved, that a duly authenticated copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives; that another be transmitted to the President of the Senate of the Congress of the United States, and also that copies be sent to each representative of the State of Minnesota, in the United States Senate and the House of Representatives.

Specifications for Motor Gasoline

As recommended by the Committee on Standardization of Petroleum Specifications, in its report of Oct. 2, 1918.—Bulletin No. 1.

Quality—Gasoline to be high grade, refined and free from water and all impurities, and shall have a vapor tension not greater than 10 pounds per square inch at 100° Fahrenheit temperature, same to be determined in accordance with the current "Rules and regulations for the transportation of explosives and other dangerous articles by freight"—paragraph 1824 (k)—as issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Inspection and Tests—Inspection—Before acceptance the gasoline will be inspected. Samples of each lot will be taken at random. These samples immediately after drawing will be retained in a clean, absolutely tight closed vessel and a sample for test taken from the mixture in this vessel directly into the test vessel.

Test—One hundred cubic centimeters will be taken as a test sample. The apparatus and method of conducting the distillation test shall be that described in Bureau of Mines Technical Paper No. 1666, Motor Gasoline.

- (a) Boiling point not to be higher than 60° C. (140° F.)
- (b) Twenty % of sample must distill below 105° C. (221° F.)
- (c) Forty-five % must distill below 135° C. (275° F.)
- (d) Ninety % must distill below 180° C. (356° F.)
- (e) The end or dry point of distillation must not be higher than 220° C. (428° F.)
- (f) Not less than 95 % of the liquid will be recovered from the distillation.

Mr. Hamer moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Sageng in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Sageng reported that the committee had considered—

S. F. Nos. 82, 172, 159, 63, 26, 167 and 205.

Also H. F. Nos. 151 and 142.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

Also S. F. Nos. 226, 238, 157 and 28.

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the calendar.

S. F. Nos. 100, 32, 62, 53, 239, 155, 221 and 27.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 137.

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 118,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Sullivan—

Amend Senate File No. 118 by striking out the words “as to” after the word “taken” in line seven (7) of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof the words “involving only.”

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 23,

Which the committee recommends progress, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Denegre—

Amend Senate File No. 23 as follows:

Insert after the word “credit” where it appears in line six (6) of Section 1 of the printed bill, the following:

“Only on the first application made under this act.”

Insert after the word “department” where it appears on the sixth (6th) line, of the printed bill the word “and.”

Insert before the word “notwithstanding” on the seventh (7th) line of the printed bill, “as in this act provided.”

Renumber Section 2 as Section 3, and Section 3 as Section 4, and Section 4 as Section 5, and insert after Section 1 a new Section 2 as follows:

"Section 2. That the members of said Bureau, except unassigned officers thereof, shall only be entitled to make application in the Relief Association connected with the department to which they have been assigned for duty in the office of the superintendent of said Bureau on the 25th day of January, 1919. Such unassigned officers shall be eligible to membership in either of such associations. Credit for time earned shall be allowed only by the Police Benevolent Association for the service so previously spent in the Police Department and the Bureau, and by the Fire Department Relief Association for the service so previously spent in the Fire Department and the Bureau. After joining said Relief Association, any transfer or assignment in said Bureau of said employees shall not affect said membership in said Relief Associations. Any appointee to said Bureau from and after the passage of this act shall only be entitled to join the Fire Department Relief Association in the event that he is filling a vacancy in the Fire Department service."

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Sageng then moved that the report of the committee of the whole, as read by the Secretary be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that the subject matter of S. F. No. 28 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

EIGHTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, February 5th, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Turnham was excused for today.

Mr. Kingsbury was excused for tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Adams was excused for Friday of this week.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A petition from the retail merchants of the City of Rochester, members of the Retail Merchants' Bureau of Rochester Commercial Club, was read, referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and ordered not printed.

A petition from the residents of Reads, Minnesota, was read, referred to the Committee on Game and Fish, and ordered not printed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Orr and Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 325, A bill for an act establishing the Minnesota War Records Commission; providing for the compilation of records and the collection of materials relating to the participation of the State and its citizens in the World War, and for the preparation, publication, and distribution of a memorial record and history of Minnesota's part in the War; and appropriating money for carrying out the provisions of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 326, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to establish a standard of motor gasoline according to specifications for motor gasoline.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 326, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to establish a standard of motor gasoline according to specifications for motor gasoline.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 326

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 326, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to establish a standard of motor gasoline according to specifications for motor gasoline.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Fowler,	Kuntz,
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Conroy,	Gandrud,	Larson,
Benson,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Lee,
Bessette,	Callahan,	Devold,	Hamer,	Lindsley,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Loonam,

McGarry,	Nord,	Reed,	Sageng,	Vibert,
Madigan,	Orr,	Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Millett,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Stepan,	Widell,
Naplin,	Rask,	Romberg,	Sullivan,	Wold,
Nolan,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 327, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of County Boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 328, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of deputy oil-inspectors for the years ending July 31, 1918, and July 31, 1919.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 329, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 5 of Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Messrs. Baldwin, Hall, Kingsbury, Cashel, Cliff, Hopp and Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 330, A bill for an act to provide for the creation of a military unit in the State of Minnesota, to be known as Minnesota State Motor Corps.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Messrs. Hegnes and Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 331, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of County

Boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 332, A bill for an act for the relief of H. S. Smoland for the loss of property sustained by him at Grand Marais, Minnesota, by reason of the seizure thereof by a deputy state game warden and the disposal thereof and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Cashel introduced—

S. F. No. 333, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, of Chapter 429 of the Session Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1917, by adding to said section a provision that said act shall not apply to foreign building and loan associations under the supervision of the superintendent of banks and banking of this state, having complied with the laws relative to foreign building and loan associations and licensed to do business in the state by the superintendent of banks and banking of this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 334, A bill for an act requiring persons having charge of buildings, structures or other premises to keep same safe from fire loss, defining the power and authority of the fire marshal with reference to the prevention of fire, and repealing inconsistent acts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 335, A bill for an act to establish Toqua Lake State Park.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 336, A bill for an act to amend Section 5529, General Statutes 1913, relating to drainage.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 337, A bill for an act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a state expert printer, and defining their duties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 338, A bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse the village of Zumbrota for expenses upon armory belonging to State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 339, A bill for an act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of absence to serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Gooding introduced—

S. F. No. 340, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Adeline Hoffman and her four children for the death of George J. Hoffman, which occurred on November 11, 1918, while doing duty as a member of the Motor Corps Division of the Minnesota Home Guard.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 341, A bill for an act making it unlawful to discriminate against handicapped persons through Workmen's Compensation Insurance rates and providing a penalty.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 342, A bill for an act abolishing the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives, and transferring all the powers and duties now possessed by said Commission to the State Board of Health, and creating the office of Executive Secretary of the Sanatorium Division of the Board of Health.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 343, A bill for an act to reimburse A. F. and A. M. Lodge No. 8 for taxes paid on armory in the City of Red Wing while the property was owned by the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 344, A bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse Nels C. Lien for injuries sustained in the course of his duties while serving as a private of Company A, Fifth Battalion, Home Guards of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 345, A bill for an act requiring Chief of the Fire Department in every city, village or town to make inspections of buildings and keep records thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Messrs. Bessette and Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 346, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 93 of the Session Laws of 1915, relating to the manner, time and place of holding terms of District Court in the Eleventh Judicial District of Minnesota, providing for general terms of District Court at Virginia, Hibbing and Ely in St. Louis county.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 347, A bill for an act to amend Section 9, Chapter 199,

Laws 1915, authorizing payment for annuities and benefits from teacher's insurance and retirement fund.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Baldwin and Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 348, A bill for an act to amend Section 718, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 270 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to the establishment and maintenance of County Tuberculosis Sanatoria.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Cumming and Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 349, A bill for an act prohibiting the sale or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor in certain localities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 350, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of employes of the State Auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state land.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 351, A bill for an act to amend Section 6483 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the amount of capital stock of co-operative associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Bonniwell introduced—

S. F. No. 352, A bill for an act to amend Section 9313, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of binding twine manufactured in the Minnesota state prison.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the

House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 407, A bill for an act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the proceedings of any village not having Home Rule Charter, and whether organized under the General Laws or a Special Law, in the matter of establishing, constructing and providing for the cost of a general sewer system, and creating sewer districts therein, including the letting of the contract or contracts for the construction of sewers, pursuant to Chapter 10 of the General Statutes of 1913 and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915, between October 1, 1916 and October 1, 1918, and authorizing all such villages to carry out and complete such construction, and provide for the payment thereof, according to the provisions of Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915.

February 5, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 6. A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

February 4, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 172, A bill for an act to amend Section 6487 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the formation and validating the acts of co-operative associations.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 4, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 407, A bill for an act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the proceedings of any village not having Home Rule Charter, and whether organized under the General Laws or a Special Law, in the matter of establishing, constructing and providing for the cost of a general sewer system, and creating sewer districts therein, including the letting of the contract or contracts for the construction of sewers, pursuant to Chapter 10 of the General Statutes of 1913 and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915, between October 1, 1916 and October 1, 1918, and authorizing all

such villages to carry out and complete such construction, and provide for the payment thereof, according to the provisions of Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 172, A bill for an act to amend Section 6487 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the formation and validating the acts of co-operative associations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Markets and Marketing.

H. F. No. 6, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of Motor Vehicles.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 304, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 5, General Statutes, 1919, entitled An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out of Section 1, the following:

“If any person whose name does not appear on said register shall ask to vote at said primary election, his name shall be entered upon such registers upon taking such oath, answering such questions and complying with such other provisions of the existing laws as required for registration. Provided, that any duly qualified voter who has served in the United States Army or Navy since April 6, 1918, shall be entitled to vote at such special election without registration, upon proving his qualification as a voter and as to such service upon oath to the satisfaction of the judges, and that in case no primary election shall be held prior to any such special election, any qualified voter may vote without registration upon proving his qualifications as a voter under oath to the satisfaction of the judges; and further provided, that in cities of the third class any qualified voter may vote at such election without registration upon proving his qualifications as a voter to the satisfaction of the judges.” And insert in lieu thereof the following: “If any person whose name does not appear on said registers shall ask to vote at said primary

or special election, his name shall be entered upon such registers upon taking such oath, answering such questions, and complying with all other provisions contained in Section 434, General Statutes, 1913."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved—

That the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 304, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 5, General Laws, 1919, entitled An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.

Be read the second and third times as amended and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 304,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 304, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 5, General Laws, 1919, entitled An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Callahan,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 232, A bill for an act providing in certain cases for the issuance of patents to lands heretofore sold, by the state under executory contracts, to persons engaged during the present war in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States and appropriating money with which to pay the unpaid principal and interest as stipulated in such contracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 78, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for and establishing a trunk highway system to be constructed, improved and maintained by the State; establishing and authorizing the creation of a fund for such purpose by the taxation of motor vehicles, the issuance of bonds, and otherwise.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 232 and 78,
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGarry gave notice that on Friday, February 7th, he would move to make S. F. No. 78 a special order.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 346 be returned to its author. Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 346 was returned to its author.

Mr. Erickson moved that S. F. No. 317 be recalled from the Committee on Public Domain and be re-referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 317

Was recalled from the Committee on Public Domain.

S. F. No. 317

Was re-referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Johnson moved that when the Senate do adjourn it be until 2:00 o'clock P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole with Mr. Fowler in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Fowler reported that the committee had considered

S. F. Nos. 100, 239, 155, 228, 265, 147, 124 and 166,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 53, 221, 173, 27, 182, 144 and 165,

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 32,

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 23

Which the committee recommends to pass with the privilege of amending on the calendar.

S. F. No. 62,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Adams—

To amend Senate File No. 62 as follows:

1. By striking out the word "until" where the same appears in the thirteenth line of Section 1 of the printed bill and substituting in lieu thereof the word "unless".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Fowler then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

NINETEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, February 6, 1919.

The Senate met at 2 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Jackson was excused for today.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 353, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Control to expend \$50,000 from the State Prison revolving fund for the erection of a building for inmates of the State Reformatory for Women and repealing authority heretofore given to use \$40,000 from said revolving fund for the erection of a Women's Prison in connection with the State Prison.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 354, A bill for an act providing for the imprisonment in the State Reformatory for Women of females convicted of any crime, punishable, under the provisions of the statutes prescribing the punishment for such crime, by imprisonment in the State Prison and also providing for the transfer from the State Prison to the State Reformatory for women of females committed to the State Prison prior to the time this act takes effect and providing for the imprisonment of such prisoners so transferred in said State Reformatory for Women during the balance of the unexpired term for which they were originally committed to said State Prison.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Putnam and Sageng introduced—

S. F. No. 355, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 356, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2168, 2174, 2180, 2181 and 2184, Revised Laws of 1905, being part of Chapter 31 thereof, which chapter relates to the inspection of steam vessels and boilers and the licensing of engineers, also amending said Chapter 31 by adding thereto three (3) new sections, said amendments and new sections providing for the appointment of a board of boiler inspectors, a chief boiler inspector and a deputy chief boiler inspector, fixing their salaries, prescribing their power and duties, providing a fund for the payment of their salaries and expenses, providing for the licensing of masters and pilots of steam vessels and boats and gasoline boats and vessels carrying passengers for hire, fixing fees for the inspection of boilers and licensing of engineers, masters and pilots, creating a boiler inspector's fund and imposing certain charges and duties on insurance companies doing a boiler insurance business in this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 357, A bill for an act authorizing the State Auditor to allow the construction and use of school houses in certain State Parks.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Reed introduced—

S. F. No. 358, A bill for an act to amend Section 4146, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws of 1917, relating to admissions to the state schools for the deaf and the blind.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Reed introduced—

S. F. No. 359, A bill for an act to validate disbursements heretofore made by any county for the purpose of equipping any company or companies of the Minnesota Home Guard or any motor corps of said county.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 360, A bill for an act relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Health in the sanitation of labor camps and provisions for the enforcement thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 361, A bill for an act amending Chapter 250, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915 and authorizing the Secretary of State to modify the contract entered into on behalf of the State of Minnesota for the printing and publishing of the Supreme Court Reports under such act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 362, A bill for an act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings in probate court and attorneys' lien therein, and to repeal Chapter 21 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1905, relating to the same subject.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Brooks (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 363, A bill for an act to authorize the publication of the summary of the annual statements of insurance companies in certain insurance trade journals.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 364, A bill for an act to provide for the renewal of the period of duration of building and loan associations in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Messrs. Brooks, Callahan, Devold, Fowler, Palmer, Guilford and Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 365, A bill for an act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4 of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 366, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. Milton Paul Ware.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 367, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Article 9 of the Constitution of this state, which amendment, if adopted, will authorize the state to insure persons, owning property in this state, against loss of, or damage to such property by fire and lightning and also authorizing the appropriation and expenditure of money raised by taxation for such purpose.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Messrs. Bessette and Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 368, A bill for an act providing for general terms of

District Court at Virginia, Hibbing and Ely in St. Louis county.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 369, A bill for an act to amend Section 4940, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, with reference to the publication of the Legislative Manual.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 370, A joint resolution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 324, A concurrent resolution petitioning Congress to extend to crippled workers benefits of retraining similar to those given to soldiers.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 5, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 324, A concurrent resolution petitioning Congress to extend to crippled workers benefits of retraining similar to those given to soldiers.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 324, A concurrent resolution petitioning Congress to extend to crippled workers benefits of retraining similar to those given to soldiers.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 324,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 324, A concurrent resolution petitioning Congress to extend to crippled workers benefits of retraining similar to those given to soldiers.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the adoption of the concurrent resolution.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Reed,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Brooks,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the concurrent resolution was adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Sullivan, from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 295, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 385, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, being an act entitled, "An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of insurance and certain other companies."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 296, A bill for an act amending the title and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 15 and 17 of Chapter 429, General Laws 1917, being "An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds, or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof, and creating a state securities commission."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the words "federal farm loan banks" in the second line of subdivision (d) of Section 2 of the bill the words "building and loan associations of this state."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules, to which was referred—

The resignation of Mr. Clyde Weber, as Committee Clerk of the Senate, and which resignation is hereto attached.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resignation be accepted, and that J. D. Millet be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by such resignation.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 40, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to the compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 61, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 407, A bill for an act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the proceedings of any village not having Home Rule Charter, and whether organized under the General Laws or a Special

Law, in the matter of establishing, constructing and providing for the cost of a general sewer system, and creating sewer districts therein, including the letting of the contract or contracts for the construction of sewers, pursuant to Chapter 10 of the General Statutes of 1913 and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915 between October 1, 1916, and October 1, 1918, and authorizing all such villages to carry out and complete such construction, and provide for the payment thereof, according to the provisions of Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ward moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 407, A bill for an act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the proceedings of any village not having Home Rule Charter, and whether organized under the General Laws or a Special Law, in the matter of establishing, constructing and providing for the cost of a general sewer system, and creating sewer districts therein, including the letting of the contract or contracts for the construction of sewers, pursuant to Chapter 10 of the General Statutes of 1913 and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915 between October 1, 1916, and October 1, 1918, and authorizing all such villages to carry out and complete such construction, and provide for the payment thereof, according to the provisions of Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 407

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 407, A bill for an act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the proceedings of any village not having Home Rule Charter, and whether organized under the General Laws or a Special Law, in the matter of establishing, constructing and providing for the cost of a general sewer system, and creating sewer districts therein, including the letting of the contract or contracts for the construction of sewers, pursuant to Chapter 10 of the General Statutes of 1913 and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915 between October 1, 1916, and October 1, 1918, and authorizing all

such villages to carry out and complete such construction, and provide for the payment thereof, according to the provisions of Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 285, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salaries of county commissioners.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 274, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of the county treasurer in counties of this state, containing not less than 38 congressional townships of land, nor more than 42 congressional townships of land, and having an assessed valuation of not less than eight million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

To amend Senate File No. 274 by striking out the words and fig-

ures \$1,200.00 where they appear in line 8, Section 1, of the bill, and insert in place thereof the words and figures \$900.00.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 131, A bill for an act to amend Section 6017, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 282, Session Laws, Minnesota 1915, and as amended by Chapter 408, Session Laws, Minnesota 1917, and to amend Sections 6019, 6020, General Statutes Minnesota, as amended by Chapter 173, Session Laws Minnesota 1915, and to amend Sections 6021, 6022, 6023, 6024, 6025, 6026, 6027, 6028, 6029, 6031, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, and to repeal Sections 6016, 6032, 6033, 6034, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to legal and partition fences.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

• Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 270, A bill for an act to ratify and confirm the sale by the County Board of any county in this state and the purchase by any city of the first class operating under a charter adopted in pursuance to Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, of a portion of the Court House grounds located in such city and acquired by such county for a county court house, jail and court house grounds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 219, A bill for an act to amend Section 2632 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to motor vehicles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 7, A bill for an act forbidding the use, without permission, of motor vehicles and prescribing punishment therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 57, A bill for an act forbidding the use, without permission, of motor vehicles and prescribing punishment therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 57,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 16, A bill for an act entitled, An act to abolish the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, and to repeal Chapter 261, Laws of Minnesota, 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sullivan moved that the report of the committee be not adopted, that S. F. No. 16 be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 295, 296, 40, 61, 285, 274, 131, 270 and 219.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 7,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Cumming offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Because of the great importance of the people of the state of

growing of pure grains and grasses, and because of the vast importance of the dairy and live stock industry.

Be It Resolved, that the President of the Senate appoint three (3) members of the Senate to attend the Midwinter Fair and Live Stock Show to be held at Crookston, February 12, 1919.

Which resolution was adopted.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 29, A bill for an act to amend Section 6406, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to directors of trust companies and to vacancies in the board of directors of trust companies.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Benson moved to amend Senate File No. 29, printed bill, by striking out the period at the end of line 10, and inserting in place thereof a comma, and adding after such comma in said line the following: "provided, however, that not more than one-third of the membership of such board may be so filled in any one year."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 82, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing the salary of the county commissioners in counties of this State now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than \$3,000,000 and not more than \$5,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cliff,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 118, A bill for an act to amend Section 64 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which section relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards and the audit and payment of damages after the determination of an appeal in proceedings for the establishment, alteration or vacation of public highways.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 172, A bill for an act entitled, An act amending Section 3107, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salary of the clerk of the poor board.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Blomgren,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Hall,
Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Erickson,	Hamer,
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Handlan,
Benson,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Hegnes,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Devold,	Guilford,	Hopp,

Johnson,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Vibert,
Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Rask,	Stepan,	Ward,
Kuntz,	Nolan,	Reed,	Sullivan,	Widell,
Larson,	Nord,	Ribenack,	Swanson,	Wold,
Lee,	Orr,	Romberg,	Turnham,	
Loonam,	Palmer,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 159, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants, owning a hospital, to levy annually a tax of not exceeding one mill for the purpose of operating and maintaining such hospital.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Besette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 63, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 1427 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Section 6, of Chapter 343, of the General Laws of the year 1909, relating to the teacher's retirement fund in cities of the first class, as amended by Chapter 300 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Baldwin,	Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,
Benson,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,
Besette,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Orr,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Palmer,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hall,	Loonam,	Putnam,

Rask,	Rockne,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,	Widell,
Reed,	Romberg,	Swanson,	Ward,	Wold,
Ribenack,	Sageng,	Turnham,		

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 26, A bill for an act relating to lots in private cemeteries and their perpetual care.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 167, A bill for an act authorizing the State Treasurer and State Auditor to make temporary transfers of money in the State Treasury not needed for immediate disbursements to the State Prison Revolving Fund and providing for the return thereof with interest to the funds from which the transfers are so made.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 235, Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Section 6 of Chap-

ter 119, Laws of Minnesota 1917, which section provides for the appointment by the Commissioner of Highways of assistant engineers and prescribing their powers, duties and compensation.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend Senate File No. 226 by inserting after the word "compensation" in line 5 of Section 1, of said bill, the words, "provided that the maximum amount to be paid to any Assistant Engineer except the First Assistant Engineer and Chief Bridge Engineer shall not exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Orr,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 205, A bill for an act relating to investments and deposits of insurance companies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 238, A bill for an act to amend Section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the duties of the clerk of the County Board of Education of unorganized territory and providing for the publication of the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of such board.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Brooks,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 157, A bill for an act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 239, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to public schools.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Madigan moved to amend S. F. No. 157 as follows—

Strike out all of lines 3 and 4 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following :

“Section 9. Any pupil from an associated rural school shall be admitted to any grade or department in the Central School, upon the same conditions as pupils resident in the district of the Central School; provided, however, the provisions of this section shall not apply to pupils below the 7th grade.”

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43, and nays 2, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Boylan,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,
Benson,	Callahan,	Devold,	Guilford,	Larson,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Hall,	Lee,
Blomgren,	Cliff,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Millett,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Handlan,	Nolan,

Nord,
Palmer,
Putnam,

Rask,
Reed,
Ribenack,

Sageng,
Schmechel,
Stepan,

Sullivan,
Van Hoven,

Vibert,
Wold,

Messrs. Johnson and Loonam voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock A. M., tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTIETH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, February 7, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Bessette was excused for today on account of sickness.

Mr. Carley was excused for all of next week.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, February 6, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 103, A bill for an act relating to public schools in special school districts of not less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor more than 20,000 inhabitants, and to the rate of taxation in such districts.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Anderson introduced—

S. F. No. 371, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to compensation of judges and clerks of elections.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Anderson introduced—

S. F. No. 372, A bill for an act to amend Section 1177, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 373, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to purchase the necessary equipment for the cleaning out, repair and improvement of public drainage ditches within the county.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 374, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 131 of the

General Laws of 1915, relating to conveyances by husband and wife of insane or incompetent persons.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. 375, A bill for an act to legalize mechanic's lien foreclosure sales heretofore made.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 376, A bill for an act to establish transportation centers in consolidated school districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Sageng introduced—

S. F. No. 377, A bill for an act to appropriate to the Minnesota Tax Conference the sum of \$500 for the publication of its proceedings and for the distribution of such published proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 378, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws 1915, relating to state aid to certain schools.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 379, A bill for an act to reimburse Arthur L. Lewis for damages to his automobile while in the employ of the State as a private in the Motor Corps Department of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 380, A bill for an act to amend Section 20, of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled an act fixing

and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 241, A bill for an act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the State, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by forest fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to appropriate money to defray the cost of the publication of the proposed amendment to the constitution during the month of October, 1918.

H. F. No. 382, A bill for an act authorizing villages to construct, maintain and operate heating systems in such villages, in connection with municipally owned light and power plants, and authorizing the disposition thereof.

H. F. No. 428, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of employes of the State Auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state lands.

H. F. No. 344, A bill for an act extending certain state timber permits.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 7, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 344, A bill for an act extending certain state timber permits.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

H. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to appropriate money to defray the cost of the publication of the proposed amendment to the constitution during the month of October, 1918.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 382, A bill for an act authorizing villages to construct, maintain and operate heating systems in such villages, in connection with municipally owned light and power plants, and authorizing the disposition thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 428, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of employes of the State Auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state lands.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

H. F. No. 380; A bill for an act to amend Section 20, of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 261, A bill for an act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to state, county and city depositories.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 162, A bill for an act to amend Section 6171, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the manner of filling vacancies in the Board of Directors of corporations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Insert in line 8 of Section 1, after the word "directors" the following: "Provided, however, that not more than one-third of the members of the board may be so filled in any one year;"

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 291, A bill for an act to amend Section 6358, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to state banks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 96, A bill for an act to amend Section 6347 of the General Statutes of Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting at the end of the title the figures "1913."

By inserting at the beginning of the first line after the enacting clause the words "Section 1."

By inserting after the words "General Statutes of Minnesota" in the second line after the enacting clause the figures "1913."

By inserting in the last line of the bill the following:

"Provided further that any such additional Vice President shall have all of the qualifications of a member of the Board of Directors of any such financial institution."

By inserting a new section to be known as Section 2 and to read as follows:

"Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 230, A bill for an act relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed by a board of tax levy, or other corresponding body, and requiring that the estimate of the county board for said fund shall be allowed in full and included in the tax levy.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word “full” and before the word “shall” in the eighth (8th) line of Section 1 the following words: “for the years 1919 and 1920 and.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Turnham moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 230, A bill for an act relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed by a board of tax levy, or other corresponding body, and requiring that the estimate of the county board for said fund shall be allowed in full and included in the tax levy.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 230,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 230, A bill for an act relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed by a board of tax levy, or other corresponding body, and requiring that the estimate of the county board for said fund shall be allowed in full and included in the tax levy.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 261, 162, 291 and 96.

Were read the second time.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate announced the appointment of the following committee to attend the Midwinter Fair and Live Stock Show to be held at Crookston, Minnesota, February 12:

Messrs. Cumming, Benson and Sageng.

The President of the Senate also announced the appointment of the following committee to attend the meeting of the Minnesota Crop Improvement Association at St. Cloud, Minnesota, February 18, 19 and 20:

Messrs. Ward, Anderson, Hamer, Loonam and Wold.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGarry moved that S. F. No. 78 be made a special order for Thursday, February 13, at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Callahan moved that H. F. No. 380 be recalled from the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 380.

Was recalled from the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that the rules be suspended and that, H. F. No. 380, A bill for an act to amend Section 20 of Chapter

440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 380,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 380, A bill for an act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Frickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert.
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset.	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 100, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of county commissioners in counties of this state having not less than 100, nor more than 137 congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 23, A bill for an act entitled, An act defining the right to membership in any incorporated fire department, relief association or police department relief association receiving municipal or state aid of all employes and officers, whether elective or appointive, connected with a fire department or police department, alarm, telegraph or signal system, in all villages or cities in this state now or hereafter which may have a population of 50,000 inhabitants or more.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 62, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the City Council or Common Council of cities of this state of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof for defraying the cost of laying main trunk sewers, storm sewers, making certain local im-

provements in intersections of streets and in front of property exempt by law from special assessments.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Lee,	Peterson,	Van Hoven.
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 239, A bill for an act to provide whole family protection for members of fraternal benefit societies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 155, A bill for an act to provide how Fraternal Benefit Societies organized under the laws of this state may consolidate, merge or reinsure its insurance risks, with any other Fraternal Benefit Society, or assume or reinsure the risks of any other Fraternal Benefit Society and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 228, A bill for an act fixing the clerk hire of the County Auditor in counties now or hereafter having not less than thirty-eight nor more than forty-two congressional townships and now or hereafter having a taxable valuation of not less than eight million dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 265, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 156 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, the same being an act relating to sheriffs and their deputies and other assistants in counties containing not less than eighty congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000 and to the salaries and duties of such deputies and assistants.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Jackson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 147, A bill for an act relating to compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 124, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 338, Laws of Minnesota 1915, relative to salaries of auditors and treasurers in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles and valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$40,000,000.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Hall,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Erickson,	Hamer,
Benson,	Callahan,	Cumming,	Fowler,	Handlan,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Denegre,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,
Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Devold,	Gjerset,	Hopp,

Jackson,	Lindsley,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Johnson,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Vibert,
Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Kuntz,	Nolan,	Reed,	Sullivan,	Wold,
Lee,	Orr,	Rockne,	Turnham,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 166, A bill for an act providing an official designation for the several state asylums and state hospitals for the insane and the hospital farm for inebriates.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin moved that when the Senate do adjourn it be until 8:00 o'clock P. M., Monday, February 10.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend the foregoing motion by designating Monday, 11:00 o'clock A. M., as the time to which the Senate do adjourn.

Which motion was lost.

The question then recurred on the original motion.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Peterson in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the Committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Peterson reported that the committee had considered—

S. F. Nos. 53, 221, 165, 174, 87 and 7.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 27, 182, 85 and 6.

Which the committee reports progress.

Also

S. F. No. 144,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Mr. Sullivan.

Amend Senate File No. 144 by adding after the word "thereof" in the fourth line of the printed bill the following:

"Provided that the maximum amount of fees collected by a sheriff as a result of said percentage on account of the foreclosure of any such lien or chattel mortgage shall not exceed the sum of fifteen dollars (\$15)."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 138,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Mr. Hopp—

Amend S. F. No. 138 as follows:

Amend Section 1 by inserting after the word and figure "Section 1" the following: "That Section 167 of the General Statutes 1913, be amended to read as follows: 167."

Amend Section 1 by striking out of the second and third lines thereof the words "at the same time and place of the regular annual meeting of the State Bar Association" and substituting therefor the following: "at such time and place as may be designated in a call for such meeting given by the District Judge of said state longest in continuous service."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Peterson then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 304, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 5, G. L. 1919, entitled, An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 7, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Fowler moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendment by the House of S. F. No. 304, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,

Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, February 10, 1919.

The Senate met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Boylan was excused for today.

Mr. Jackson was excused for tomorrow.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul; February 6, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Mr. Dear Mr. Frankson: I have the honor to transmit herewith the final report of the Commission on Rehabilitation of Industrial Cripples, including copies of the bills proposed by the Commission.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Which report was ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

The following invitation was received and on motion of Mr. Turnham, accepted and ordered printed in the Journal.

To the members of the Legislature:

Mr. Walter Wilmot, Manager of the Automotive and Industrial Exposition, invites the members of the Legislature to attend the Auto Show at the Exposition Building in Minneapolis on Wednesday, the 19th of February, which has been designated as St. Paul Day.

Complimentary tickets can be secured by applying to Honorable F. E. Nimocks, who has the tickets for distribution.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
Lieutenant Governor of Minnesota,
State Capitol, St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir: It gives me pleasure on behalf of the Lincoln Club of Minneapolis to extend to you a personal invitation to attend our annual observance of Lincoln Day, at our Club Rooms, 325 2nd Ave. So., Minneapolis, at 8 P. M., Tuesday evening, February the 11th, and will you kindly extend an invitation to all State Senators.

Speakers of the evening—Professor Marion L. Burton, Mayor J. E. Meyers, Walter H. Newton.

ROBERT E. BRADEN,
Secretary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Ribenack introduced—

S. F. No. 380, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 1970, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to taxation and property exempt therefrom.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 381, A bill for an act defining gambling contracts as applied to sales of wheat and other food products, declaring same illegal, and providing penalty for violation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 382, A bill for an act to appropriate money for improvements at Fort Ridgely State Park and for the purchase of additional ground for such park.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 383, A bill for an act to abolish the office of Chief Inspector of Oils, and conferring upon the Dairy and Food Commissioner all the duties and powers now possessed by the Chief Inspector of Oils.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 384, A bill for an act to compensate Henry Weyrauch of the City of St. Cloud, Minnesota, for damages sustained by him by reason and because of breach of a contract on the part of the State of Minnesota for binding twine entered into on the 11th day of December, 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 385, A bill for an act to amend Section 720 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to a tuberculosis sanatoria.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Messrs. Carley, Cashel, Nolan, Hopp, Hall and Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 386, A bill for an act requiring the display of a motor number on motor vehicles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 387, A bill for an act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 229 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, entitled "An act to establish municipal courts in incorporated cities

having a population of less than five thousand (5000) inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 388, A bill for an act amending Section 9412 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 designating holidays.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

The Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 389, A bill for an act to authorize cities of the first class to levy taxes for defraying the current expenses of such cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Gillan introduced—

S. F. No. 390, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Lindsley introduced—

S. F. No. 391, A bill for an act providing for sanitation in the operation of railroad cars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 392, A bill for an act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Gillan introduced—

S. F. No. 393, A bill for an act to authorize the Minnesota Historical Society to act as custodian of state and local archives,

and to provide for the collection and administration of public records.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 394, A bill for an act permitting the forwarding of a check direct to payor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 395, A bill for an act to limit the liability of a bank for nonpayment of a check through error.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 396, A bill for an act to amend Section 6360, General Statutes 1913, relating to the percentage of its actual paid in capital and surplus a bank may invest in real estate used by it for the transaction of its business.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 397, A bill for an act to amend Section 6348, General Statutes 1913, relating to the amount of capital stock and surplus required of state banks.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 398, A bill for an act to amend Section 8873, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or a credit for the payment of the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 399, A bill for an act prohibiting the making, trans-

mitting to others, or circulating of derogatory statements affecting banks, savings banks, banking institutions, or trust companies, and prescribing a penalty therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 400, A bill for an act entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of state banks having a capital of not less than fifty thousand dollars; authorizing such state banks to act as agent, attorney in fact, depositee of trust and other funds, assignee, receiver, representative of estates and trustee, and to transact other business; authorizing such state banks to use the words "trust" or "trust company," "saving" or "savings bank" in their corporate names; and prescribing the conditions on which such powers and privileges may be exercised.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 401, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for reports on road work in cities, villages and townships and for the publication thereof, and also providing for an annual meeting of county, city, village and township road officials and providing compensation therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to legalize newspapers in certain cases.

H. F. No. 427, A joint resolution memorializing Congress to investigate delays in the entrainment of drafted men ordered to report for military service, and to provide reimbursement for such delays.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 10, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 120, A joint resolution relating to a bill pending in Congress relating to the promulgation of grain grades.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 10, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 336, A bill for an act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 73 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars, providing for approaches thereto, and providing for the levy of taxes and issuance of bonds therefor.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

February 7, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 223, A bill for an act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to State, County and City Depositories.

H. F. No. 90, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering any city of this state, having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants, to establish and maintain a rest room.

H. F. No. 193, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 3 of Section 534 of General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

H. F. No. 204, A bill for an act entitled, An act to reimburse the official reporter of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District for amounts paid out for railway, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from his place of residence in the discharge of his official duties.

H. F. No. 130, A bill for an act authorizing city or village councils, boards of county commissioners and town boards to employ public health nurses.

H. F. No. 296, A bill for an act to ratify and confirm the sale by the county board of any county in this state and the purchase by any city of the first class operating under a charter adopted in pursuance to Section 36 of Article 4 of the State Constitution, of a portion of the court house grounds located in such city and acquired by such county for a county court house, jail and court house grounds.

H. F. No. 200, A bill for an act requiring trust companies conducting a banking business to comply with Section 6361 of the General Statutes of 1913 as amended, relating to reserve requirements.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 10, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 328, A bill for an act to amend Section 3958, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to secretary and other officers of Soldiers' Home and compensation paid therefor.

H. F. No. 307, A bill for an act to amend Section 5635 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913; and Section 5636 said statutes as said section was amended by Section 1 of Chapter 380, Laws 1917, pertaining to town ditches.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 10, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to legalize newspapers in certain cases.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 427, A joint resolution memorializing Congress to investigate delays in the entrainment of drafted men ordered to report for military service, and to provide reimbursement for such delays.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 90, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering any city of this state, having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants, to establish and maintain a rest room.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 120, A joint resolution relating to a bill pending in Congress relating to the promulgation of grain grades.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

H. F. No. 193, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 3 of Section 534, of General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. F. No. 200, A bill for an act requiring Trust Companies conducting a banking business to comply with the statutes in such case made and provided.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. F. No. 130, A bill for an act authorizing city and village councils, boards of county commissioners and town boards to employ public health nurses.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 130 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 93, No. 11 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 93 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 130,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 93,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 204, A bill for an act entitled, An act to reimburse the official reporter of the District Court of the 10th Judicial District for amounts paid out for railway, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from his place of residence in the discharge of his official duties.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 204 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 174, No. 9 on calendar, and that S. F. No. 174 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 204

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 174,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 223, A bill for an act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to State, County and City Depositories.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. F. No. 296, A bill for an act to ratify and confirm the sale by the County Board of any county in this state and the purchase by any city of the first class operating under a charter adopted in pursuance to Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, of a portion of the Court House grounds located in such city and acquired by such county for a county Court House, Jail and Court House grounds.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 307, A bill for an act to amend Section 5635 of the General Statutes, of Minnesota 1913; and Section 5636 said Statutes as said Section was amended by Section 1 of Chapter 380, Laws 1917, pertaining to town ditches.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 336, A bill for an act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars, providing for approaches thereto, and providing for the levy of taxes and issuance of bonds therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 328, A bill for an act to amend Section 3958, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to secretary and other officers of soldiers' home and compensation paid therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to authorize county commissioners to appropriate moneys to assist in the construction, improvement and maintenance of connecting roads and streets, and bridges thereon, in certain cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 18, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 259, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to property exempt from taxation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 19, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to taxation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 76, A bill for an act to abolish penalties upon unpaid real estate taxes and providing for the payment of interest upon

unpaid real estate taxes, in lieu of said penalties, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 188, A bill for an act to amend Section 2148, General Statutes 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sale.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to authorize the valuation of bonds and other securities, by insurance companies and fraternal beneficiary associations, by the Amortization Method.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Health and Welfare, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 54, A bill for an act relating to county tuberculosis sanatoriums, their construction, improvement, equipment, enlargement and maintenance.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Health and Welfare, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 175, A bill for an act defining and regulating the practice of Chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 110, A bill for an act to promote the public health by providing for one day of rest in every seven days, in certain employments.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "or in any place of amusement" in Section 1 in lines three (3) and four (4) of said bill and in lieu thereof insert the following: "or boiler or engine rooms."

By adding to Section 1 the following: "provided, however, that this act shall not apply to persons solely and directly engaged in the transportation of freight or passengers on steam railroads or in case of extraordinary emergency, caused by fire, flood, or danger to life and property, or military or naval employment in time of war," and further amends said bill by striking out the word "clearly" in Section 2, line five (5), and further amending said bill by striking out all the words in said section after the word "employee" in line six (6) of Section 2 of said bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred,

S. F. No. 65, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota providing for an eight hour work day for persons engaged and employed in certain pursuits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words in Section 2 after the word "apply" in line eight (8) up to and including the word "or" in line ten (10) of said bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 302, 19, 188, 207, 54, 175, 110 and 65.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that S. F. No. 78 be recalled from the desk and re-referred to the Committee on Public Highways without losing its place on Special Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 78,

Was recalled from the desk.

S. F. No. 78,

Was re-referred to the committee on Public Highways

Mr. Peterson moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 381 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Reed moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, February 11, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Besette,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, February 8, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 241, An act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the State, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fire Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in those portions of the State swept by forest fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith.

S. F. No. 304, An act to amend Chapter 5, G. L. 1919, entitled, An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, January 31, 1919.

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:

There are herewith transmitted to you the estimates of appropriations required for the biennial period ending July 31, 1921, which I recommend as the budget for said period, except as hereinafter stated and with the reservation of the right to veto any item upon additional investigation or information.

PRESENT LAWS SHOULD BE MODIFIED.

In my message on this subject two years ago, I recommended that the date for filing the estimates with the Governor be changed from December 1st, to August 15th, in order to give him sufficient time in which to make the necessary study and examination of the many different items submitted. As this was not done, it has again been impossible for me to go into such detail as I feel the budget requires. My last recommendation is therefor renewed with the further recommendation that if the Legislature desires to have the budget prepared by persons who, because of their position, will be wholly disinterested politically and financially, the appointment for that purpose of a budget officer or board should be authorized as the executive officers of the state cannot, with their present duties, devote the time necessary for the preparation of the budget upon the right and scientific principles.

SALARIES.

This is especially true in the matter of salaries. If the high cost of living is to continue many of the salaries, which have remained the same for many years, are now too low. Some departments have requested increases and others, probably equally entitled thereto, have not done so. It has been impossible for state executive officers to go into a study of this matter so as to make conscientious recommendations in the case of each appointee or employe of the state. I therefore recommend that you give your committees sufficient assistance to make a thorough study and adjustment of all salaries paid by the state, reducing any that may be too high and increasing those that are too low. It is, of course, difficult to know what will be the trend of prices and wages for the next two years, but some readjustment of the wages and salaries of state employes and of those of our state educational and other institutions is necessary.

BUILDING.

Two years ago, because of the war and for other reasons, I recommended that the construction of many of the proposed new buildings, be deferred. This year the situation is different. The war is over and much of the work which has been delayed for two years should now be begun. With the return of all the soldiers, a large number of men may be without employment. It would, under such conditions, be exceedingly advisable to be in a position to take care of as many of these as possible through the authorizing, at this time, of such construction as may be needed. The State University submits a building program with which I am in accord. This covers a ten year period and if followed will place our State University in that position among the educational institutions of the country in which I feel sure the majority of our citizens desire to have it. New buildings, however, are of less importance than a good faculty.

SCHOOL AID.

The largest proposed increase for the next biennium is the amount requested for state aid to schools. The amount of increase, excluding the \$1,070,000 deficit is \$4,612,085, the major portion of which, \$2,989,460, is requested in order to bring the state appropriations up to date. In my opinion all amounts earned up to July 31, 1918, should be paid. Any sums appropriated for a period after said date ought to be distributed by the proposed Educational Board on

such a proportionate basis as it will find to be fair to all the school districts of the state after a thorough study and investigation of the whole matter. The said board should be required to notify the school districts one year in advance as to the approximate amounts they are to receive.

INCREASE FOR MAINTENANCE.

The great increase in the cost of supplies, traveling, printing and postage has made it necessary to ask the Legislature for additional allowances for maintenance. Taking into consideration the enormous advance in prices and the needed construction and repair work after a two years' delay therein, the different departments have been more moderate in their requests for the next biennium than they were for the last.

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

Which communication was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 402, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the free distribution of certain memoirs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 403, A bill for an act providing for changing the location of farm crossing and the payment of the cost thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 404, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of constructing a ladies' rest room and toilet at the Interstate Park, Dalles of St. Croix.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 405, A bill for an act requiring registers of deeds to record and return instruments within thirty days.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 406, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section Seven (7), Article Six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, changing the length of the term of the judge of the probate court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 407, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the rental and equipment of quarters for the State Board of Health.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bessette (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 408, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the state of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August, 1918, and appropriating funds therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 409, A bill for an act, entitled an act legalizing proceedings heretofore taken by any city of the fourth class in reference to the issuance of bonds under the provisions of Chapter 205, Laws, 1909, as amended by Chapter 253, Laws, 1915, and legalizing the bonds of said city already or hereafter issued in pursuance of proceedings already begun under such act as so amended.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 410, A bill for an act to abolish the offices of six surveyors general of logs and lumber, and providing for the appointment of but one surveyor general of logs and lumber with

jurisdiction throughout the state, and repealing inconsistent acts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced--

S. F. No. 411, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes, 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced--

S. F. No. 412, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 379 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1901, entitled "An act to authorize and empower cities of this state which now have or hereafter may have no more than fifty thousand (50,000) and not less than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants, to make local improvements and to assess the cost thereof on property benefited thereby."

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Reed introduced--

S. F. No. 413, A bill for an act to create a real estate brokers board, issue certificates to real estate brokers and provide for their regulation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Anderson introduced--

S. F. No. 414, A bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse the officers and enlisted men of the Minnesota Home Guard for the expenditures made by them in the purchase of Home Guard uniforms.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hamer introduced--

S. F. No. 415, A bill for an act relating to the storing of milk or cream pending transportation by common carriers, providing for sanitary receiving rooms, and fixing penalties for violation of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 237, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 303, Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1883 relating to the compensation of county commissioners in Goodhue County, Minnesota.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 11, 1919.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Widell, from the committee on Towns and Counties to which was referred,

H. F. No. 98, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 10 of Section 696 General Statutes 1913 relating to an appropriation by certain counties for a soldiers' and sailors' monument.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

To amend House File No. 98 by adding the words "or elsewhere in the county seat."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Garry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred,

S. F. No. 78, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for and establishing a Trunk Highway System to be constructed, improved and maintained by the State; establishing and authorizing the creation of a fund for such purpose by the taxation of motor vehicles, the issuance of bonds and otherwise.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Mr. McGarry moved that line 57 be amended by striking out the words "On route No. 2 at Moorhead and," and that line 58 be entirely stricken out and that line 59 be amended by striking out the words "then extending in a northerly direction to a point," and that line 61 be amended by striking out the word

"Glyndon" and substituting for the said word "Glyndon" the words "Kragnes, Georgetown, Perley, Hendrum."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 91 by striking out all of the words after the word "Northwesterly" and by striking out of line 92, all of the words preceding "northerly" and inserting before said word "Northerly" the word "And."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 159 by inserting the word "Cleveland" before the words "Saint Peter" in said line.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 191 by inserting the word "Royalton" before the words "Little Falls" in said line.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 230 by striking out the words "2 at Aitkin" and substituting therefor, "18 near Mille Lacs Lake."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 261 by striking out all of the words "near Hayfield and thence extending in a northly direction to a point" and by striking out lines 262 to 268 inclusive and substituting therefor, the words "on Route No. 56, hereinafter described, near Hayfield, affording Blooming Prairie, Hayfield and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend by striking out of line 310 the words "southeasterly line of the right of way of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis" and by striking out of line 311 the words "and Omaha Railway Company near Nicols" and substituting therefor, the words "Southerly limits of the City of Minneapolis," and further by striking out of line 311 the word "Nicols" where it follows the word "Farmington" and substituting therefor, the word "Minneapolis."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 119 by striking out of said line, the words "Route No. 9 at" and substituting therefor,

the words "The boundary line between the States of Minnesota and Iowa southerly of".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 226 by striking out the words "19 at Walker" and substituting therefor the words "8 westerly of Grand Rapids" and by inserting in line 226 after the word "Walker" a "comma" and the words "Remer, Grand Rapids."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend line 181 by striking out the words "10 at Montrose" and substituting therefor the words "5 at or near Belle Plaine" and by striking out from line 181 the word "northeasterly" and substituting therefor the word "northerly" and to amend line 182 by inserting after the word "affording" the words "Belle Plaine, Norwood, Watertown,"

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend by inserting between lines 336 and 337 the following descriptions of new routes:

ROUTE NO. 56.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 easterly of Austin and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 21 at or near Kenyon affording Brownsdale, Hayfield, Dodge Center, West Concord, Kenyon and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 57.

Beginning at a point in Mantorville and extending in a southerly direction to a point on Route No. 7 southerly of Mantorville, affording Mantorville a reasonable means of communication with said Route No. 7.

ROUTE NO. 58.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Zumbrota and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Red Wing, affording Zumbrota, Red Wing and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE No. 59.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the States of

Minnesota and Iowa southerly of Spring Valley and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on No. 3 at Lake City, affording Spring Valley, Stewartville, Rochester, Zumbro Falls, Lake City and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 60.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 at Faribault and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 7 at or near Madison Lake, affording Faribault, Morristown, Waterville, Madison Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 61.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Deer River and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at or near Big Falls, affording Deer River, Big Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 62.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Anoka and thence extending in a southeasterly direction to a point on the northerly limits of the City of St. Paul, affording Anoka, St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 63.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 southerly to Forest Lake and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the northerly and easterly limits of the city of Minneapolis, affording a reasonable means of communication between Route No. 1 and Minneapolis.

ROUTE NO. 64.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 30 northerly of Fergus Falls and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 southerly of Moorhead, affording Fergus Falls, Barnesville, Moorhead and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 65.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Bagley, and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 32 southerly to Red Lake Falls, affording Bagley, Clearbrook, Gonvick, Gully, Brooks, Terrebonne and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 66.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 at Montevideo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 26 northerly to Appleton affording Montevideo, Appleton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 67.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 southerly of Echo and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 17 at or near Granite Falls, affording Echo, Granite Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 68.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 at Marshall and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Canby, affording Marshall, Minneota, Canby and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 69.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 25 at Buffalo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 22 southeasterly of Paynesville, affording Buffalo, Maple Lake, Anandale, Eden Valley, Paynesville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

ROUTE NO. 70.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 westerly of New Ulm and

thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 at or near the village of Hector, affording Fort Ridgely, Fairfax, Hector and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend Line 102 by striking therefrom the word "Chaska" and a "comma" which follows said word "Chaska."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend by inserting after the word "State" where such word occurs at the end of line 336 of Section No. 1 of the printed bill, and before the word "Section" where said word occurs in line 337 of printed bill, the following catch line and paragraphs:

"Additional Routes."

Whenever, either by reason of the creation of a new county, or by reason of the change of the county seat of any existing county, any city or village not a county seat at the time of the adoption of this amendment is lawfully constituted the county seat of any county, the Legislature is authorized to add to the Trunk Highway System such additional routes connecting such newly constituted county seats with other county seats and other points in the state.

When after at least seventy-five (75) per cent of the total number of the miles of the routes embraced in the trunk highway system herebefore specified shall have been constructed and permanently improved, the Legislature shall have authority to add new routes to such trunk highway system; provided, however, that no such new routes shall be added until and unless the funds available for the construction, improvement and maintenance of such additional routes shall be sufficient therefor in addition to the construction, improvement and maintenance of the several routes hereinbefore specifically described.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Denegre moved to amend Senate File No. 78 by striking out all of Sections 2, 3 and 4 of the proposed amendment as the same appears in the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. There is hereby created a fund which shall be known as the Trunk Highway Sinking Fund. Said fund shall consist of

the proceeds of any tax imposed on motor vehicles as herein authorized and such other funds as the Legislature may provide. The moneys in said fund shall be used for the payment of the principal and interest of any bonds which may be issued under the authority of this article; and any moneys in excess of such requirements shall be transferred to a fund which is hereby created and which shall be known as the Trunk Highway Fund. The Trunk Highway Fund shall be used solely for the purposes specified in Section 1 of this article, or to reimburse any county for the money expended by it subsequent to February 1, 1919, in permanently improving any road hereinbefore specifically described, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor approved by the Commissioner of Highways.

Section 3. The legislature is hereby authorized to provide, by law, for the taxation of motor vehicles, using the public highways of this state, on a more onerous basis than other personal property, provided, however, that any such tax on motor vehicles shall be in lieu of all other taxes thereon, except wheelage taxes, so-called, which may be imposed by any city or village. Any such law may, in the discretion of the legislature, provide for the exemption from taxation of any motor vehicle owned by a non-resident of the state, and transiently or temporarily using the highway of the state. The proceeds of such tax shall be paid into said Trunk Highway Sinking Fund.

Section 4. The legislature may provide by law for the issue and sale of the bonds of the state in such amount as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of Section 1 of this Article, provided, however, that the amount of bonds which may be issued in any one calendar year shall not exceed, in the aggregate, ten million dollars, par value, and provided, further, the total amount of such bonds issued and unpaid shall not at any time exceed seventy-five million dollars, par value. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be paid into the treasury of the state and credited to the Trunk Highway Fund. Any bonds so issued and sold shall be for a term not exceeding twenty (20) years. They shall not be sold for less than par and accrued interest and shall not bear interest at a greater rate than five per cent per annum. In case the Trunk Highway Sinking Fund shall not be adequate to meet the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds authorized by the legislature as hereinbefore provided, the legislature may provide by law for the taxation of all taxable property of the state in an amount sufficient to meet the

deficiency, or it may, in its discretion, appropriate to such Sinking Fund moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Which amendment was adopted.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 98,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

Whereas, the funds appropriated for legislative expenses for the 1917 session of the Minnesota Legislature were insufficient, and

Whereas, there remains unpaid obligations of the Senate for that session of approximately Eight Hundred and Fifty dollars (\$850.00) as is shown by bills presented and certificates issued by the secretary for that session, which have not been paid for want of funds as aforesaid:

Therefore, be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, now in session, that it does hereby authorize and direct the secretary of the Senate for the 1919 session of the Minnesota Legislature, to pay out of the funds appropriated for legislative expenses for the present session all said just claims and demands in full, which remain unpaid from the 1917 session of the Minnesota State Senate; or so much thereof as may be necessary, not exceeding, however, the sum of Eight Hundred and Fifty dollars (\$850.00).

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Hopp,
Baldwin,	Callahan,	Devold,	Gjerset,	Johnson,
Benson,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,
Bessette,	Cliff,	Erickson,	Hall,	Kuntz,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hamer,	Larson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,	Lee,

Lindsley,
Madigan,
Naplin,
Nolan,

Nord,
Orr,
Palmer,
Peterson,

Putnam,
Rask,
Reed,
Ribenack,

Rockne,
Romberg,
Sageng,
Schmechel,

Stepan,
Sullivan.
Turnham,
Widell,

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Ribenack moved that H. F. No. 296 be recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 296,

Was recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Ribenack then moved that H. F. No. 296 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 296,

Was laid on the table.

Mr. Sageng moved that when the Senate do adjourn, it be until 10:00 o'clock A. M. Thursday, February 13.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Adams in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the president having resumed the chair, Mr. Adams reported that the committee had considered S. F. Nos. 4, 58, 61 and 274.

Which the committee recommends to pass

S. F. Nos. 27, 6, 212, 232, 295, 296, 40 and 285.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 85.

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 182.

Which the committee recommends to progress with the following amendment:

Mr. Baldwin moved to amend the title of Senate File No. 182 by striking out of the last line the following words and phrase: (a penalty for their failure or neglect so to do) and insert in its place after the word "prescribing" the following words: (the authority of the county board in case of failure of the town boards), also to amend Section 1 of the printed bill of said Sen-

ate File No. 182 by striking out that part of line four (4) of Section 1 after the word "town" where it appears the second time, and all of line five (5) and that part of line six (6) immediately preceding the word "who," and by adding after the word "made" in the eighth line of said printed bill the following:

"The County board shall proceed to make the improvement found by it to be necessary, in like manner as other like improvements on public highways are made by the county boards, and pay for the same out of the County Road and Bridge Fund. The County board may then levy a one mill tax annually or so much thereof as may be necessary against all the taxable property in such township, until a sufficient sum shall have been collected to reimburse the county for such improvement; said tax to be entered on the tax duplicate by the county auditor and collected the same as other taxes."

Section 2. This bill shall be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Also

S. F. No. 5

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Hopp.

Amend Senate File No. 5 by adding to the end of Section 1 thereof the following:

"When the Chief Justice of said court shall be absent from the state, or shall be, for any reason, incapacitated from acting as such, the Associate Justice present within the state and not incapacitated who shall have served the longest time, or when there are two or more Associate Justices of equal terms or service, then the Associate Justice, whom the Chief Justice shall designate as senior Associate Justice as such, shall have and exercise all the powers, duties and functions of the Chief Justice during his absence or incapacity and shall be, during such absence or incapacity, the presiding justice of said court."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Hopp—

Amend Senate File No. 5 by adding to the end of the title of said bill the following:

“And imposing upon the senior Associate Justice the duties of the Chief Justice in certain cases.”

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Adams then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 232, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance, without losing its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 232,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 416, A Joint Resolution memorializing congress to permit honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines to retain their uniforms.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, February 13, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Hall was excused for tomorrow.

Mr. Cashel was excused for all of next week.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Albert Lea, Minn., February 10, 1919.

Thomas Frankson, Esq., St. Paul, Minn.,

Dear Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith a resolution passed by our Company and trust its contents may meet with your approval and favorable action.

Yours very truly,

C. T. HELGESON,

Secretary, Company D, Home Guards of Albert Lea, Minnesota.

Which letter was read and together with the resolution, referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

United States Senate, February 10, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

Lieutenant Governor and President Minnesota State Senate,
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir: Through the Honorable George W. Peachey, Secretary of the Senate, I have received a copy of the Resolution of the Senate, adopted on the 4th inst., felicitating me on my Seventy-sixth birthday, and expressing the hope that my life and health may be spared for years to come, and commending my "devotion to the national welfare in these critical and momentous days."

Allow me, through you, to express to the Senate my sincere thanks and gratitude for this generous token of their confidence, and their approval of my course in the public service.

This resolution will be an inspiration for me in the strenuous days to come, in which I hope to still render efficient service for our beloved country.

Respectfully yours,

KNUTE NELSON.

Which communication was read and ordered printed in the Journal.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House of Representatives desires to meet in joint convention with the Senate at 10:15 A. M., this date, for the purpose of listening to an address by the Honorable W. H. Taft, and that a Committee of five members has been appointed by the House to act with a similar Committee on the part of the Senate, to wait upon the Honorable W. H. Taft.

Messrs. Christianson, T., Parker, Wilkinson, Rodenberg and Warner were appointed such committee on the part of the House.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 13, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Peterson moved that the President of the Senate appoint a committee to wait upon Ex-President William Howard Taft and that upon receipt of notice from the Governor's office of the arrival of Mr. Taft, the Senate do recess for the purpose of hearing the address.

Which motion prevailed.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate appointed the following committee in pursuance of the foregoing motion.

Messrs. Peterson, Denegre, Adams, Rockne and Cliff.

MESSAGE.

Having received notice of the arrival of Ex-President William Howard Taft, the President announced the recess of the Senate.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 11:15 A. M., after having attended the joint convention in the House chamber.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 417, A bill for an act providing for the recordation of affidavits relating to matters affecting the title to real property in this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 418, A bill for an act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hall introduced--

S. F. No. 419, A bill for an act authorizing cities and villages to license and regulate the sale of non-alcoholic beverages.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Adams (for St. Louis County Delegation) introduced—

S. F. No. 420, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state which now or hereafter owns and maintains a work or correctional farm under the provisions of Chapter 188 General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended, to sell and convey all or any portion of such farm, including equipment and improvements thereon.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 421, A bill for an act prohibiting the taking of ice from improved lakes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 422, A bill for an act to amend Section 1016, General Statutes 1913, relating to the traveling expenses of county superintendents.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 423, A bill for an act to amend Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries of county treasurers, and the sums to be allowed to county treasurers for clerk hire, in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 424, A bill for an act to amend Section 2628, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to motor vehicles, certificates of registration therefor; providing for the issuance of identification cards to owners of motor vehicles and requiring persons in charge of motor-vehicles to have and exhibit such identification cards; requiring owners or persons in charge of motor vehicles to register when stopping at any public garage or place where motor-vehicles are repaired, stored or kept for hire, and forbidding alteration, imitation or substitution of such identification cards and providing a penalty.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Fowler introduced--

S. F. No. 425, A bill for an act relating to habitual criminals and providing punishment for the offense of "habitual offending" as herein defined.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 426, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390, General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their duties and clerks in certain counties of this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Schmechel introduced—

S. F. No. 427, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the erection of a monument in Flora Township, Renville county.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Schmechel (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 428, A bill for an act relating to the practice of suggestive therapeutics, in the treatment of mental and bodily ailments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 429, A bill for an act to amend Section 2979, General Statutes 1913, relating to compulsory school attendance, and to establish the English language as the basic language of instruction.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 430, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the erection of a monument in the National Cemetery at Nashville, Tennessee.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 431, A bill for an act to establish county boards of health of five members and to authorize county boards to appoint county physician and county dentist and to appropriate money therefor and to levy taxes for the support thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 432, A bill for an act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Anderson introduced—

S. F. No. 433, A bill for an act authorizing the sale and disposition of that certain frame dwelling owned by the state in connection with the experiment station for the Dairy and Food Department, within one mile of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota, and providing for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 434, A bill for an act to amend Section 6393, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 88, General Laws 1917, relating to investments of savings banks.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 228, A bill for an act defining and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 11, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 228, A bill for an act defining and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred —

S. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Section 4379 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 254, Session Laws, 1915, relating to railroads.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 1 of Senate File No. 254 by striking out the figure "8" where it occurs in line one of the printed bill and inserting therein in lieu thereof the figure "9" so that the section number will read 4379.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendment adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 370, A joint resolution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 194, A bill for an act authorizing any village of this State now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant to dispose of surplus electricity to consumers outside the corporate limits of such village.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 88, A bill for an act authorizing village councils to acquire land for park purposes, and to appropriate money therefor and for the maintenance thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 294, A bill for an act to amend Section 1416, General Statutes 1913, relating to special assessments in installments for paving in cities having 20,000 inhabitants or less.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 246, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 273 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the levying of a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainment in public buildings or upon public grounds in incorporated villages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 156, A bill for an act to empower any city of the fourth class in the State of Minnesota, whether existing under a special or general law, or under a home rule charter, to prescribe reasonable rates under which public service corporations supplying gas or current for electric lighting or power purposes and occupying the streets and public places of any such city may operate within any such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Boylan, from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 108, A bill for an act to regulate the sale of cigarettes and cigarette paper and providing for licensing the manufacture and sale of same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 127, A bill for an act to amend Section 127, General Statutes, 1913, relating to bond, deputy and assistants of the Clerk of the Supreme Court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 127,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 359, A bill for an act to validate disbursements heretofore made by any county for the purpose of equipping any company or companies of the Minnesota Home Guard or any motor corps of said county.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 258, A bill for an act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on County road work under the provisions of Chapter 182, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, in any county of this State now or hereafter having an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 387, A bill for an act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 229 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895 entitled, An act to establish municipal courts in incorporated cities having a population of less than five thousand (5000) inhabitants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to legalize newspapers in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ward moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to legalize newspapers in certain cases.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 260,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to legalize newspapers in certain cases.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Widell,
Brooks,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 8, A bill for an act to establish a Department of Education, to create a State Board of Education, to define the powers and duties of such board, to abolish certain boards and offices, and to create a State Council of Education.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Amend Section 1 by striking out the sentence commencing with the word "the" where it occurs in the 13th line of said Section, and ending with the word "board" where it occurs in the 17th line of said Section, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The members of the said board shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of ten dollars per day for each day actually spent in the performance of their duties, and in addition thereto they shall be reimbursed, in manner according to law, for all necessary expenditures incurred in the performance of their duties as members of the Board."

2. Strike out all of Section 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 13. Any person, officially connected with or employed by the Department of Education, who shall be found inefficient or guilty of any acts inconsistent with the duties of his office, shall be removed from office by the authority which appointed him."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 288, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken by the County Board of any county for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and to legalize the contract for doing said work and the bonds heretofore authorized or issued or hereafter to be authorized or issued in pursuance thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the Rules be suspended and that S. F. No. 288 be read the second time, printed and placed on the calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 288,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 191, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

To amend S. F. No. 191 by striking out the words and figures "three hundred thousand dollars but does not exceed three hundred twenty-five thousand dollars" where they appear in lines 5, 6 and 7, Section 1, of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "three hundred and five thousand dollars but does not exceed three hundred and ten thousand dollars."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. Nos. 254, 370, 194, 88, 294, 246, 156, 108, 359, 258, 387, 8 and 191.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, moved that S. F. No. 40, No. 11 on General Orders, be re-referred to the committee on Civil Administration without losing its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 40,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 151, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in Public Departments and upon Public Works in the State of Minnesota, and the Counties, Cities and Towns thereof, relating to State, Judicial County, Township, City and Town Officers.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 142, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 217 General Laws of 1917, being an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Sullivan moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Hopp,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Devold,	Gjerset,	Jackson,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Guilford,	Johnson,
Benson,	Cliff,	Erickson,	Hall,	Kingsbury,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hamer,	Kuntz,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,	Larson,

Lee,	Nolan,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Vibert,
Lindsley,	Nord,	Reed,	Stepan,	Ward,
Loonam,	Orr,	Ribenack,	Sullivan,	Widell,
McGarry,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Swanson,	
Millett,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Turnham,	
Naplin,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,	

Mr. Sullivan moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed. •

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan moved that further consideration of S. F. No. 53 be postponed until tomorrow, February 14th.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The hour of 2 o'clock P. M. having arrived, the President called the Senate to order, and announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. No. 78.

Mr. McGarry moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	

Mr. McGarry moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 78, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for and establishing a trunk highway system to be constructed, improved and maintained by the State; establishing and authorizing the creation

of a fund for such purpose by the taxation of motor vehicles, the issuance of bonds, and otherwise.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out of line 251 of the last printed bill the words "Route No. 9 Westerly of Albert Lea" and substituting therefor the words "the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southerly of Wells," and by adding at end of said line 251 the word "Kiester."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Adams moved to amend S. F. No. 78 as follows:

1. Amend Route No. 35 by inserting after the word "Ely," at the end of line 231 of the printed bill the following words:

"and by extending said route from a point at or near the Village of Biwabik in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 1 at or near the common boundary line between the counties of Lake and Cook on the north shore of Lake Superior."

2. By inserting after the word "Ely" in line 232 of the printed bill the following words:

"Grand Marais and places on the north shore of Lake Superior."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Sullivan moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out the words "to-wit" at the end of line 10 in Article 16 of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof after the word "law" the following:

"But in fixing such specific and definite routes there shall not be any deviation from the starting points or terminals set forth in this bill, nor shall there be any deviation in fixing such routes from the various villages and cities named herein, through which such routes are to pass."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Gillam offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 78:

Add to the end of paragraph entitled Route No. 16 the following:

And beginning at a point on Route No. 16 at Windom, thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 9 at Worthington, affording Wilder, Heron Lake and Brewster and intervening communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places in the state.

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Benson moved to amend S. F. No. 78, printed bill, by striking out the figures "22" where they occur in line No. 114, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "25."

And further amend by striking out the word "Gaylord" in said line, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Green Isle."

And further amend by inserting in line No. 115, after the word "Gaylord" the words "Arlington and Green Isle."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Senator Blomgren offered to amend S. F. No. 78 as follows:

In line 35 (under the heading Route No. 3) insert the word Anoka after the word Osseo and before the words Elk River.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 78 as follows:

By inserting the word "streets and" after the word "public" where it first appears in line 425 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out all after the word "authorized" where such word appears in line 417 of Section 2 of the printed bill to the end of the sentence, the words so stricken out being as follows: "and such other funds as the Legislature may provide."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out all after the word "provided" where it appears in line 431 of Section 4, of the printed bill, and all of line 432 and that part of line 433 to and including "par value," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words: "that the aggregate amount of money obtained from the sale of such bonds and received from all other sources in any one calendar year shall never exceed the sum of ten million dollars."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out of line 365 of the printed bill the word "to" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"; also strike out of line 375 the word "to" preceding Red Lake Falls, and insert in place thereof the word "of"; also strike out of line 380 the word "to" preceding Appleton and insert in lieu thereof the word "of."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out of

line 429 the word "highway" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "highways."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Adams moved to amend S. F. No. 78 as follows:

By inserting after the word "the" and before the word "highway" where said words appear in line 429 of the printed bill the words "Streets and."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out of line 82 of last printed bill the word "city."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Fowler moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out the word "or" in line 421½ of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "and when duly authorized by legislative enactment."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Brooks offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 78:

In line 307 strike out the word "with" and insert in lieu thereof the word "within."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Benson moved to amend S. F. No. 78, by inserting in line 427 after the word "any" the word "borough," in serting a comma thereafter.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sullivan moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out all of the language of said bill pertaining to Route No. 23, being lines 167 to 174 inclusive of the printed bill, and inserting in place thereof the following:

"Beginning at a point on Route No. 4 at Paynesville and thence extending in a northeasterly direction through the villages of Richmond, Coldspring, Rockville and Waite Park to a point on Route No. 3 westerly of St. Cloud, and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 5 southerly of Mora, and thence extending in a northerly direction along said Route No. 5 to a point on said route at Mora, and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 1 southerly of Hinckley, affording Paynesville, St. Cloud, Foley, Milaca, Mora and intervening and adjacent

communities, a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by inserting after the word "aggregate" where it appears in line 433 of the printed bill the words "including monies that may be derived from any other source."

Further amend by striking out all of lines 438, 439, 440, 441 and 442 of Section Four of the printed bill, and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Legislature shall have no power to appropriate any monies out of the revenue funds for any of the purposes provided for in this article."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out the word "city" where it occurs in line 52 of the last printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Benson moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by striking out the words "or near" in line 158.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hopp moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by inserting after the word "Canton" the word "Harmony" in line 153 of said bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bessette moved to amend S. F. No. 78 by inserting in line 94 of the printed bill between the words "Virginia" and "International Falls" the words "Cook," "Orr," "Cussons."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 78 as amended by striking out lines 189, 190, 191, 192 and 193, the same being what is described as Route No. 27 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at St. Cloud and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 2 at Brainerd, and then in a northerly direction to Remer on Route 34, affording St. Cloud, Royalton, Little Falls, Brainerd, Merrifield, Cross Lake, Outing, Remer, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 58, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Messrs. Lee, Loonam and Naplin voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, February 14, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved. .

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Cliff was excused for today.

Messrs. Gjerset, Adams, Stepan and Benson were excused for next Monday, February 17.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Gandrud and Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 435, A bill for an act forbidding the carrying or transportation of intoxicating liquor into or through any county, city, village or borough in which the sale of intoxicating liquor is illegal under any law or treaty.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 436, A bill for an act to amend Section 3864, General Statutes of 1913, relating to communication between engine rooms and workrooms; the same being Section 3, Chapter 316, General Laws of 1913, an act to require more adequate protection of employes from accidental injury or death in the course of their occupation, etc.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 437, A bill for an act to amend Section 3879, General Statutes 1913, relating to external fire escapes and fire protection in buildings where persons are employed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 438, A bill for an act to amend Section 3816, General Statutes 1913, relating to examinations for positions in the Department of Labor and Industries, the same being Section 5, Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, an act creating the Department of Labor and Industries.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 439, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, the same being Section 3819 of the General Statutes of 1913, to empower the employes of the Department of Labor and Industries to enter offices as well as places of employment and to remain while engaged in their official duties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 440, A bill for an act authorizing and providing for the establishment of Retiring Boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants, to provide the funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof, not governed by a Home Rule Charter.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Madigan introduced—

S. F. No. 441, A bill for an act to amend Section 7305, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the making of verified inventories by executors and administrators, and returning the same to Probate Courts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Schmechel introduced—

S. F. No. 442, A bill for an act requiring adjoining towns to bear, in equal shares, the expense of constructing and maintaining bridges on roads on the lines between such towns in certain cases, and providing for the award of damages to each such town in drainage proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 443, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 364, Session Laws 1917, an act authorizing cities and villages now or hereafter having a population of 10,000, or under, to macadam or pave its streets and alleys and construct gutters and curbs, and provide for the cost thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 444, A bill for an act to regulate the making of abstracts of title to real estate, and to provide security to the public against errors, omissions and defects therein.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 445, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of main sewers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 446, A bill for an act authorizing the addition and annexation of territory to cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

M. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 447, A bill for an act entitled, An act to appropriate money for the benefit of Private Clarence Peterson.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 448, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 209, Laws of Minnesota, 1915, relating to settlement and payment of compensation under said chapter and fees of the clerk of court for filing papers

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 449, A bill for an act to authorize the State Auditor to lease the surface of any unsold state land for additional room for stockpiling, storing, handling or depositing thereon and removal therefrom of ore, ore material, stripping or waste taken from other state lands under state mineral lease.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 450, A bill for an act to provide for the licensing of dental nurses, and providing the duties and rights of dental nurses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Lee (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 451, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 500, G. L. 1913, relating to county tuberculosis sanatoria.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 452, A bill for an act to amend Section 3255, General Statutes of 1913, relating to insurance.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 453, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3228 and 3239, G. S. 1913, relating to the office of public examiner.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 454, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of the public examiner and of the several employees in his office.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 455, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and installing a water filtration plant for use in connection with the public water works system owned and operated by such city.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 456, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of extending, and improving the public water works system owned and operated by any such city.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 457, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public armory building in such city.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 458, A bill for an act regulating the crossing of railroad tracks by persons operating or driving motor vehicles and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 459, A bill for an act to amend Section 4976, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of members and employees of the State Board of medical examiners.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 460, A bill for an act to amend Section 4970, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the State Board of Medical Examiners.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 461, A bill for an act requiring fraternal benefit societies collecting from members in this state different rates for like risks and benefits to keep separate accounts and funds, and prescribing the purposes for which such funds may be used.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 462, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and

towns, having a population of not less than five thousand, and an assessed valuation of not less than ten million and not covered by any special charter adopted by such village, pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, State Constitution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 344, A bill for an act extending certain state timber permits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 344. A bill for an act extending certain State Timber permits.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 344

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 344, A bill for an act extending certain State Timber permits.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Stepan,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 409, A bill for an act entitled, An act legalizing proceedings heretofore taken by any city of the fourth class in reference to the issuance of bonds under the provisions of Chapter 205, Laws 1909, as amended by Chapter 253, Laws 1915, and legalizing the bonds of said city already or hereafter issued in pursuance of proceedings already begun under such act as so amended.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 90, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering any city of this state, having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants, to establish and maintain a rest room.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 273, A bill for an act authorizing and ratifying the payment of fees and expenses paid to any person for conveying insane patients to the state hospitals.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 331, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of County Boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 307, A bill for an act to amend Section 5635 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913; and Section 5636 said statutes as said section was amended by Section 1, of Chapter 380, Laws 1917 pertaining to town ditches.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 312, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 376, Session Laws of 1913, which Chapter 376 is entitled, An act to appropriate money in aid of the maintenance and expenses of County Agricultural agents, to empower counties to appropriate money for the same purpose, and to provide for and regulate the appointment, maintenance and duties of such agents, and to provide in lieu thereof for county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 372, A bill for an act to amend Section 1177, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 372 by striking out the word "Four" in line 10 of Section one of the bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Three."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, to which was referred—

The matter of the resignation of Herbert D. Gallick as messenger to the President of the Senate be, and the same is here-

by accepted; and that Mr. M. D. Rumsey be, and he hereby is appointed to succeed him in that position. The services of the said M. D. Rumsey to begin on the Third day of February, Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen (1919).

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the said Herbert D. Gallick's resignation be accepted, and the said M. B. Rumsey be substituted in his place and stead as afore-said.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 409, 273, 331, 312 and 372.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 90 and 307.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Johnson moved that S. F. No. 170 be recalled from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse and returned to its author.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 170.

Was recalled from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

S. F. No. 170,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Swanson moved that the Rules be suspended, and S. F. No. 370, No. 31 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion did not prevail.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 53, A bill for an act regulating the hours of labor of state employes in the State of Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sullivan moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Mr. Sullivan moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 58 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Messrs. Baldwin and Ward voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 463, A bill for an act entitled, An act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to, all legislation affecting salary increases of state, county, township, city, village, and all other municipal employees in Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 464, A bill for an act to provide for the Americanization of illiterates and of persons not speaking the American language: to provide and maintain evening schools and to provide an appropriation therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 465, A bill for an act to designate a state fiscal year and making appropriations available therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 466, A bill for an act to amend Sections 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020 and 5021, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Dental Examiners and the licensing of dentists and the practicing of dentistry and fixing the fees to be charged therefor in the State of Minnesota, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to develop the agricultural resources of the State of Minnesota by land colonization within the state, and creating a State Colonization Commission.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2:00 P. M. Monday, February 17.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, February 17, 1919.

The Senate met at 2 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names.

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry.	Ribenack,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Hegnes was excused for today.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Rask introduced---

S. F. No. 468, A bill for an act to amend subsection one of Section 6147, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the contents of the certificate required to be subscribed and acknowledged by persons desiring to form a corporation, with regard to the name of such corporation, the general nature of its business and the principal place of transacting the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 469, A bill for an act authorizing the several counties of this state to reimburse County Agricultural Societies or officers thereof for the cost and expense of making certain improvements on land owned by any county and used for county agricultural fairs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

The Committee on Game and Fish introduced—

S. F. No. 470, A bill for an act relating to state fishing operations, appropriating money for a revolving fund to be used in such operations, conferring certain powers on the Game and Fish Commissioner, and regulating the removal of fish from public waters in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 471, A bill for an act to amend Section 17, Chapter 209, Laws 1915, and defining and construing the words "employe" and "workman" as used in the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 472, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 456 of Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salary of County Surveyors in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles, and having an assessed valuation of more than 20 million dollars and less than 50 million dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 473, A bill for an act to refund to Peter E. Olson the sum of one hundred and nineteen dollars and twenty cents (\$119.20) erroneously and unintentionally paid by him on school land contracts, numbers 54,778, 54,470, 54,471, 54,779, 54,472, 54,573, 54,474, 54,475, 54,476, 54,477, 54,478, 54,479, 54,480, 54,481, 54,762 and 54,763, covering Section 16, Township 147, Range 25, which contracts were never held by the said Peter

Olson and which said contracts had been assigned by the holders thereof to S. D. Felsing, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Judiciary Committee introduced—

S. F. No. 474, A bill for an act to validate certain bonds heretofore purchased by the State Board of Investment with the funds of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 474, A bill for an act to validate certain bonds heretofore purchased by the State Board of Investment with the funds of the State of Minnesota.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 474,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 474, A bill for an act to validate certain bonds heretofore purchased by the State Board of Investment with the funds of the State of Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan.
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the

House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 78, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for and establishing a Trunk Highway System to be constructed, improved and maintained by the state; establishing and authorizing the creation of a fund for such purpose by the taxation of motor vehicles, the issuance of bonds, and otherwise.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 14, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. McGarry moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 78, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 77, A bill for an act to provide for the creation of a military unit in the State of Minnesota, to be known as Minnesota State Motor Corps.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 14, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File herewith returned:

S. F. No. 239, A bill for an act to provide whole family protection for members of Fraternal Benefit Societies.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 15, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 77, A bill for an act to provide for the creation of a military unit in the State of Minnesota, to be known as Minnesota State Motor Corps.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 22, Joint Resolution favoring League of Nations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resolution do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rockne moved that S. F. No. 22, A Joint Resolution, be laid on the table and printed in the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 22,

Was laid on the table.

S. F. No. 22. Introduced by Mr. Peterson

JOINT RESOLUTION FAVORING LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Whereas, The war now brought to a victorious close by the associated powers of the free nations of the world was above all else a war to end wars and to protect human lives.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House concurring that we favor the establishment of a League of Nations of which the United States shall be a member.

We believe that such a league should aim at promoting the liberty, progress and orderly development of the world; that it should clinch the victory won at such terrible sacrifice by having the united potent-

ial force of all the members as a standing menace against any nation that seeks to destroy the peace of the world.

Be It Further Resolved, that certified copies of this resolution be sent to the President of the United States, the presiding officers of both Houses of Congress and to each of the representatives and senators from the State of Minnesota in the United States Congress.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred--

H. F. No. 427, A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress to investigate delays in the entrainment of drafted men ordered to report for military service, and to provide reimbursement for such delays.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resolution do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred--

S. F. No. 416, A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress to permit honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines to retain their uniforms.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resolution do pass--

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the rules be suspended and that--

S. F. No. 416, A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress to permit honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines to retain their uniforms.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 416,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 416, A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress to permit honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines to retain their uniforms.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 109, A bill for an act entitled, "An Act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 362, A bill for an act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings in probate court and attorneys' lien therein, and to repeal Chapter 21 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1905, relating to the same subject.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 290, A bill for an act to amend Section 7401, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the depositing of money not claimed by distributees.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 80, A bill for an act to amend Section 3653, Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, the same being Section 7243 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as the same is amended by Chapter 350 of the laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the descent of personal estate and distribution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "by section 7238, subds. 1-8, General Statutes 1913, as amended by chapter 272, Laws 1917," where they appear in last two lines of section six of the bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 286, A bill for an act providing for the appointment of court reporters in the thirteenth and seventeenth judicial districts of this state defining the duties and fixing the compensation of such reporters.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 183, A bill for an act amending Section 2 of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, which said Chapter is entitled, "An Act to enable the guardians of insane persons to furnish aid for the support and maintenance of children of insane persons in certain cases," the same being Section 7450, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, and legalizing prior proceedings.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Ward, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 120, A bill for an act requiring the owner of premises on which barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown; to destroy the same, declaring the same to be a public nuisance and imposing certain powers and duties with reference to the same on the state entomologist.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages or boroughs of unplatted agricultural lands, included within the corporate limits of such villages or boroughs in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

“And not in any manner under the jurisdiction of such village” and by striking out the word “borough” wherever it may appear, either in the bill or title.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 214, A bill for an act to amend Section 8969, General Statutes 1913, relating to frauds on innkeepers, etc.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 66, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the office of county treasurers, in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million nor more than ten million dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 428, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of the employees of the state auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling state timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state lands.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 428, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of the employees of the state auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling state timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state lands.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 428,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 428, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of the employees of the state auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling state timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state lands.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Boylan,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Johnson,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,
Benson,	Callahan,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Kuntz,
Bessette,	Carley,	Fowler,	Handlan,	Larson,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Lee,

Lindsley,	Nolan,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,
Loonam,	Nord,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Vibert,
McGarry,	Orr,	Reed,	Sullivan,	Ward,
Madigan,	Palmer,	Ribenack,	Swanson,	Widell,
Millett,	Peterson,	Rockne,	Turnham,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to appropriate money to defray the cost of the publication of the proposed amendment to the constitution during the month of October, 1918.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to appropriate money to defray the cost of the publication of the proposed amendment to the constitution during the month of October, 1918.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 59,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to appropriate money to defray the cost of the publication of the proposed amendment to the constitution during the month of October, 1918.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Jackson,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 327, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of County Boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 327,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 431, A bill for an act to establish county boards of health of five members and to authorize county boards to appoint county physician and county dentist and to appropriate money therefor and to levy taxes for the support thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 431,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 429, A bill for an act to amend Section 2979 General Statutes 1913, relating to compulsory school attendance, and to establish the English language as the basic language of instruction.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 90, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in foundries, prescribing standard rules and regulations therefor and providing penalties for violations of the act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Amend Section 3, line 8, by inserting after the word "cranes" the following: "or for vehicles, or for large industrial cars moved by hand."

2. Further amend by adding at the end of Section 4, the following: "The provisions of this section shall apply to all foundries hereafter established. In existing foundries, where it is impractical to widen the gangways and aisles to the width required in this section, the commissioner of labor, or his assistants, may permit gangways and aisles to be of a narrower width."

3. Further amend Section 6, line 3, by inserting after the word "off" and before the word "such," the words "the greater part of."

4. Also amend Section 6, on line 5, by striking out the words "'hoods, ventilators, exhaust fans or other.'"

5. Further amend by striking out all of Section 7, and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 7. The cleaning and chipping of castings shall be done in cleaning rooms, except that castings may, when necessary, be chipped or cleaned in the molding room or where cast, provided sufficient protection is furnished by the use of a curtain or screen, or some other means equally good, to protect employes therein.

"This section shall not apply if mechanical appliances are used for cleaning castings and the dust and particles arising therefrom are effectively removed."

6. Further amend Section 10, by striking out on line 3, after the word "or" where it appears the second time, commencing with the word "exhaust" and all of lines 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "other adequate means of ventilation shall be provided."

7. Further amend Section 12, by striking out the period at the end of the last line and inserting a comma and by adding the following: "except in cases of emergency."

8. Further amend Section 14, on line 2, by striking out the word "they" where it appears after the word "as."

9. Also amend Section 14, on line 2, by inserting a period after the word "necessary" and by striking out all the remainder of the section.

10. Further amend Section 17, on line 4, by striking out the

words "molding room" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "foundry."

11. Also amend Section 17, on line 5, by striking out the comma and the words "the number and the location" where they appear after the word "lockers."

12. Further amend by striking out all of Sections 20, 21 and 22.

13. Further amend by striking out all of Section 23, and substituting in lieu thereof a new section to be Section 20, as follows:

"Sec. 20. No female shall be employed in placing cores into ovens or in taking cores out of the ovens."

14. Further amend Section 24, on line 4, by striking out the word and figure "fifteen (15)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figure "twenty-five (25)."

15. Further amend Section 26, by striking out on line 3, the words "cleaning room, wash rooms," where they appear after the word "appliances."

16. Also amend Section 26, line 5, by striking out the semicolon where it appears after the word "foundries" and inserting in lieu thereof a period, and by striking out the remainder of the section.

17. Further amend Section 27, on line 12, by striking out the words "one hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred fifty."

18. Further amend by striking out all of Sections 28, 29, 30 and 31.

19. Further amend Section 33, by inserting at the beginning of line 1, and before the word "gangway" the words "In all brass foundries."

20. Further amend Section 37, on line 3, by inserting a comma after the word "shall" and inserting before the word "be" the following: "if after written notice by the commissioner of labor or his assistants, of such violation they shall not after thirty days have complied with such notice."

21. Also amend Section 37, by adding at the end of the section the following:

"If an employe neglects to use the devices furnished under the provisions of this act he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding ten dollars or imprisonment for not exceeding ten days."

22. Further amend Section 38, on line 2, by striking out the word and figures "November 1, 1919" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures "January 1, 1920."

23. Further amend by renumbering Section 24 as Section 21, Section 25 as Section 22, Section 26 as Section 23, Section 27 as Section 24, Section 32 as Section 25, Section 33 as Section 26, Section 34 as Section 27, Section 33 as Section 28, Section 36 as Section 29, Section 37 as Section 30, and Section 38 as Section 31.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 90, 22, 362, 290, 80, 286, 183, 120, 121, 66, 429 and 214,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 427 and 109,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 468 be recalled from the Committee on Corporations and re-referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 468,

Was recalled from the Committee on Corporations.

S. F. No. 468,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. McGarry moved that 1,000 additional copies of S. F. No. 78 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Guilford in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the

President having resumed the chair, Mr. Guilford reported that the committee had considered

S. F. Nos. 6 and 295.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 27, 212 and 232.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 296.

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Hopp—

Amend S. F. No. 296 by inserting after the word "State" in line 11 of Section 3, of the printed bill, the words "or foreign building and loan associations that have now fully complied with the laws of this state pertaining to such corporations, and are now permitted to do business by the Superintendent of Banks."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Sullivan—

Amend S. F. No. 296 by striking out the word "fix" in the third line of Section 7 of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof the word "limit."

Which amendments were adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 182, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Mr. Baldwin:

Amend Senate File No. 182, being a bill to amend Section 82 of Chapter 235, Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 28 of Chapter 119, Laws of 1917, as follows:

1. Amend the title so it will read as follows:

"For an act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 28 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to highways which have or may become impassable by reason of neglect thereof by the town."

2. That Section 1 of the printed bill be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. That Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 28 of Chapter 119, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Subdivision (3). Whenever five or more freeholders and voters of a town present a complaint in writing to the county board of the county reciting that a described road therein is neglected by the town and that by reason of such neglect such road is impassable, the county board shall by resolution fix a time and place when and where it will consider such complaint and thereupon the county auditor shall mail a copy of the complaint, together with a notice of the time and place when and where the county board will meet to consider the complaint, to the town clerk of the town, and shall also notify the persons signing the complaint of the time and place of such meeting. At the designated time and place the county board shall consider such complaint and hear and consider such testimony as may be offered by the officers of the town, or the persons filing the complaint, relative to the truth of the matters therein set forth. The chairman of the board or the presiding officer thereof may administer oaths to witnesses and require them to testify under oath.

"If upon such hearing the county board shall be of the opinion that the complaint is well founded, it shall by resolution direct the town board to do such work or make such improvements as it shall deem necessary to put such road in a passable condition. Such resolution shall specify generally the work which it is so deemed necessary to do. The county auditor shall cause a copy of such resolution to be mailed to the town clerk of the town complained of, and if such town for a period of thirty days after the mailing of such notice shall fail or neglect to do the work or make the improvements set forth in such resolution, the county board may cause such work to be done or improvement made and pay therefor from the county road and bridge fund; provided, however, that the amount annually spent by any county board in any town under the provisions of subdivision three, section 28 of this act shall not exceed three mills on the dollar of the taxable valuation of said town."

Further amending said bill by adding the following section:

"Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Guilford then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett moved that S. F. No. 121 be recalled from the desk and re-referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs for correction.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 121.

Was referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Denegre moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, February 18, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Baldwin was excused for Wednesday and Thursday, this week.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
St. Paul, February 17, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 237, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 303, Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1883 relating to the compensation of county commissioners in Goodhue County, Minnesota.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, February 14, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

MEMBER BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS.

W. D. James, Lyon County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1922.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF CONTROL.

Ralph W. Wheelock, Hennepin County, for the term ending the 3d day of April, 1925.

INSPECTOR OF STEAM BOILERS AND VESSELS.

I. O. Bottolfson, Freeborn County, for the term ending the 31st day of January, 1921.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate, having advised with, do now consent to and confirm the above appointments of His Excellency The Governor, transmitted to the Senate today under date February 14, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate appointed Mr. Cumming to attend the Minnesota Crop Improvement Association Convention at St. Cloud tomorrow, in place of Mr. Hamer, who was unable to attend.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Game and Fish Committee introduced—

S. F. No. 475, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 476, A bill for an act to amend Section 4973, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians by the State Medical Examining Board.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 477, A bill for an act to repeal Section 113, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to salaries of state officers and employes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Sullivan introduced—

S. F. No. 478, A bill for an act to amend sub-division 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 459 Session Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to salaries of certain state officers and employes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 479, A bill for an act relating to the high school board examinations and repealing Sections 2893 and 2894, General Statutes of 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 480, A bill for an act authorizing the issuance, by the State Board of Investment, of \$1,000,000 certificates of indebtedness, of the State of Minnesota, the proceeds from the sale of which are to be used for the purpose of making second

mortgage loans on improved and cultivated lands, and providing for the supervision of such fund by the State Board of Investment.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 481, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to correct school land certificates, Nos. 44,619, 44,620, 44,621 and 44,622 authorizing the governor to execute patents therefor to James A. Ogilvie.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 482, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 199 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, the same being an act entitled, An act to establish a State Teachers' insurance and retirement fund and to authorize the payment of annuities and benefits from such fund to retired teachers of public schools and of other educational, correctional and charitable institutions supported wholly or in part by the State of Minnesota and to regulate the creation, collection, management and disbursement thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 483, A bill for an act to amend Section 6142 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, providing a minimum capitalization of mortgage loan and land companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 484, A bill for an act to establish the ninth state fish hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commissioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 485, A bill for an act to authorize the county board of certain counties to issue, sell or exchange bonds for the

purpose of funding certain floating indebtedness of such county now outstanding.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 486, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 466 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1909, defining the method of taxation of grain elevators and warehouses, and grain therein.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 487, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2330 and 2331, General Statutes 1913, relating to the taxation of grain in elevators and warehouses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 488, A bill for an act to provide for the assessment of property subject to assessment under the provisions of Chapter 285, General Laws of 1911, omitted in the assessment of any year or years and to provide penalties for failure to list the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 489, A bill for an act to prohibit unlawful discrimination in the sale of certain commodities, and providing penalties for violations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 490, A bill for an act to appropriate money for improvement and maintenance of Camp Release State Park.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 491, A bill for an act authorizing county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, whole or fractional, and

having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, to construct roads on township or range lines, and to levy taxes therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 492, A bill for an act to amend Sections 9, 10, 12, 20, 21 and 24 of Chapter 152, General Laws of 1915, relating to telephones and telephone companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 493, A bill for an act relating to the time for the commencement of actions to recover from common carriers' overcharges.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 494, A bill for an act to amend Section 5794, General Statutes of 1913, relating to weights and measures.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 495, A bill for an act to reimburse Caroline Oas and her dependent children for personal injury sustained by her husband, Anton Oas, and resulting in his death.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 496, A bill for an act to provide for the extradition of persons of unsound mind and of delinquent juveniles and to make uniform the laws of the states which enact the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 497, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 7197 of the General Statutes 1913, relating to aid to mothers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Reed introduced—

S. F. No. 498, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 7, Laws 1917, authorizing the treasurer of the State of Minnesota to receive payments on sales of school and other state lands where the time limit for payment has expired or will expire on or before July 31, 1919, and the Governor of the State of Minnesota to execute patents therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 499, A bill for an act to amend Section 3957 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 188 of the General Laws for 1917, relating to trustees for Soldiers' Home and compensation for attending meetings of its board.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 500, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the University of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 167, A bill for an act authorizing the state treasurer and state auditor to make temporary transfers of money in the state treasury not needed for immediate disbursements to the state prison revolving fund and providing for the return thereof with interest to the funds from which the transfers are so made.

S. F. No. 200, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 174, A bill for an act to amend Section 7830 General Statutes 1913, relating to errors and exceptions at the trial of civil actions.

H. F. No. 180, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 1, section 6492, of General Statutes 1913, pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.

H. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 347, Laws 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to Agricultural Societies and Farm Improvement Associations.

H. F. No. 157, A bill for an act to amend Section 6518, General Statutes 1913, relating to the dates of annual meetings of county agricultural societies and dates on which said societies shall file their reports.

H. F. No. 159, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.

H. F. No. 266, A bill for an act authorizing the abatement of penalties, interest and costs which have accrued or may hereafter accrue, on taxes levied on lands owned by persons who have served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during the present war.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 434, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the issuance of interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a Court House, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars and having not less than thirty-five nor more than forty Congressional townships.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 281, A bill for an act to fix the time of holding general terms of the District Court in and for the Tenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, and amending Chapter 367 of the General Statutes of 1917.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 288, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3541 and 3545,

General Statutes, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary associations.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 17, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 157, A bill for an act to amend Section 6518, General Statutes 1913, relating to the dates of annual meetings of county agricultural societies and dates on which said societies shall file their reports.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

H. F. No. 159, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

H. F. No. 174, A bill for an act to amend Section 4200 of Revised Laws and Section 7830 General Statutes 1913, relating to errors and exceptions at the trial of civil actions.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 180, A bill for an act to amend Sub-division 1, Section 6492, of General Statutes 1913, pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

H. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 347, Laws 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to Agricultural Societies and Farm Improvement Associations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

H. F. No. 266, A bill for an act authorizing the abatement of penalties, interest and costs which have accrued or may hereafter accrue on taxes levied on lands owned by persons who have served in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States during the present war.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

H. F. No. 288, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3541 and 3545, General Statutes, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary associations.
Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 288 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 221, No. 3 on Calendar, and that S. F. No. 221 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 288,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 221,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 434, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the issuance of interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a Court House, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars and having not less than thirty-five nor more than forty Congressional townships.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages or boroughs of unplatted agricultural lands included within the corporate limits of such villages or boroughs in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "township," in line 39 of the bill, the following words: "and not in any manner under the jurisdiction of such village," and that it be amended further by striking out the words "or borough" wherever they may appear, either in the bill or title.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 242, A bill for an act entitled, An act relating to street improvements in cities of the fourth class, and in villages, and to the payment of the cost thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 7 by adding thereto at the end thereof one new section to be numbered "Section 7a;" said new section to read as follows:

Section 7a. It shall be the duty of county boards and proper school district officials to pay assessments levied under the provisions of this act against property owned respectively by counties or school districts, and in the event of failure so to do, the amount of such unpaid assessments so levied may be recovered in a civil action brought by such cities or villages against the municipal corporation owning the property so assessed.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 79, A bill for an act to amend Section 5778, General Statutes 1913, relating to the fees of Grand and Petit Jurors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 121 and 242,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 79

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved that S. F. No. 463 be recalled from the

Committee on Elections and re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 463,

Was recalled from the Committee on Elections.

S. F. No. 463,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Fowler moved that S. F. No. 364 be recalled from the Committee on Banks and Banking and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 364,

Was recalled from the Committee on Banks and Banking.

S. F. 364,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Adams moved that H. F. No. 109, No. 49 on General Orders, be substituted for S. F. No. 61, No. 13 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 61 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 61,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Peterson moved that S. F. No. 22, A Joint Resolution which was laid on the table February 17, and appears on page 5 of the Senate Journal for February 17, 25th day, be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Rules be suspended and S. F. No. 22 be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the suspension of the Rules.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays 13, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Palmer,	Ward,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rask,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Reed,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Callahan,	Jackson,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Putnam,	Sullivan,	
Brooks,	Handlan,	Rockne,	Van Hoven,	

So the motion to suspend the rules prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 22, A Joint Resolution favoring League of Nations.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 72 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 72 be referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 72,

Was referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Rockne was excused for the remainder of the day.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 431 was indefinitely postponed, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swanson moved that S. F. No. 431 be re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 431.

Was re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate pass over the Calendar and take up General Orders.

Which motion did not prevail.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 288, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3541 and 3545, General Statutes, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary associations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 144, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 5 of Section 5762, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to the fees of sheriffs.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bessette,	Carley,	Erickson,	Guilford,
Anderson,	Blomgren,	Cliff,	Gandrud,	Hall,
Baldwin,	Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Hamer,
Benson,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Handlan,

Hegnes,	Lee,	Nord,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Hopp,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Sageng,	Vibert,
Jackson,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Johnson,	Madigan,	Putnam,	Stepan,	Widell,
Kingsbury,	Millett,	Rask,	Sullivan,	Wold,
Kuntz,	Naplin,	Reed,	Swanson,	
Larson,	Nolan,	Ribenack,	Turnham,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 165, A bill for an act to authorize the chief executive officers of State institutions to execute bonds in favor of the Federal Government in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Widell,
Boylan,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Carley,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 204, A bill for an act entitled, An act to reimburse the official reporter of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District for amounts paid out for railway, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from his place of residence in the discharge of his official duties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Hegnes,
Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Gjeraset,	Hopp,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Hall,	Jackson,
Benson,	Callahan,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Johnson,
Bessette,	Carley,	Gandrud,	Handlan,	Kingsbury,

Kuntz,	Millett,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Larson,	Naplin,	Rask,	Stepan,	Widell,
Lindsley,	Nolan,	Reed,	Swanson,	Wold,
Loonam,	Nord,	Ribenack,	Turnham,	
McGarry,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,	
Madigan,	Peterson,	Sageng,	Vibert,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 138, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the District Judges and to rules of the District Court.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Besette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Brooks,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Callahan,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,	
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 87, A bill for an act to authorize the District Court to dismiss actions and proceedings which shall not be brought to trial within five years from the commencement thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Besette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 7, A bill for an act to amend the last paragraph of Section 1 of Chapter 66, General Laws 1917, relating to appeals in civil and criminal actions, and the fees and charges in the Supreme Court thereon.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 5, A bill for an act to amend Section 118, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Supreme Court, and the terms thereof to be held by the justices each year.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED

Mr. Sullivan moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, February 19, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Reed and Putnam were excused for today.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Cliff and Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 501, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the County Board of the several counties in this state under the conditions named in this act to make all necessary orders directing the improvement hereinafter provided for, to secure the removal of trees, brush, stumps, and other like material from land suitable for cultivation and for the prevention of forest fires and the drying up of said land and improvement of the general welfare, to provide the funds therefor and to levy

the cost for the construction of such improvement upon the lands benefitted.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 502, A bill for an act relating to contracts for the construction of drainage ditches, contractors' bonds, changes in construction plans, progress payments and acceptance upon completion.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 503, A bill for an act to prohibit unlawful discrimination in the sale of certain commodities, and providing penalties for violations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 504, A bill for an act to amend Section 4321, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913, relating to the liability of common carriers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

Messrs. Gandrud, Sageng, Cumming, Erickson, Hamer and Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 505, A bill for an act establishing a department of agriculture, providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture, determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner, appropriating money for the purposes of this act and abolishing the State Board of Immigration.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. Larson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 506, A bill for an act to reimburse A. V. Slattengren for 12 thoroughbred cattle killed by order of State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Anderson introduced—

S. F. No. 507, A bill for an act authorizing cities operating under a Home Rule Charter and having ten thousand inhabitants or less to issue and sell refunding bonds under certain conditions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 508, A bill for an act to amend Section 3806 of Chapter 22, General Statutes 1913, and acts amendatory thereto, relating to forestry and forest fires.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 509, A bill for an act authorizing the creation of a department of city planning in Cities of the First Class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, and defining the powers and duties of such a department.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 510, A bill for an act to amend Section 14, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, relating to state aid for public schools, and for the method of its distribution.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 511, A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended in

which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested herewith returned:

S. F. No. 29, A bill for an act to amend Section 6406 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913 relating to directors of Trust Companies and to vacancies in the Board of Directors of Trust Companies.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 18, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Widell moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendment by the House to S. F. No. 29, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Schmechel.
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Widell.
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by House of the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 172, A bill for an act entitled, An act amending Section 3107, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salary of the clerk of the Poor Board.

S. F. No. 82, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the county commissioners in counties of this State now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than \$3,000,000 and not more than \$5,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

S. F. No. 205, A bill for an act relating to investments and deposits of insurance companies.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 238, A bill for an act amending Section 2632, General Statutes 1913, relating to headlights on motor vehicles.

H. F. No. 173, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the District Court Judges and to rules of the District Court.

H. F. No. 321, A bill for an act extending the time of expiration of certain state timber permits.

February 18, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 26, A bill for an act relating to lots in private cemeteries and their perpetual care.

S. F. No. 118, A bill for an act to amend Section 64 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which Section relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards and the audit and payment of damages after the determination of an appeal in proceedings for the establishment, alteration or vacation of Public Highways.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 18, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 173, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the district court judges and to rules of the district court.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 173, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the district court judges and to rules of the district court.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 173,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 173, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the district court judges and to rules of the district court.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hopp moved that S. F. No. 138 be recalled from the House.
Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 138,

Was recalled from the House.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 238, A bill for an act amending Section 2632, General Statutes 1913, relating to headlights on motor vehicles.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

H. F. No. 321, A bill for an act extending the time of expiration of certain state timber permits.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that H. F. No. 321 be laid on the table.
Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 321,

Was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 37, A bill for an act to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval forces of the United States engaged in the present war.

H. F. No. 62, A bill for an act relating to the planting and maintaining of barberry bushes and barberry hedges and providing for destruction thereof.

H. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917, entitled, An act authorizing County Boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceding year have totally or partially failed, providing for a lien upon the crops and land to secure repayment and providing for prosecution and punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 19, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917, entitled, An act authorizing County Boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceding year have totally or partially failed, providing for a lien upon the crops and land to secure repayment and providing for prosecution and punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

H. F. No. 37, A bill for an act to extend protection to the Civil rights of members of the military and naval forces of the United States engaged in the present war.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 62, A bill for an act relating to the planting and maintaining of barberry bushes and barberry hedges and providing for destruction thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 411, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes, 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 329, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 5 of Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 371, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to compensation of judges and clerks of elections.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words "five cents" where they occur in subdivisions 2, 3 and 4 of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof in each case the words "ten cents."

Further amend subdivision 4 of Section 1 by striking out the words "three dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words "four dollars."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 204, A bill for an act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the State Constitution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gandrud, from the Committee on Markets and Marketing, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 172, A bill for an act to amend Section 6487 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the formation and validating the acts of co-operative associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 380, A bill for an act to amend Section 1970, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to taxation and property exempt therefrom.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 68, A bill for an act relating to the filing of valuations of lands in certain cases and penalties therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 126, A bill for an act to amend Section 2128, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes, and repealing inconsistent laws.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 185, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of sleighs.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 31, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of sleighs.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 189, A bill for an act relating to vacating judgments in criminal cases for perjury and subornation of perjury and other fraudulent acts and refundment of fines and costs paid therein.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 129, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 344, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to commitment and petition for discharge of feeble minded persons.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out the words "as feeble-minded" where they occur in the 8th line from the bottom of page one of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "as aforesaid."

2. By inserting before the word "person" where it occurs in the last line on page one of the bill the word "said."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 122, A bill for an act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the filing of an affidavit of bias or prejudice of judge.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 441, A bill for an act to amend Section 7305, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the making of verified inventories by executors and administrators, and returning the same to probate courts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 314, A bill for an act to amend Section 220, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relative to fees on deposits of money in court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words "A county or the state" where they occur in line 14 of Section 220 of the bill.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 276, A bill for an act providing for reward for procuring the arrest and conviction of any person charged with automobile stealing, and the manner in which the claimant shall apply therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 130, A bill for an act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out all the editorial matter at the beginning of each section of the bill.

2. Strike out all of section 5 of the bill.

3. Strike out all of section 6, and in lieu thereof insert the following, to be known as section 5 of the bill:

Section 5. This act shall supersede the provisions contained in chapter 463 Laws of Minnesota 1917 as to all offenses committed subsequent to the passage hereof, but shall not affect offenses heretofore committed in violation of the provisions of that act or prosecutions therefor heretofore or hereafter instituted.

4. Strike out the figure "7" where it appears in section 7 of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the figure "6."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 83, A bill for an act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of a felony.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Palmer, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 109, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6481 and 6483, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to co-operative associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

To strike out the word "one" in fifth line of Section 2, and substitute word "five" in lieu thereof.

Further amend S. F. No. 109, by substituting in lieu of Section 1 thereof, the following:

Section 1. That Section 6481, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"6481. A co-operative association may be formed for the purpose of engaging in any lawful mercantile, manufacturing, agricultural or rural telephone business. Its certificate of incorporation shall be filed for record with the Register of Deeds of the county of its principal place of business, and thereupon it shall become a

corporation. A majority of the incorporators that reside in this state shall be residents of the county of its principal place of business, and its duration without renewal shall not exceed twenty years. The certificate of incorporation of any such association may be renewed for a term of not exceeding twenty years whenever a majority vote of the stock represented at any meeting called for that purpose shall adopt a resolution to that effect. The call for such meeting shall be given in the manner provided for in the original certificate of incorporation in case such certificate shall specify the manner of calling such meeting, and in case the certificate does not so specify, then the call for such meeting shall be given by publishing a notice of such meeting, specifying the purpose thereof, and such notice shall be published once in a weekly newspaper published in the principal place of business of such association, and in case no such newspaper is published at such principal place of business, the call for such meeting shall be so published in a weekly newspaper published in the city or village nearest to the principal place of business of such association, or at the county seat of the county in which the principal place of business of said association is located, and such publication shall be made not less than ten (10) nor more than twenty (20) days prior to the date of such meeting. A copy of the resolution of renewal of a certificate of incorporation adopted as aforesaid, certified by the president of the association and attested by the Secretary thereof as a true and correct copy thereof, shall be published once in a weekly newspaper published in the principal place of business of such association, and in case no newspaper is published at such place, then the said resolution may be published in a weekly newspaper published in the city or village nearest to the principal place of business of said association, or in a weekly newspaper published at the county seat of the county wherein the principal place of business of said association is located, and a copy of such resolution together with the proof of its publication shall be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of the principal place of business of said association, and upon and after the filing of the same with such Register of Deeds for record, the renewal and extension of the corporate existence of such association shall be complete.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Palmer, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 390, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Palmer, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 12, A bill for an act relating to the transfer of shares of stock in corporations and to make uniform the law with reference thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 279, A bill for an act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 73 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars, providing for approaches thereto, and providing for the levy of taxes and issuance of bonds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 401, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for reports on road work in cities, villages and townships and for the publication thereof, and also providing for an annual meeting of county, city, village and township road officials and providing compensation therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 308, A bill for an act to amend Section 83, Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor, and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes, as amended by Chapter 43 of the General Laws of 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 9, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2557, 2558, 2559 and 2560 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to highways.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 335, A bill for an act to establish Toqua Lake State Park.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 335,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 231, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 192, Laws 1915, as amended by Chapter 31, Laws 1917, relating to the issuance by the State Auditor of leases on school, university, internal improvement, swamp and other state lands in which the state may have an interest for taking sand, clay, rock, marl, peat and black dirt therefrom, storing thereon ore, waste materials from mines, rock and tailings from ore milling plants, and for building or garden sites and for other uses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 357, A bill for an act authorizing the State Auditor to allow the construction and use of school houses in certain State Parks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 263, A bill for an act to authorize the leasing of Douglas Lodge and certain other buildings in Itasca State Park.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 449, A bill for an act to authorize the State Auditor to lease the surface of any unsold state land for additional room for stockpiling, storing, handling, or depositing thereon and removal therefrom of ore, ore material, stripping or waste taken from other state lands under State Mineral Lease.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 262, A bill for an act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park and to regulate hunting and trapping therein and adjacent thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 371, 204, 126, 31, 189, 441, 314, 130, 109, 390, 12, 401, 308, 9, 231, 357, 263, 449 and 262.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 172, 129 and 122.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that H. F. No. 321 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 321,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 321, A bill for an act extending the time of expiration of certain state timber permits.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 321,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 321, A bill for an act extending the time of expiration of certain state timber permits.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan.
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert.
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 27, No. 2 on General Orders be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 27,

Was indefinitely postponed.

INVITATIONS.

Mr. Palmer moved that inasmuch as President Burton and Board of Regents have invited the Senate and House to meet at the State University Grounds Thursday, February 27, at 12 o'clock noon, that we accept the invitation and that the Senate adjourn in proper time to take chartered cars which will be placed at the disposal of the Senate and House and proceed to the University to visit that institution on the above date mentioned, and that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to inform Dr. Burton that we have accepted their invitation and will be pleased to visit that institution in accordance with their request.

Which invitation was read, accepted and ordered printed in the Journal.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 124, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing and empowering boards of County Commissioners in Counties now or hereafter having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 to appropriate and expend not exceeding \$25,000 per year in the improvement of lakes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Heenes,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Benson,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gjeraset,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 4, A bill for an act to amend Section 9284, General Statutes 1913, relating to recognizances on appeals or writs of error to the Supreme Court in criminal cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Benson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 109, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 274, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of the County Treasurers in counties of this State, containing not less than 38 Congressional townships of land, and having an assessed valuation of not less than eight million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hall,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 182, A bill for an act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Section 28 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to highways which have or may become impassable by reason of neglect thereof by the town. By adding to said section a new subdivision making it the duty of the members of the town board to do the work or make the improvements directed by the County Board under certain circumstances and prescribing a penalty for their failure or neglect so to do.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Bonniwell,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Brooks,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 6, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 379 of the General Laws of 1911, being Section 9413 of General Statutes 1913, relative to the qualifications of official and legal publications.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 36, and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hammer,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Wold,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Peterson,	
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Romberg,	Schmechel,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Carley in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Carley reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 212, 270, 219, 261, 162 and 291,

Also H. F. No. 130,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 296, 131 and 19,

Also H. F. No. 7,

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 285,

Which the committee recommends to progress with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Sullivan:

Amend S. F. No. 285 by inserting after the word "year" at the end of line 16 of Section 1 of the printed bill the following:

"Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of not less than forty-five thousand nor more than sixty thousand, according

to the last federal census, and consisting of not less than thirty-five nor more than forty-five congressional townships."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 96,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Denegre:

Amend S. F. No. 96 by striking out the period on line 8 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma, and by changing the first letter of the word following said period from a capital to a small letter.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 302,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Mr. Carley then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, February 20, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Ward was excused for today on account of sickness.

Messrs. Gjerset and Lindsley were excused for tomorrow.

OATH ADMINISTERED.

Arch Coleman, Senator elect from the 34th District, Hennepin County, appeared and presented his certificate of election and took the oath of office which was administered by Justice Holt of the Supreme Court.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A petition from The Minnesota Farmer's Mutual Insurance representatives was read and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, February 18, 1919.

*Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 239, An act to provide whole family protection for members of fraternal benefit societies.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 512, A bill for an act for the sale of the homestead of a deceased person by the Probate Court and the distribution of money received therefrom.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 513, A bill for an act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552—added to Chapter 44 of the General Statutes of 1913, which Section is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 514, A bill for an act to amend Section 2621, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to licensed chauffeurs and drivers of motor vehicles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 515, A bill for an act to amend Section 2226, General

Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of railroad companies owning or operating any line of railroad situate within or partly within this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 516, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 33, General Laws of 1907, entitled, An act to authorize the payment from county funds of certain expenses of county superintendents of schools.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 517, A bill for an act to amend Section 57, of Chapter 400, General Laws 1917, so as to limit expenditures by the Adjutant General to appropriations made by the legislature.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 518, A bill for an act to compensate P. O. Finstuen of Roscoe, Minnesota for injuries sustained in the line of his duties in taking the alien census for the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 519, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the improvement of and adding to the State Armory at St. Peter, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 520, A bill for an act authorizing any county of this state which now is or hereafter may be so located with reference to another state, that it is desirable and necessary for the public interests to construct a highway across a portion of such adjoining state, to appropriate and expend county road funds of such county in acquiring a road right of way across such state

and constructing and maintaining thereon a highway leading therefrom into this state.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 521, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 202, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the salary of Register of Deeds in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 522, A bill for an act to amend Section 1204 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 523, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 195, Laws 1915, being an act entitled, An act relating to insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties for violation thereof; and for the repeal of Chapters 107, 223, 514, Laws 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 524, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 525, A bill for an act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 526, A bill for an act appropriating certain moneys to compensate Engvald Qvale for damages sustained by him by reason of the acts of an escaped inmate of the Willmar State Asylum.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 527, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 194 of the laws of 1915 entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally sub-normal children in such school districts in certain cases and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 528, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 282, Session Laws Minnesota, 1917, relating to the admission of attorneys at law to practice in Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 101, A bill for an act concerning, and defining the rights, duties and responsibilities of inn keepers, hotel keepers and landlords, and for the protection of their guests, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Sections 6080, 6081, 8969, General Statutes 1913, and Section 5164, Revised Laws 1905.

H. F. No. 251, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.

February 20, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 340, A bill for an act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of absence to

serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.

H. F. No. 306, A bill for an act to amend Section 9344, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.

H. F. No. 242, A bill for an act to amend Section 5534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to appeals from orders of the county board in ditch proceedings.

H. F. No. 206, A bill for an act relating to and providing for the creation of charitable trusts and amending Section 3249 of the Revised Laws 1905, being section 6710 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, by adding thereto a new subdivision to be known as subdivision 8.

H. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Sec. 7522 of the Gen. Statutes 1913, relating to the time when pleadings in justices' courts shall take place.

H. F. No. 295, A bill for an act to amend Section 7425 General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 236, Laws 1917, relating to the appointment of guardians.

H. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to amend subsection "G" of Section 8230, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employe and workman, and excepting therefrom, employes of cities governed by Home Rule Charters, who are compensated under the terms of said charters.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 19, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 340, A bill for an act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of absence to serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 206, A bill for an act relating to and providing for the creation of charitable trusts and amending Section 3249 of

the revised laws, 1905, being Section 6710 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, by adding thereto a new subdivision to be known as Subdivision 8.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to amend subsection "G" of Section 8230, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employe and workman.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Section 7522 of the General Statutes 1913, relating to the time when pleadings in justices' courts shall take place.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 242, A bill for an act to amend Section 5534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to appeals from orders of the county board in ditch proceedings.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 295, A bill for an act to amend Section 7425, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 236, Laws 1917, relating to the appointment of guardians.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 306, A bill for an act to amend Section 9344, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 251, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 101, A bill for an act concerning, and defining the rights, duties and responsibilities of inn keepers, hotel keepers and landlords, and for the protection of their guests, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Sections 6080, 6081, 8969, General Statutes 1913, and Section 5164, Revised Laws 1905.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 120, A joint resolution relating to a bill pending in Congress relating to the promulgation of grain grades.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 236, A bill for an act creating a board for seed potato inspection and certification, providing penalties for the violation of such provisions and appropriating money for its use.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 44, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 10 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, relating to an appropriation by certain counties for a soldier's and sailor's monument.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 44,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 353, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Control

to expend \$50,000 from the State Prison revolving fund for the erection of a building for inmates of the State Reformatory for Women and repealing authority heretofore given to use \$40,000 from said revolving fund for the erection of a Women's Prison in connection with the State Prison.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Finance Committee.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 353,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 383, A bill for an act to abolish the office of Chief Inspector of Oils, and conferring upon the Dairy and Food Commissioner all the duties and powers now possessed by the Chief Inspector of Oils.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred,

S. F. No. 406, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section Seven (7), Article Six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, changing the length of the term of the judge of the probate court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred,

S. F. No. 459, A bill for an act to amend Section 4976 General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of members and employers of the State Board of Medical Examiners.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred,

S. F. No. 33, A bill for an act regulating appointments, employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 33,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred,

S. F. No. 211, A bill for an act providing for the appointment of a fire marshal by the Commissioner of Insurance and fixing his salary; abolishing the offices of assistant fire marshal, deputy fire marshals and special deputies as now authorized by law; providing for the appointment of deputy fire marshals by the Commissioner of Insurance, and devolving on and transferring to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshals appointed under this act, the duties, powers and privileges now imposed on and granted to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshal and repealing Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 564, Laws of Minnesota, 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, to which was referred—

The resignation of Mr. Martin Widsten, as Committee Clerk of the Senate, and which resignation is hereto attached.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resignation be accepted, and that D. R. Morris be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by such resignation, and that the same begin on February 16, 1919.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Health and Welfare, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 460, A bill for an act to amend Section 4970 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the State Board of Medical Examiners.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Health and Welfare, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 287, A bill for an act authorizing the licensing of certain persons as veterinarians without examination.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 287,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 236, 383, 406, 459, 211 and 460,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 120,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sullivan moved that the Senate do pass over the Calendar and proceed to the consideration of the General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, with Mr. Nord in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Nord reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 207 and 254.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 40, 285, 131, 19, 188, 110 and 65,

Also H. F. Nos. 87 and 7.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 296,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Sullivan: To amend Senate File No. 296 by striking out all of line 7 of Section 6 of the printed bill after the word "act," and by striking out all of line 8 of said Section 6.

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Sullivan: Amend Senate File No. 296 by striking out all of line 17 of Section 2 of the printed bill after the word "salary" and by striking out in line 18 of Section 2 the words and figures "Four Thousand (\$4000) dollars per annum" and by inserting in place thereof the following: "of Three Thousand (\$3000) Dollars per annum."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Fowler: Amend Senate File No. 296 as follows:

Strike out the word "never" in line 14 of Section 3 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words "does not."

Further amend by striking out the letter "s" at the end of the word "exceeds" in said line 14.

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Sullivan: Amend Senate File No. 296 by striking out the word "fifteen" where the same appears in line 14 of Section 3 of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof the words "twenty-five."

Which amendments were adopted.

Also,

S. F. No. 370,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Swanson: Amend the first two lines of the last paragraph of Senate File No. 370 by striking out the words "Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring," and moved its adoption.

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 175,

Which the committee recommends to progress with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Fowler: Amend Senate File No. 175 by inserting between the words "appointment" and "no" where they appear in line three (3) of Section 3 of the printed bill, the following words: "all of whom shall be graduates of a course in chiropractic, but."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 54,

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Gjerset: Amend Senate File No. 54 by adding at the end of line 6 in Section 2 after the word "valuation" a paragraph in the following words:

"In no case shall the total levy made for all purposes as expressed in Sections 1 and 2, in any one year exceed two mills on the assessed valuation without authority conferred by a vote of the voters of said county or group of counties."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, February 21, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Reed was excused for today on account of sickness.

Messrs. Benson, Schmechel and Palmer were excused for next Monday, February 24.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 529, A bill for an act relating to life or casualty insurance upon the co-operative or assessment plan.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 530, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 7730 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the service of summonses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 531, A bill for an act providing for the establishment of a depositors' guaranty fund to guarantee payments of general deposits and the establishment of a commission to supervise and control such fund; also establishing the rate of interest that may be paid, contracted for, accepted or received by a depositor or depositors, and fixing penalties for violation of this act; and providing for the liquidation of insolvent banks.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 532, A bill for an act transferring to the Minnesota Tax Commission the duties of enforcing and administering the inheritance tax laws of this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Brooks (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 533, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 312 of the General Laws of Minnesota, 1903, as amended by Chapter 141 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1907; Chapter 364 of the General Laws of 1909; Chapter 396 of the General Laws of 1913; and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1913; authorizing cities having a population of 10,000 or less, and all villages and boroughs of this state organized under the General Laws or under a special law, to establish and maintain a general system of sewers, and to maintain, alter, relay and extend any existing systems of sewers, and to provide for the cost thereof, and to create sewer districts within the limits of such cities, villages or boroughs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 534, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 303, Laws 1917, relating to delinquent taxes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Adams, Boylan, Bessette, Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 535, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and expense allowance of county commissioners in all counties of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than two hundred and fifty million (\$250,000,000) dollars and an area of more than five thousand (5,000) square miles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Ribenack (for St. Louis County Delegation) introduced—

S. F. No. 536, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof in acquiring a site, constructing and equipping a city hall.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Adams, Boylan, Erickson and Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 537, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, Register of Deeds, superintendent of schools, judge of probate, and providing for the number of assistants, deputies, clerks and other help thereon and their compensation, in all counties now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of more than 5,000 square miles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Adams, McGarry and Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 538, A bill for an act authorizing the printing of the annual report of the inspector of mines by the county for which he was appointed and ratifying any payments heretofore made for printing such reports.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 539, A bill for an act entitled, An act requiring persons appointed as deputy sheriffs, by the sheriffs of the counties of the State of Minnesota to be residents of the State of Minnesota and citizens of the United States of America.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 540, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and county bonds issued in connection therewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. McGarry introduced

S. F. No. 541, A bill for an act fixing the salary of county auditors in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 542, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the State Drainage Commission to co-operate with the Department of the Interior and the Department of Agriculture of the United States in carrying on topographical and hydrographical surveys and investigations and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Peterson, Cumming, Sageng, Putnam, Guilford, Larson, Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 543, A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and the injunction of the person creating, keeping or maintaining or aiding in the same and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Messrs. Kuntz and Bonniwell introduced—

S. F. No. 544, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 378, Laws of 1917, relating to railroads and the delivery of live stock at stock yards.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 545, A bill for an act to amend Section 2376 and 2377, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws 1917, which sections relate to noxious weeds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for the return of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 138, A bill for an act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913 relating to the annual meeting of the District Judges and to rules of the District Court.

February 20, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 119, A bill for an act to amend Section 4750, General Statutes 1913, relating to classifications and qualifications of engineers.

February 20, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File herewith returned.

S. F. No. 53, A bill for an act regulating the hours of labor of state employes in the State of Minnesota.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 20, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 119, A bill for an act to amend Section 4750, General

Statutes 1913, relating to classifications and qualifications of engineers.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 445, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of main sewers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 457, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public armory building in such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 446, A bill for an act authorizing the addition and annexation of territory to cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 408, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to pro-

viding relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the state of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August, 1918, and appropriating funds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and that it be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 266, A bill for an act authorizing the abatement of penalties, interest and costs which have accrued or may hereafter accrue, on taxes levied on lands owned by persons who have served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during the present war.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917 entitled, An act authorizing county boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceding year have totally or partially failed, etc.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cliff moved that the rules be suspended and that H. F. No. 254 be read the second time and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 254,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 187, A bill for an act to amend Sections one and two of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917, entitled, An act authorizing County Boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceding year have totally or partially failed, providing for a lien upon the crops and land to secure repayment and providing for prosecution and punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 187,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 136, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the purchase by the State of Minnesota and sale to the farmers in the burned over district in northern Minnesota, of gasoline engines and circular saw attachments, and appropriating money therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 136,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 501, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the county board of the several counties in this state under the conditions named in this act to make all necessary orders directing the improvement hereinafter provided for, to secure the removal of trees, brush, stumps and other like material from land suitable for cultivation and for the prevention of forest fires and the drying up of said land and improvement of the general welfare, to provide the funds therefor and to levy the cost for the construction of such improvement upon the lands benefited.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

In line 15 of section 2 of the typewritten bill strike out the word "or."

In line one of page 4 of the typewritten bill strike out the word "relation" and insert the word "reference."

On page 8 in line 7 of Section 10 strike out the word "improvement" and insert the word "expenses."

On page 9 in Section 12, line 7, strike out the words "the governing" and insert the words "and govern."

On page 9 in line 8, Section 12, strike out the word "and" and insert the word "the."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Bessette gave notice of his intention to make S. F. No. 501 a Special Order.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Bessette moved that 250 extra copies of S. F. No. 501 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 299, A bill for an act permitting counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand people to appropriate money for the purpose of advertising, improving or developing the agricultural resources of such counties and the payment of such money to incorporated development societies, amending Section 745, General Statutes 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 300, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (1) of Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which Section 88 was amended by Section 28, Laws 1917, by adding thereto at the end thereof a new subdivision and which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to the repair and maintenance of bridges on town and

county roads and also the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to roads which have become impassable.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 695, A bill for an act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the State, and designated as Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission, defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by forest fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor, and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith, and repealing Chapter 12 Laws 1919.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 21, 1919.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that,
H. F. No. 695,

Be read the first, second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 695, A bill for an act to Continue in Existence a Commission heretofore created by the Governor of the state, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the Public Health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by Forest Fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith, and repealing Chapter 12, 1919.

Was read for the first time.

H. F. No. 695,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 695, A bill for an act to Continue in Existence a Commission heretofore created by the Governor of the state, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the Public Health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by Forest Fires in October, 1918, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and appropriating the same, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in connection therewith, and repealing Chapter 12, 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng.
Anderson,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham.
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 405, A bill for an act requiring registers of deeds to record and return instruments within thirty days.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 421, A bill for an act prohibiting the taking of ice from improved lakes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 420, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state which now or hereafter owns and maintains a work or correctional farm under the provisions of Chapter 188 General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended, to sell and convey all or any portion of such farm, including equipment and improvements thereon.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 426, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390, General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their deputies and clerks in certain counties of this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 491, A bill for an act authorizing county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, whole or fractional, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, to construct roads on township or range lines, and to levy taxes therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred

S. F. No. 423, A bill for an act to amend Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries of county treasurers, and the sums to be allowed to county treasurers for clerk hire, in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 445, 457, 446, 408, 501, 299, 300, 405, 421, 420, 426, 491 and 423.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 535 be recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 535,

Was recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 535,

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Ribenack moved that S. F. No. 535 be re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 535,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

OATH ADMINISTERED.

C. N. Cosgrove, Senator elect from the 17th District, Le Sueur county, appeared and presented his certificate of election and took the oath of office, which was administered by Justice Holt of the Supreme Court.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 456, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of extending, and improving the public water works system owned and operated by any such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 455, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and installing a water filtration plant for use in connection with the public water works system owned and operated by such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 397, A bill for an act to amend Section 6348, General Statutes 1913, relating to the amount of capital stock and surplus required of state banks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "five hundred" in Section 1 in line five (5) of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand."

By striking out the words "five hundred" in Section 1 in line six (6) of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 468, A bill for an act to amend subsection one of Section 6147, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the contents

of the certificate required to be subscribed and acknowledged by persons desiring to form a corporation, with regard to the name of such corporation, the general nature of its business and the principal place of transacting the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 396, A bill for an act to amend Section 6360, General Statutes 1913, relating to the percentage of its actual paid in capital and surplus a bank may invest in real estate used by it for the transaction of its business.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 399, A bill for an act prohibiting the making, transmitting to others, or circulating of derogatory statements affecting banks, savings banks, banking institutions, or trust companies, and prescribing a penalty therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and that it be re-referred to the Judiciary Committee for correction.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 313, A bill for an act to amend section 252, General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, as amended by Chapter 400 of the Session Laws of 1913, being subdivision 2 of Chapter 5A of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the salaries of judges and certain other officers of the Supreme and District Courts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to Committee on Civil Administration.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 234, A bill for an act to provide for an additional assistant attorney general.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. Nos. 234, 456, 455, 397, 468, 396 and 399,
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gandrud moved that S. F. No. 505 be recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade and be re-referred to the committee on Markets and Marketing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 505,

Was recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

S. F. No. 505,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Markets and Marketing.

Mr. Hopp moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 138 was passed be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hopp then moved that S. F. No. 138 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 138,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Johnson moved that S. F. No. 489 be recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade and returned to its author.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 489,

Was recalled from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

S. F. No. 489,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Nolan moved that when the Senate do adjourn, it be until 8 o'clock P. M. Monday, February 24.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend the foregoing motion by designating 2: o'clock P. M. Monday as the time to which the Senate do adjourn.

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then recurred on the original motion of Mr. Nolan.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate pass over the consideration of the Calendar and proceed to the consideration of the General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Putnam in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Putnam reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 194, 88, 387, 191, 409, 273, 331, 362, 290, 286, 183, 120, 66 and 371.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 40, 285, 131, 19, 188, 54, 110, 65, 294, 156, 108, 359, 8, 312, 372, 80, 429, 90, 121, 242 and 214.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 175,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Fowler—

Amend S. F. No. 175 as follows:

Strike out the word "county" where it first appears in line two (2) of Section 8 of the printed bill and insert after the word "clerk" in said line two (2) the following:

"Of the district court."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Fowler—

Amend S. F. File No. 175 as follows:

Strike out the word "county" where it appears in line three (3) of Section 10 of the printed bill and insert after the word "clerk" in said line three (3), the following:

"Of the district court."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Fowler—

Amend S. F. No. 175 as follows:

Add a new sentence at the end of line twelve (12) of Section 10 of the printed bill, as follows:

"In case a license is revoked by the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, a copy of the order of revocation duly certified by the secretary of the board shall forthwith be filed by said secretary in the office of the Clerk of the District Court in which the revoked license was filed, and the Clerk of the District Court where the same is filed shall make a notation of such revocation in the book in which the record of said license is kept and shall cancel such revoked license; said clerk shall receive a fee of one dollar for filing such order of revocation and making said notation and cancellation which shall be paid from the funds of said state board."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Fowler—

Amend S. F. No. 175 as follows:

Strike out of lines 3, 4 and 5 of Section 4 of the printed bill the following:

"And it is hereby made the duty of the custodian of said building to furnish the board with suitable rooms in which to hold its sessions."

Which amendments were adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 246,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Madigan—

Amend S. F. No. 246 as follows:

Strike out the words "a half mill tax" where the same appear in line 2 of Section 1, of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A tax of not to exceed one-half mill."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 258,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the calendar.

Mr. Putnam then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 380 was indefinitely postponed be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Ribenack then moved that S. F. No. 380 be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 380,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 62, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the city council or common council of cities of this state of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof for defraying the cost of laying main trunk sewers, storm sewers, making certain local improvements in intersections of streets and in front of property exempt by law from special assessments.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 21, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,

Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTIETH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, February 24, 1919.

The Senate met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnès,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Orr was excused for the balance of the evening.

Mr. Loonam was excused for today and tomorrow.

Messrs. Ward and Reed were excused for today.

OATH ADMINISTERED.

G. H. Sullivan, Senator elect from the 43d district, Washington county, appeared and presented his certificate of election and took the oath of office which was administered by Justice Quinn of the Supreme court.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, February 20, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 26, An act relating to lots in private cemeteries and their perpetual care.

S. F. No. 82, An act entitled, An act fixing the salary of the County Commissioners in counties of this State now or hereafter having not less than 70 or more than 80 full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than \$3,000,000 and not more than \$5,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

S. F. No. 118, An act to amend Section 64 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which section relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards and the audit and payment of damages after the determination of an appeal in proceedings for the establishment, alteration or vacation of public highways.

S. F. No. 167, An act authorizing the state treasurer and state auditor to make temporary transfer of money in the state treasury not needed for immediate disbursements to the state prison revolving fund and providing for the return thereof with interest to the funds from which the transfers are so made.

S. F. No. 172, An act entitled, An act amending Section 3107, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salary of the Clerk of the Poor Board.

S. F. No. 200, An act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

S. F. No. 205, An act relating to investments and deposits of insurance companies.

S. F. No. 281, An act to fix the time of holding general terms of the District Court in and for the Tenth Judicial Dis-

trict of the State of Minnesota, and amending Chapter 367 of the General Statutes of 1917.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 546, A bill for an act fixing the salary of judges of Probate Court in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Ribenack and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 547, A bill for an act entitled, An act to legalize and validate certain policies of insurance affecting and relating to property destroyed in the forest fires of October 12, 1918, in Northern Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 548, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 89, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to an act fixing the clerk hire for county treasurer in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Sageng introduced—

S. F. No. 549, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section one (1), Article fourteen (14) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota relative to the adoption of constitutional amendments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 550, A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds heretofore issued by school districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 551, A bill for an act to empower counties bordering on the Red River of the North to make appropriations to aid and assist townships within said counties bordering on said river in paying for, erecting, repairing and improving and rebuilding bridges across the said Red River of the North in such townships.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 552, A bill for an act to allow school buildings to be used as polling places.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 553, A bill for an act granting the right of subrogation to sureties upon bonds to the state in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Nord and Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 554, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 30, General Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 555, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the value of ores from persons, co-partnerships and corporations engaged in the mining or production thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 556, A bill for an act validating the appropriation and expenditure of funds for certain purposes by certain political subdivisions of this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 557, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1204 and 1205, General Statutes 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 558, A bill for an act appropriating money for the making of certain improvements and repairs on the buildings on the State Fair grounds and for the construction on said grounds of a new live stock barn.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Bessette and Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 559, A bill for an act providing for the issue of permits to prospect for iron ore on lands belonging to the State, or in which the state has an interest, and leases for the mining of such ore.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Peterson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 560, A bill for an act to provide for the payment to officers suspended by the governor of their salaries for the period of suspension.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain mortgage foreclosure sales by action and certificates thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 562, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 6492 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to membership in the State Agricultural Societies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 563, A bill for an act to amend Section 1832, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to taxation for Fire Department Relief funds in cities having less than 50,000 inhabitants and in villages.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 564, A bill for an act amending Section 5224, General Statutes 1913, relating to sales of state land and land sales manager.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 565, A bill for an act entitled, An act relating to bids on public works.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 155, A bill for an act fixing the fees to be charged and received by County Abstract Clerks.

H. F. No. 655, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

February 24, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 60, A bill for an act to prohibit the use of oleomargarine or any other butter substitute as a substitute for table butter in state institutions.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 24, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 655, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 155, A bill for an act fixing the fees to be charged and received by County Abstract Clerks.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 60, A bill for an act to prohibit the use of oleomargarine as a substitute for table butter in State Institutions.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 369, A bill for an act to amend Section 4940, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, with reference to the publication of the Legislative Manual.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 369,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 84, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 159, Laws 1903, relating to pensions for retired and disabled policemen.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 453, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3228 and 3239. G. S. 1913, relating to the office of public examiner.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 181, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 311, Laws 1911, relating to salaries of State Inspector of Apiaries and deputy inspectors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 218, A bill for an act amending Section 1, of Chapter 194, General Laws for 1915, authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases and appropriating money therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "four" as it occurs in line 3 of the 4th paragraph, the words "and not exceeding sixteen."

Further amend by inserting in lieu of the words and figures "two hundred" (200) where the same occurs in the 7th line of the 5th paragraph of said bill, the words and figures "one hundred and fifty" (150.)

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Health and Welfare, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 466, A bill for an act to amend Sections 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020 and 5021, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the

State Board of Dental Examiners and the licensing of dentists and the practicing of dentistry and fixing the fees to be charged therefor in the State of Minnesota, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Health and Welfare, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 450, A bill for an act to provide for the licensing of dental nurses, and providing the duties and rights of dental nurses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 471, A bill for an act to amend Section 17, Chapter 209, Laws 1915, and defining and construing the words "employee" and "workman" as used in the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 113, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing that the claims of laborers shall be preferred claims in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 113,

Was re-referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 284, A bill for an act empowering the State Board for

vocational education to establish a division for the re-education and placement of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, permitting co-operation with the Federal Government, and making an appropriation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 341, A bill for an act making it unlawful to discriminate against handicapped persons through Workmen's Compensation Insurance rates and providing a penalty.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 72, A concurrent Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to co-operate with the Dominion of Canada in the enlarged canalization of the St. Lawrence river for the passage of ocean going vessels into the Great Lakes, thus connecting the heart of the continent with both the coastwise and foreign commerce of the high seas.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 106, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 344 Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to commitment and petition for discharge of feeble minded persons.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 106,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 160, A bill for an act to amend Section 1488, Revised Laws, 1905, the same being Section 3071, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the settlement of poor persons, so as to provide for the termination of a settlement in this State.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "year" at the end of Section 1 the words "with intent to abandon his residence in the state of Minnesota."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 393, A bill for an act to authorize the Minnesota Historical Society to act as custodian of state and local archives, and to provide for the collection and administration of public records.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out Section 3 and by renumbering Section 4 as Section 3 and by renumbering 5 as Section 4.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 84, 453, 181, 218, 466, 450, 471, 341, 284, 72, 160 and 393,

Were read the second time.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate made the following appointments of committee assignments:

MR. G. H. SULLIVAN—COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS.

Dairy Products and Live Stock, Grain and Warehouse, Markets and Marketing, Public Domain, Public Institutions and Buildings, Soldiers' Home, Judiciary.

MR. COSGROVE—COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS.

Banks and Banking, Municipal Affairs, Reconstruction and Relief, Towns and Counties, Motor Vehicles.

MR. COLEMAN—COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS.

Corporations, Cities of the First Class, Public Domain, Public Utilities, Public Highways.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Ribenack moved that H. F. No. 296 be taken from the table. Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 296,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 296 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 270, No. 7 on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 296,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 270,

Is held at the desk.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, February 25, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Ward and Handlan were excused for today.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A letter from the comrades of John A. Rawlin's Post No. 126, Department of Minnesota, G. A. R. was read, ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution from the Montana State Legislature was read; ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, February 21, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 78, An act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for and establishing a trunk highway system to be constructed, improved and maintained by the State, establishing and authorizing the creation of a fund for such purpose by the taxation of motor vehicles, the issuance of bonds, and otherwise.

S. F. No. 29, An act to amend Section 6406, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to directors of trust companies and to vacancies in the board of directors of trust companies.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 566, A bill for an act to repeal certain acts authorizing cities of the first class not governed by Home Rule Charter framed pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the state constitution to issue the bonds of any such city.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 567, A bill for an act to amend Section 3345 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 207 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to disposition of fire department aid.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 568, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in adjoining counties, to expend the proceeds thereof for said purpose in any one year regardless of existing limitations; and to authorize such board to act jointly or concurrently with the county board of such adjoining county, or the governing body of any municipality therein in the matter of constructing or improving of any such road or roads.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Blomgren introduced—

S. F. No. 569, A bill for an act to provide for field experiments on sandy soils.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 56, A bill for an act permitting the annexation of cities of the fourth class to counties adjoining such cities of the fourth class.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 56,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Larson from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules to which was referred a resolution introduced January 27th by Mr. Hamer, recommended the adoption of the following as a substitute for said resolution:

Resolved, that Thursday, March 6, at 2 o'clock P. M. be set aside by the Senate for memorial exercises to be held in the Senate Chamber in memory of the late Senators, Robert C. Dunn, Harry F. Wise and Carl L. Wallace.

Resolved, further, that the President of the Senate be author-

ized to appoint three committees, each consisting of three members, to prepare for said exercises proper memorial resolutions commemorating the life and service of said deceased members of the Senate.

Which resolution was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Bessette offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The members of the Legislature enjoyed a visit to the exhibit given at the Exposition building in Minneapolis by the Northwestern Automotive and Industrial Exposition, last week, and had an opportunity to view the excellent exhibit of automobiles, motor trucks, and industrial machinery of every type,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Legislature extend to the directors and to Walter Wilmot, the manager, its hearty and appreciative thanks for the invitation extended to the members of the Legislature, and for the splendid entertainment given, and

Be It Further Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and is hereby instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the Northwestern Automotive and Industrial Exposition and that a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Journal of the Senate.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules, on notice of debate by Mr. Devold.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 212, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV., Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof, made and entered into within four months prior to April 6, 1917, and vesting in the District Court of this State jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Besette,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Orr,	Stepan,	

Mr. Jackson voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 130, A bill for an act authorizing city or village councils, boards of county commissioners and town boards to employ public health nurses.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 296, A bill for an act to ratify and confirm the sale by the County Board of any county in this state and the purchase by any city of the first class operating under a charter adopted in pursuance to Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, of a portion of the Court House grounds located in such city and acquired by such county for a county Court House, Jail and Court House grounds.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none; as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 219, A bill for an act to amend Section 2632 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to motor vehicles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Jackson,	Orr,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 261, A bill for an act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to state, county and city depositories.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 162, A bill for an act to amend Section 6171, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the manner of filling vacancies in the Board of Directors of corporations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 291, A bill for an act to amend Section 6358, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to state banks.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Turnham,
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 96, A bill for an act to amend Section 6347 of the General Statutes of Minnesota.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to authorize County Commissioners to appropriate moneys to assist in the construction, improvement and maintenance of connecting roads and streets, and bridges thereon, in certain cities.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Denegre moved to amend Senate File No. 302 by striking out the word "ninety" on line six (6) of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Ninety-five."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 296, A bill for an act amending the title and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 15 and 17 of Chapter 429, General Laws 1917, being "An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds, or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof, and creating a state securities commission."

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nord,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 295, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 385, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, being an act entitled, "An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of insurance and certain other companies."

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 58, A bill for an act to amend Section 776, General Statutes for 1913, and to repeal Section 777, General Statutes for 1913, relating to method of organization of towns, and the petitioners necessary thereto and their qualifications.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to authorize the valuation of bonds and other securities, by insurance companies and fraternal beneficiary associations, by the Amortization Method.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Millett,	Romberg,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Section 4379 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 254, Session Laws, 1915, relating to railroads.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Carley,	Devold,	Hall,	Kuntz,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Larson,
Benson,	Coleman,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Lindsley,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	McGarry,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Madigan,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Millett,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Nord,

Peterson, Putnam, Rask,	Reed, Ribenack, Rockne,	Romberg, Sageng , Schmechel,	Stepan, Swanson, Turnham,	Van Hoven, Vibert, Widell,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 370, A joint resolution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39, and nays 12, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams, Anderson, Baldwin, Benson, Bessette, Blomgren, Boylan, Callahan,	Cliff, Conroy, Cosgrove, Cumming, Gjerset, Hall, Hegnes, Hopp,	Jackson, McGarry, Madigan, Millett, Naplin, Nolan, Nord, Orr ,	Peterson, Putnam, Rask, Reed, Ribenack, Rockne, Romberg, Sageng ,	Schmechel, Stepan, Swanson, Turnham, Vibert, Widell, Wold,
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Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell, Brooks, Carley,	Coleman, Dwyer, Erickson,	Gandrud, Gillam, Hamer,	Johnson, Kingsbury,	Lee,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 194, A bill for an act authorizing any village of this State now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant to dispose of surplus electricity to consumers outside the corporate limits of such village.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams, Anderson, Baldwin, Bessette, Bonniwell, Boylan, Brooks, Callahan, Carley, Cliff,	Coleman, Conroy, Cosgrove, Cumming, Denegre, Dwyer, Erickson, Gandrud, Gillam, Gjerset,	Hall, Hegnes, Hopp, Jackson, Johnson, Kingsbury, Kuntz, Lee, Lindsley, Madigan,	Millett, Naplin, Nolan, Nord, Peterson, Putnam, Rask, Reed, Rockne, Romberg,	Sageng , Stepan, Swanson, Turnham, Vibert, Widell, Wold,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 88, A bill for an act authorizing village councils to acquire land for park purposes, and to appropriate money therefor and for the maintenance thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Adams moved to amend Senate File No. 88 as follows:

1. By striking out the period after the word "land" in the 4th line of Section 1 of the Printed Bill and inserting in lieu thereof the comma.

2. By adding after the word "land" in the fourth line of Section 1 of the Printed Bill the following words:

"Not exceeding the sum of two thousand dollars; provided, that no tract of land so acquired by purchase or condemnation shall exceed forty acres in area."

3. By striking out the period after the word "purposes" in the fourth line of Section 2 of the Printed Bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma.

4. By adding after the word "purposes" in the fourth line of Section 2 the words:

"Not exceeding the sum of two thousand dollars in any one year."

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 246, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 273 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the levying of a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainment in public buildings or upon public grounds in incorporated villages.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 387, A bill for an act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 229 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, entitled "An act to establish municipal courts in incorporated cities having a population of less than five thousand (5000) inhabitants.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 409. A bill for an act, entitled an act legalizing proceedings heretofore taken by any city of the fourth class in reference to the issuance of bonds under the provisions of Chapter 205, Laws, 1909, as amended by Chapter 253, Laws, 1915, and legalizing the bonds of said city already or hereafter issued in pursuance of proceedings already begun under such act as so amended.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Romberg,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Guilford,	Lee,	Sageng,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 273, A bill for an act authorizing and ratifying the payment of fees and expenses paid to any person for conveying insane patients to the state hospitals.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Adams moved to amend S. F. No. 273 as follows :

1. By striking out the period after the word "had" at the end of the fifth line of Section 1 of the printed bill.

2. By adding after the word "had" at the end of the fifth line of Section 1 of the printed bill the following words :

"And any payments heretofore made of any such fees are hereby declared legal."

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 331, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of County Boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 362, A bill for an act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings in probate court and attorneys' lien therein, and to repeal Chapter 21 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1905, relating to the same subject.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Hall,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 290, A bill for an act to amend Section 7401, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the depositing of money not claimed by distributees.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Devold,	Larson,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Lee,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Boylan,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 286, A bill for an act providing for the appointment of court reporters in the thirteenth and seventeenth judicial districts of this state defining the duties and fixing the compensation of such reporters.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 286 as follows:

Strike out of line 6 of the Printed Bill the following words and figures :

"Twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$27,000.00)" and in lieu thereof insert the words "twenty-five hundred dollars."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 183, A bill for an act amending Section 2 of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, which said Chapter is entitled, "An Act to enable the guardians of insane persons to furnish aid for the support and maintenance of children of insane persons in certain cases," the same being Section 7450, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, and legalizing prior proceedings.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.
 The question being taken on the passage of the bill,
 And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Cumming moved that the subject matter of S. F. No. 120 be referred to the Judiciary Committee, the same to retain its place on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

The subject matter of S. F. No. 120 was referred to the Judiciary Committee:

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 66, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the office of county treasurers, in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million nor more than ten million dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Jackson,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Johnson,
Benson,	Callahan,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,
Bessette,	Carley,	Devold,	Hall,	Larson,
Blomgren,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lee,
Bonniwell,	Coleman,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Lindsley,

McGarry,	Orr,	Ribenack,	Stepan,	Vibert,
Millett,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Wold,
Naplin,	Putnam,	Romberg,	Swanson,	
Nolan,	Rask,	Sageng,	Turnham,	
Nord,	Reed,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 371, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to compensation of judges and clerks of elections.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Adams moved to amend S. F. No. 371, as follows:

By inserting after the figure one (1) and before the word "the" in the first line of Section 1 of the printed bill the following words: "that section five hundred thirty-four General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 be amended so as to read as follows: Section 534"

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That Annie Connors be and she is hereby appointed as committee clerk for the remainder of the session at the compensation of Five Dollars (\$5) per day.

Mr. Sullivan moved that the foregoing resolution be referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 501 be made a Special Order for Friday, February 28, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Ribenack moved that S. F. No. 270 be indefinitely postponed.
Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 270,
Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, February 26, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order
by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their
names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal,
as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Ward was excused for today.

Mr. Boylan was excused until Tuesday of next week, March 4,
1919.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A letter from the Crookston Suffrage Association was read,
ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

A resolution from the Eighth Annual Farm Crops and Live Stock
Show by the Red River Valley Development Association was read,
ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 570, A bill for an act relating to cemetery associations and to authorize the termination of titles to cemetery lots in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

The Judiciary Committee introduced—

S. F. No. 571, A bill for an act to legalize and validate the defective execution of deeds, mortgages and other instruments, and the record thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Adams (for St. Louis County Delegation) introduced—

S. F. No. 572, A bill for an act fixing the salary, compensation, duties and clerk hire of the county coroner and his deputies in counties now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

The Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 573, A bill for an act authorizing cities having over 50,000 inhabitants in the State of Minnesota to issue and sell bonds for public school purposes in such cities.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 573, A bill for an act authorizing cities having over 50,000 inhabitants in the State of Minnesota to issue and sell bonds for public school purposes in such cities.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 573

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 573, A bill for an act authorizing cities having over 50,000 inhabitants in the State of Minnesota to issue and sell bonds for public school purposes in such cities.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 574, A bill for an act creating a board of estimate and taxation in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution, and defining its powers and duties and regulating taxation, finance and indebtedness therein.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 575, A bill for an act creating pensions for disabled and retired policemen in cities now or hereafter having a population of 20,000 and not over 50,000 inhabitants, and providing for a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid, and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and disbursement of such fund.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Messrs. Kuntz, Rask and Blomgren introduced—

S. F. No. 576, A bill for an act to amend Section 3, Chapter 335, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909, same being Section 238, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of clerks of the District Court in certain counties in this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Fowler, Brooks, Callahan, Guilford, Devold, Palmer and Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 577, A bill for an act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 578. A bill for an act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-B of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes for the year 1913, which section is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 579, A bill for an act to amend Section 5597 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to drainage.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Messrs. Anderson, Rask, Hegnes and McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 580, A bill for an act fixing the salaries of certain county officers in counties having a population of less than 40,000 providing for the appointment and compensation of clerks, deputies and assistants to such officers, and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 581, A bill for an act to legalize notices of claims filed pursuant to Chapter 391, Section 1, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 582, A bill for an act relating to the salary of the executive officers of the State Securities Commission.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Adams (for St. Louis County Delegation) introduced—

S. F. No. 583, A bill for an act authorizing the county boards in any county in this State now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credit to appropriate and expend public funds for the purpose of furnishing temporary relief to sufferers from fire or other calamity and aid to townships and school districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Wold and Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 584, A concurrent resolution relating to the re-establishment of the grain grades as Minnesota grades, on grain raised in this state and transported in interstate commerce, which were in effect prior to the adoption of the Federal grades.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 585, A bill for an act to amend Section 1011 General Statutes 1913, relating to expenses incurred by County Superintendents of Schools, for postage, teachers' examinations and other purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Schmechel introduced—

S. F. No. 586, A bill for an act providing for the general care, improvement and supervision of the land owned and acquired by the State of Minnesota under the provisions of Chapter 376, Laws of 1895, which land is situated in Renville County and known as the battle field of Birch Coulie.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Schmechel moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 586, A bill for an act providing for the general care, improvement and supervision of the land owned and acquired by the State of Minnesota under the provisions of Chapter 376, Laws of 1895, which land is situated in Renville County and known as the battle field of Birch Coulie.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 586

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 586, A bill for an act providing for the general care, improvement and supervision of the land owned and acquired by the State of Minnesota under the provisions of Chapter 376, Laws of 1895, which land is situated in Renville County and known as the battle field of Birch Coulie.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 587, A bill for an act amending Chapter 103 of the Laws of 1917, amending Chapter 185, Laws of 1911, relating to the acquisition of lands for streets, parks and parkways in cities of the first class and the improvement and government thereof, and government of existing streets and parkways.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 588, A bill for an act setting apart and appropriating \$250,000.00 for the clearing of state lands and amending Section 1, Chapter 164, Laws 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 589, A bill for an act relating to the division and apportionment of ditch assessment liens in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Blomgren introduced—

S. F. No. 590, A bill for an act to acquire land for trackage purposes and to be added to lands of Fourth Hospital for Insane and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 591, A bill for an act to amend Section 1020, General Statutes 1913, relating to teachers' institutes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 592, A bill for an act to amend Section 2513, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation of surveyors in judicial road proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 593, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compensate M. F. Kain for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment under the Public Examiner.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 594, A bill for an act amending Section 773 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the re-establish-

ment of lost or destroyed monuments at section, quarter section and meander corners.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 595, A bill for an act entitled an act providing for the issuance of interest bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a court house, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars and having not less than thirty-five nor more than forty congressional townships.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 596, A bill for an act amending Section 981, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation of County Surveyors in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 155, A bill for an act to provide how Fraternal Benefit societies organized under the laws of this State may consolidate, merge or reinsure its insurance risks, with any other Fraternal Benefit Society, or assume or reinsure the risks of any other Fraternal Benefit Society and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

S. F. No. 164, A bill for an act authorizing the County Board of any county that has heretofore expended funds or incurred indebtedness in the repair, deepening or changing the nature of any public ditch therein, or any branch thereof, to issue bonds therefor in certain cases.

S. F. No. 225, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 114 Laws 1917, fixing the salaries of members of County Boards in all Counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional Congressional Townships, and having an assessed

valuation of more than five million five hundred thousand dollars and less than twelve million dollars and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

S. F. No. 227, A bill for an act to legalize certain payments for salary and expense to County Commissioners in certain counties.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 289 of the Special Laws of Minnesota for 1889, which said Chapter is entitled, An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Winona County to designate a German newspaper in which the official proceedings of the Board of Commissioners may be published in the German language.

H. F. No. 305, A bill for an act relating to county tuberculosis sanatoriums, their construction, improvement, equipment, enlargement and maintenance.

February 25, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 264, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements at and constructing and repairing municipal baths and bath houses in such cities.

February 25, 1919.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 264, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this State now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements at and constructing and repairing municipal baths and bath houses in such cities.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 305, A bill for an act relating to County Tuberculosis Sanatoriums, their construction, improvement, equipment, enlargement and maintenance.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

H. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 289 of the Special Laws of Minnesota for 1889, which said Chapter is entitled, An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Winona County to designate a German newspaper in which the official proceedings of the Board of Commissioners may be published in the German language.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 463, A bill for an act entitled, An act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to, all legislation affecting salary increases of state, county, township, city, village, and all other municipal employees in Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Add to the end of Section 1 of the bill a new section, known as Section 2 in the following words:

"Section 2. This amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Minnesota at the general election next ensuing after the passage of this Act, in the manner provided by law, and the votes thereon shall be counted, canvassed, and the result thereof proclaimed, as provided by law. The ballots used at such election shall have printed thereon the following: 'Amendment to constitution by adding thereto a new section known as Section 37 of Article 4, and providing that no increase of compensation to any officers of the State of Minnesota, or officers of counties, townships, cities, villages, or any municipal subdivisions, shall be prescribed which shall take effect during the term of office of any such officer, holding office at the time of any such increase of compensation, or during the period for which the existing House of Representatives may have been elected.

Yes....."

No....."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 507, A bill for an act authorizing cities operating under a Home Rule Charter and having ten thousand inhabitants or less to issue and sell refunding bonds under certain conditions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 251, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 65 of the General Statutes of 1913, Minnesota, relating to registered land, upon the death of the owner thereof, and to provide for the transfer and administration thereof and to repeal Sections 6935 and 6936 of General Statutes 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 251

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 129, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 6958, General Statutes 1913, relating to the area of homestead exemption.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 129,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 21, A bill for an act to amend Section 7971 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 485 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the selection of jurors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 21—

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 567, A bill for an act to amend Section 3345 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 207 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to disposition of fire department aid.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 339, A bill for an act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of absence to serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 339

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 311, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more to provide and maintain at the expense of the county, transportation facilities for the use of certain county officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the figures "300,000" in line two (2) of Section 1 of the original bill and insert in lieu thereof "330,000."

Amend the title by striking out the figures "300,000" in line two (2) of the title and insert in lieu thereof the figures "330,000."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 190, A bill for an act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a Home Rule Charter.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the word "May" and the word "or" and the parenthesis in line five (5), Section 1 of the original bill.

Strike out the word "April" and the word "or" and the parenthesis in line two (2), Section 2 of the original bill.

Strike out the figure "1" immediately following the word "January" in line two (2) of Section 4 of the original bill, and insert after the word "expire" in line two (2) of Section 4 of the original bill, the following words:

"on the first Monday in."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 316, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out of line seven (7) of Section 1 of the original bill the character and figures "\$250,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$175,000.00."

Strike out of lines 10, 11, 12 and 13 of Section 1 of the original bill the following: "and additional bonds to the amount of \$50,000.00 in par value, for the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing, reconstructing, replacing and repairing city work house and city prison buildings of such city, including the furnishing and equipment of the same;"

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 155, A bill for an act fixing the fees to be charged and received by county abstract clerks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 81, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this State now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article IV, of the State Constitution, to impose a tax or license upon all motor vehicles in any such city, and providing for the disposition of the fund accumulated thereby.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "motor" where the same appears in line six (6) of Section 1 in said section.

Also to amend said Section 1 by striking out all of the last sentence of said section, reading as follows:

"Such tax or license may be uniform or in the discretion of the council or other governing body of such city, may be graduated, in accordance with the size, weight or horse power of such motor vehicle,"

And to substitute in place thereof, the following:

"Such tax or license may be uniform or all vehicles may be classified for purposes of taxation or license according to the kind of motive power used, and such tax or license may be imposed upon any one or more of such classes of vehicles to the exclusion of any other class or classes thereof, and such tax or license may in the discretion of said council or other governing body be graduated in accordance with the size, weight or horse power of the vehicles taxed."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 10, A bill for an act to appropriate money to pay the deficiency for aid to high, graded, semi-graded, consolidated, industrial and rural schools.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 10,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 13, A bill for an act to appropriate money for state aid to certain schools.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 13, A bill for an act to appropriate money for state aid to certain schools.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 13,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 13, A bill for an act to appropriate money for state aid to certain schools.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Coserove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 251, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 251 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 191, No. 5 on Calendar, and that S. F. No. 191 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 251,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 191,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 229, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for the investigation and demonstration of the most efficient and economic methods of land clearing and making an appropriation therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 352, A bill for an act to amend Section 9313, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of binding twine manufactured in the Minnesota state prison.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 499, A bill for an act to amend Section 3957 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 188 of the General Laws for 1917, relating to trustees for Soldiers' Home and compensation for attending meetings of its board.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 328, A bill for an act to amend Section 3958, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to secretary and other officers of Soldiers' Home and compensation paid therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 358, A bill for an act to amend Section 4146, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws of 1917, relating to admissions to the state schools for the deaf and the blind.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 451, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 500, G. L. 1913, relating to county tuberculosis sanatoria.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 436, A bill for an act to amend Section 3864, General Statutes of 1913, relating to communication between engine rooms and workrooms; the same being Section 3, Chapter 316, General Laws of 1913, an act to require more adequate protection of employes from accidental injury or death in the course of their occupation, etc.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 438, A bill for an act to amend Section 3816, General Statutes 1913, relating to examinations for positions in the Department of Labor and Industries, the same being Section 5, Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, an act creating the Department of Labor and Industries.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 437, A bill for an act to amend Section 3879, General Statutes 1913, relating to external fire escapes and fire protection in buildings where persons are employed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 439, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, the same being Section 3819 of the General Statutes of 1913, to empower the employes of the Department of Labor and Industries to enter offices as well as places of employment and to remain while engaged in their official duties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Boylan, from the Committee on Commerce, Manufacture and Trade, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 184, A bill for an act relating to the manufacture and sale of bread and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 184,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 463, 507, 567, 311, 190, 316, 81, 229, 352, 499, 358, 451, 436, 438, 437 and 439.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 155 and 328.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Palmer moved that when the Senate do adjourn, it be until 9:30 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Callahan moved that H. F. No. 264 be recalled from the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 264,

Was recalled from the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 264, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this State now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements at and constructing and repairing municipal baths and bath houses in such cities.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 264,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 264, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this State now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements at and constructing and repairing municipal baths and bath houses in such cities.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette called up his resolution offered February 25, which appeared on page 4 of the Senate Journal for the 31st day, and moved its adoption.

Which resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate appointed the following senators for the Memorial Exercises Committee.

Dunn—Hamer, Orr, Sullivan, J. D.

Wallace—Coleman, Denegre, Sageng.

Weis—Cosgrove, Rockne, Carley.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917, entitled, An act authorizing County Boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceding year have totally or partially failed, providing for a lien upon the crops and land to secure repayment and providing for prosecution and punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Nolan in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Nolan reported that the committee had considered

H. F. No. 87,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 40 and 131,

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 285,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Mr. Nolan then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Blomgren moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, February 27, 1919.

The Senate met at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Ward was excused for an indefinite time on account of sickness.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A petition from Moorhead, Minnesota, residents was read, ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 597, A bill for an act providing for town ditches and local assessments therefor for the drainage of lands and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds in anticipation of the collection of such assessments.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 598, A bill for an act to make provision for supervisors of teaching in rural schools.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 599, A bill for an act relating to the appraisal and sale of certain state and trust lands.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that

S. F. No. 599 be read the second time, printed, and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 599

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 600, A bill for an act relating to the organization of banks, and prescribing the duties of the State Securities Commission, and the Superintendent of Banks, in respect thereto.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that

S. F. No. 600 be read the second time, printed and placed at the head of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 600

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 601, A bill for an act to amend Section 9206, General Statutes of 1913, relating to argument upon trial.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Swanson, Rask, Hegnes, Cumming and Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 603, A bill for an act to regulate the sale of garden and farm seeds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Markets and Marketing.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 604, A bill for an act to extend the period of licenses granted by the Secretary of State for automobiles during the triennial period of 1918, 1919 and 1920, until such time as the legislature of 1921 shall make provisions for the relicensing of the same.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 604 be read the second time, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 604,

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng introduced—

S. F. No. 605, A bill for an act prohibiting the placing of advertising matter in certain places and prohibiting the removal of or injury to certain signs and inscriptions, and providing penalties therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, reported back the resolution of Mr. Sullivan, J. D., with the recommendation that the report be adopted and that Annie Connors be employed as Committee Clerk, beginning with February 27, 1919, at a compensation of five dollars (\$5.00) per day.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, as recommended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuutz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Rockne,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sageng,	

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 394, A bill for an act permitting the forwarding of a check direct to payor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 395, A bill for an act to limit the liability of a bank for nonpayment of a check through error.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 398, A bill for an act to amend Section 8873, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or a credit for the payment of the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 200, A bill for an act requiring Trust Companies conducting a banking business to comply with the statutes in such case made and provided.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 432, A bill for an act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 305, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 5, Chapter 194 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases, and appropriating money thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out the word "thereto" where it occurs in the last line of title, and insert in lieu thereof the word "therefor."

2. Strike out the word "shall" in the 4th line, and insert in lieu thereof the word "may."

3. Further amend by striking out the word "twenty" where it appears in line 3 of paragraph 4 of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixteen."

4. Further amend by adding at the end of paragraph 4, Section 1, the following: "provided, however, that nothing in this act shall be construed as preventing parents of any such children from sending their children to State School for Blind, if they so elect."

5. Further amend paragraph 6 of said Section 1 by striking out the words and figures two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

6. Further amend by striking out Section 2 and renumbering Section 3 as Section 2.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 163, A bill for an act providing for the Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; defining its powers and duties and appropriating money for carrying out the purposes thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended by striking out Section five thereof and renumbering Section six as five and that when the same is so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 37, A bill for an act to extend protection to the Civil rights of members of the military and naval forces of the United States engaged in the present war.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 479, A bill for an act relating to the high school board examinations and repealing Sections 2893 and 2894, General Statutes of 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Section 1. Upon written application the High School Board shall empower any county superintendent to conduct the High School Board examinations in the schools of his county other than high and graded. For this purpose he shall hold the same relation to the board as the principal or superintendent of schools under its supervision.

He may designate the points at which such examinations are to be held. He may also appoint assistants for grading the papers of such examinations and such assistants shall be paid by the county at the rate of three dollar per day, but the number of assistants shall not exceed one for each twenty schools or major fraction thereof in the county nor shall the amount of money expended for this purpose exceed one hundred dollars in any one year.

Section 2. Sections 2893 and 2894, General Statutes, 1913, are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This act shall be in force and effect from and after August 1st, 1919.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 482, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 199 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, the same being an act entitled, An act to establish a State Teachers' insurance and retirement fund and to authorize the payment of annuities and benefits from such fund to retired teachers of public schools and of other educational, correctional and charitable institutions supported wholly or in part by the State of Minnesota and to regulate the creation, collection, management and disbursement thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out Section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 2. That Section 9 of Chapter 199, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 9. Any member of the fund association who shall have rendered twenty (20) years or more of service as a teacher in the public schools, one year of which may have been a leave of absence for study, and at least fifteen years of which, including the last five immediately preceding the term of retirement, have been spent in the public schools of this state, and who ceases to be employed as a teacher for any reason shall be retired at his or her own request by the board of trustees and receive an annuity in accordance with the following schedule:

For 20 years of service.....	\$350.00
For 21 years of service.....	380.00
For 22 years of service.....	410.00
For 23 years of service.....	440.00
For 24 years of service.....	470.00
For 25 years of service.....	500.00

provided that any teacher who shall have taught in this state for at least forty-five years at the time of the passage of this act, and who shall be teaching therein at such time, or any teacher not less than eighty (80) years of age who shall have taught not less than twenty (20) years in the public schools of the state, and who makes application for membership in the fund association as required by the act, shall be admitted to such membership and receive the benefits thereof, subject to the conditions thereof.

In computing the time of service of a teacher, the length of the legal school year in the district or institution where such service was rendered shall constitute a year, provided such year shall not be less than seven months. In a calendar year credit shall be allowed for only one year of service. If a teacher teaches for only a fractional part of any year, credit shall be given for such fractional part of a year as the term of service rendered shall bear to the legal school year of such district or institution, but in no case shall the legal year be less than seven months.

Such annuities shall be paid quarterly.

Any teacher who shall become mentally or physically incapacitated after having served as teacher for fifteen (15) years, ten (10) of which shall have been in this state shall be entitled to receive an

annual benefit from the insurance and retirement fund equal to as many twentieths of the full annuity for twenty (20) years as the term of total service rendered by such teacher bears to twenty (20) years.

Any person retiring under the provisions of this section may return to the work of teaching in said public schools, but during said term of teaching the annuity or benefit paid to such person shall cease. Said annuity shall again be paid to such person upon his or her further retirement. Further amend by adding the following:

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Further amend the title of said bill to read as follows:

A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 9 of Chapter 199 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, the same being an act entitled: "An act to establish a state teachers' insurance and retirement fund and to authorize the payment of annuities and benefits from such fund to retired teachers of public schools and of other educational, **correctional and charitable** institutions supported wholly or in part by the state of Minnesota and to regulate the creation, collection, management and disbursement thereof."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 556, A bill for an act validating the appropriation and expenditure of funds for certain purposes by certain political subdivisions of this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 228, A bill for an act defining and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend the second original engrossed typewritten copy of H. F. No. 238 as follows:

Strike out lines 5, 6 and 7 in Section 4 the following: "And it is hereby made the duty of the custodian of said building to furnish the Board with suitable rooms in which to hold its sessions."

Strike out the word "oath" in line 7 of Section 4 and insert in lieu thereof the word "oaths."

Strike out the letter "s" at the end of the word "discriminations" in line 11 of Section 4.

Strike out the word "it" in line 16 of Section 4 and insert in lieu thereof the word "its."

Strike out the word "cases" in line 21 of Section 5 and insert in lieu thereof the word "case."

Strike out the word "securities" in line 4 of subdivision (c) of Section 7 and insert in lieu thereof the word "sureties."

Strike out the figure "9" in the second line of the last page and insert in lieu thereof the figure "8".

Insert in Section 8 a new paragraph to be known as (a) as follows:

"(a) Every person holding a license from the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, shall have it recorded in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the county in which applicant practices, and the date of recording shall be indicated thereon. Said clerk shall keep in a book provided by him for the purpose, a complete list of the licenses recorded, for which he shall receive a fee of One Dollar (\$1) for each license so recorded."

Re-letter subdivisions (a) and (b) in said Section 8 as amended and change them respectively to (b) and (c).

Strike out the words "rule and regulation" in lines 1 and 2 of subdivision (b) of Section 8 as amended, and insert in lieu thereof the words "rules and regulations."

Strike out the word "major" in the last line of subdivision (b) of Section 8 as amended.

Insert (a) after Section 10.

Strike out the word "or" in line 8 of subdivision (a) of Section 10 and insert in lieu thereof the word "of."

Amend by adding a new sentence at the end of subdivision (a) of Section 10 the following:

"In case a license is revoked by the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, a copy of the order of revocation duly certified by the

Secretary of the Board shall forthwith be filed by said Secretary in the office of the Clerk of the District Court in which the revoked license was filed, and the Clerk of the District Court where the same is filed shall make a notation of such revocation in the book in which the record of said license is kept and shall cancel such revoked license. Said clerk shall receive a fee of One Dollar (\$1) for filing such order of revocation and making said notation and cancellation which shall be paid from the funds of said State Board."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 394, 395, 398, 432, 305, 479, 482 and 556,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 200 and 228,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended, that

H. F. No. 228 be substituted for S. F. 175, No. 3 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 175 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 175,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Blomgren moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 543 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that S. F. No. 592 be recalled from the Committee on Civil Administration and re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 592

Was re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. McGarry offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, In Northeastern Cass county there is a lake filled with

large and gamey fish, such as bass, muskalonge, pike and other gamey fish, and,

Whereas, The citizens of that particular section of Cass county are desirous of having the name changed from Crooked lake to Roosevelt lake,

Therefore Be It Resolved, That said Crooked lake shall from and after the passage of this resolution by the Senate, the House concurring, said Crooked lake shall be hereafter known as Roosevelt lake.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam moved that S. F. No. 571 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary and laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 571

Was recalled from the Committee on Judiciary and laid on the table.

Mr. Putnam then moved that S. F. No. 571 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 571, A bill for an act to legalize and validate the defective execution of deeds, mortgages and other instruments, and the record thereof.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 571

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 571, A bill for an act to legalize and validate the defective execution of deeds, mortgages and other instruments, and the record thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none. as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset.	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 251, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Grandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, February 28, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Grandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Adams, Widell and Cosgrove were excused for next Monday.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Rask, for Committee on Military Affairs introduced—

S. F. No. 606, A bill for an act to conform the organization, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the Federal Law, relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 607, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

The Committee on Markets and Marketing introduced—

S. F. No. 608, A bill for an act establishing a Department of Agriculture, providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture and determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1, A bill for an act prohibiting the display of certain Flags, Banners and Ensigns, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 26, 1919.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1,

Be read the first, second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1, A bill for an act prohibiting the display of certain Flags, Banners and Ensigns, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Was read the first time.

H. F. No. 1,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1, A bill for an act prohibiting the display of certain Flags, Banners and Ensigns, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 59 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord introduced---

S. F. No. 609, A bill for an act to limit the time within which a vendor of land must exercise an option reserved in his conveyance of real estate to another to repurchase the same at a valuation fixed and agreed upon therein.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hall introduced---

S. F. No. 610, A bill for an act changing the administration of part II of the Workmen's Compensation Law; providing for a Workmen's Compensation Board to have original jurisdiction over all compensation matters herein specified in place of the District Courts; empowering the Workmen's Compensation Board to supervise the licensing and regulating of insurance carriers writing Workmen's Compensation insurance in this state; the licensing of adjusters as in this act provided, and imposing penalties for the violation thereof; prescribing the powers, duties, and manner of procedure of the employees of the Workmen's Compensation Board; providing for co-operation of labor and industries whenever the work of that department and the Workmen's Compensation Board is interrelated.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 611, A bill for an act to amend Sections 24 and 25 of Chapter 3, Laws 1913, entitled, An act relating to corrupt practices at primaries and elections and candidates to be voted for therein, and providing for punishments for violations thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 612, A bill for an act relating to legislative contests in case of persons declared elected to the State Legislature, and to the issuing of certificate of election to the one found to receive the highest number of votes, and to the taking and returning of evidence to the legislature.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 613, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6833, 6834 and 6837, General Statutes 1913, relating to execution of conveyances, and the record of certain instruments affecting title to real estate.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Coleman introduced---

S. F. No. 614, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 230, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, an act relating to government of cities of the first class and authorizing the levy of taxes for play ground purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Handlan introduced----

S. F. No. 615, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 220,000 and less than 300,000 inhabitants, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 616, A bill for an act authorizing the Register of Deeds in any county in this State now or hereafter having not less than 50 nor more than 70 full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of not more than \$3,000,000, to engage in the abstract business in said county.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 617, A bill for an act to legalize certain corporations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 170, A bill for an act providing for the nomination and certification of candidates for certain state and federal offices and repealing acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

H. F. No. 213, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915, relating to the prescription by physicians, surgeons and dentists of certain narcotics, for habitual users of the same, so as to prohibit such prescriptions.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 27, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 213, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915, relating to the prescription by physicians and dentists of certain narcotics, for habitual users of the same, so as to prohibit such prescriptions.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

H. F. No. 170, A bill for an act providing for the Nomination of candidates for certain State and Federal offices.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 77, A bill for an act to provide for the creation of a military unit in the State of Minnesota, to be known as Minnesota State Motor Corps.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the word “only” in line 4 in section 6 of the engrossed bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Widell moved that the report of the Committee on H. F. No. 77, together with the bill, be re-referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Putnam moved as an amendment to the motion as made by Mr. Widell, that the report of the committee on H. F. No. 77, together with the bill, be laid on the table.

The question then occurred on the motion as made by Mr. Putnam.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 77 was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 340, A bill for an act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of absence to serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out all of the title of the said bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: A bill for an act to save to municipal, county and state employes and officers who have been called into military service their status as such employes and officers and to continue their salaries during their absence in such military service.

2. Strike out of Section 1 the following: “Every county,

municipal or state employee or officer serving in the National Guard under call of the President of the United States as a member of such guard, or stationed at or receiving training in a regularly established Federal or State training camp, may be given a leave of absence from his official duties by the proper county, municipal or state official for such purpose without change in his status of employment or office. Any leaves of absence heretofore granted or taken for any such purposes are hereby confirmed," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "No county, municipal or state employee or officer serving or who has served in the National Guard under the call of the President of the United States as a member of such guard, or been stationed at or received training in a regularly established federal or state training camp shall thereby lose his status as such employee or officer and his salary shall continue during such military service."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 257, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes, 1913, as amended 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 257,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 347, Laws 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to Agricultural Societies and Farm Improvement Associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 297, A bill for an act to appropriate money to aid in the payment of premiums at exhibitions of poultry by poultry associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 297,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 157, A bill for an act to amend Section 6518, General Statutes 1913, relating to the dates of annual meetings of county agricultural societies and dates on which said societies shall file their reports.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 159, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "dollars" at the end of line 4 on page 2 of the typewritten bill the following words "unless the said society shall have expended in premiums a sum in excess of \$3,000, in which case the maximum state aid paid the society shall be \$2,000, or shall have expended a sum in excess of \$4,000, in which case the maximum state aid shall be \$3,000."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 135, A bill for an act to amend Sub-division 1, Section 6492, of General Statutes, 1913, pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 135,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 180, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 1, section 6492, of General Statutes 1913, pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 469, A bill for an act authorizing the several counties of this state to reimburse County Agricultural Societies or officers thereof for the cost and expense of making certain improvements on land owned by any county and used for county agricultural affairs.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 562, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 6492 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to membership in the state agricultural societies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 355, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 45, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, so as to extend equal suffrage to women, and providing for submitting the same to the vote of the people.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 45

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 18, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 7, of the constitution of the State of Minnesota, so as to extend equal suffrage to women, and providing for submitting the same to the vote of the people.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Mr. Sageng moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Sageng moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Madigan moved as an amendment to the motion made by Mr. Sageng, that the bill be recommended to pass.

The question being taken on the motion to amend,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 21 and nays 40, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nord,	
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Van Hoven,
Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Widell,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the motion to amend did not prevail.

The question then recurred on the original motion as made by Mr. Sageng, that the report of the committee be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

H. F. No. 18

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 336, A bill for an act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars, providing for approaches thereto, and providing for the levy of taxes and issuance of bonds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 541, A bill for an act fixing the salary of county auditors in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 472, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 456 of Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salary of County Surveyors in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles, and having an assessed valuation of more than 20 million dollars and less than 50 million dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 442, A bill for an act requiring adjoining towns to bear, in equal shares, the expense of constructing and maintaining bridges on roads on the lines between such towns in certain cases, and providing for the award of damages to each such town in drainage proceedings.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 434, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the issuance of interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a court house, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Swanson moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 434, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the issuance of interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a court house, in counties in this state

having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 434,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 434, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the issuance of interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a court house, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,	
Cosgrove,	Kingsbury,	Or,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 595, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the issuance of interest bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a court house, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars and having not less than thirty-five nor more than forty congressional townships.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

S. F. No. 595,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 538, A bill for an act authorizing the printing of the annual report of the Inspector of Mines by the county for which he was appointed and ratifying any payments heretofore made for printing such reports.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the period after the word "county" in line 7 of section 1 of said bill, and place a comma in lieu thereof.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 535, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and expense allowance of county commissioners in all counties of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than two hundred and fifty million (\$250,000,000) dollars and an area of more than five thousand (5,000) square miles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 572, A bill for an act fixing the salary, compensation, duties and clerk hire of the county coroner and his deputies in counties now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 422, A bill for an act to amend Section 1016, General Statutes 1913, relating to the traveling expenses of county superintendents.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 485, A bill for an act to authorize the county board of certain counties to issue, sell or exchange bonds for the purpose of funding certain floating indebtedness of such county now outstanding.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 596, A bill for an act amending section 981 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation of county surveyors in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 583, A bill for an act authorizing the county boards in any county in this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credit, to appropriate and expend public funds for the purpose of furnishing temporary relief to sufferers from fire or other calamity.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 537, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, register of deeds, superintendent of schools, judge of probate, and providing for the number of assistants, deputies, clerks and other help thereon and their compensation, in all counties now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of more than 5,000 square miles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "probate" in line three (3) of the title of the typewritten bill the words "clerk of district court."

1½. By inserting after the word "probate" in the sixth (6th) line of Section 1 of the typewritten bill, the words "clerk of the district court."

2. By inserting after the fifteenth (15th) line of Section 9 of the typewritten bill a new section numbered 10 and reading as follows:

Section 10. The salary of the clerk of the district court of any such county shall be \$4,000 per annum.

3. By inserting after said new section numbered 10, a new section numbered 11, reading as follows:

Section 11. Said clerk of district court shall employ sufficient help and deputies to properly discharge the duties of his office but the number of deputies, clerks and other employes and the compensation paid to each, shall at all times be under the control of the county board of such county, which board may from time to time make such changes in numbers and compensation as it may deem just and right. Said clerk of district court shall make a detailed and verified report to the county board on the first day of each month, showing all receipts for the preceding calendar month and the names of and the compensation paid to each deputy and employe of said office and the nature of their services. Provided, that any such clerk of district court feeling himself aggrieved by the act of the county board in changing or refusing to change, either the number or the compensation of his clerks and deputies may, within thirty (30) days after the action of such board, appeal to the district court of said county, and by filing with the county auditor thereof the notice of such appeal, and said court shall upon eight (8) days' notice given to the chairman of the county board or the county auditor, determine such appeal in a summary manner and shall allow such clerks and deputies and such compensation thereof as said court may deem just and reasonable, and shall make an order therefor, which order shall be filed in the office of the county auditor.

4. By changing the number of the section numbered 10 in the typewritten bill so that the same shall read No. 12.

5. By changing the number of the section numbered 11 of the typewritten bill so that the same shall read No. 13.

6. By changing the number of the section numbered 12 of the typewritten bill so that the same shall read No. 14.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 152, A bill for an act fixing the fees to be charged and received by county abstract clerks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 297, 469, 562, 355, 541, 472, 442, 538, 535, 572, 422, 485, 596, 583, 537 and 152.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 340, 255, 157, 159, 180 and 336.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 501, which had been made a special order for 11:30 o'clock A. M. today, be continued until 11:30 o'clock A. M. Thursday, March 6.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rask moved that S. F. No. 606 be recalled from the Committee on Military Affairs.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 606.

Was recalled from the Committee on Military Affairs.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that the Rules be suspended and that, S. F. No. 606 be read the second time, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 606.

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that his resolution offered February 27 and which appeared in the Senate Journal as of the 33rd day, pages 11 and 12, be recalled from the House.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGarry then moved that the vote whereby the foregoing resolution was passed be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGarry offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Whereas, There Is situated in Congressional Township Numbered 139, Range 26 (known as Crooked Lake Township), in Cass County, and in Congressional Township Numbered 138, Range 26 (known as the Town of Emily), in Crow Wing County, a large meandered lake filled with many game varieties of fish, including bass, muskalonge and pike, which lake is frequented and used by many residents of the locality and by many tourists, for boating and fishing, and as a site for summer residences, popularly called "Crooked Lake,"

And Whereas, there are several other smaller and less important lakes in the State popularly known by the same name, which fact creates confusion among tourists and others who are for that reason unable to know what lake is meant by said designation;

And Whereas, the people of the locality are anxious to have the name of said lake changed from its present designation to that of "Lake Roosevelt,"

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House concurring, that the name of the above described lake be, and the same hereby is, fixed as "Lake Roosevelt."

Which resolution was adopted.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Swanson gave notice of his intention to make Special Orders of S. F. No. 218, No. 86 on General Orders, and S. F. No. 305, No. 111 on General Orders.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved that when the Senate do adjourn, it be until 2:00 o'clock P. M., Monday, March 3.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swanson moved that S. F. No. 602 be recalled from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swanson then moved that S. F. No. 602 be re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed:

S. F. No. 602

Was re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Gandrud offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, The Legislature has submitted to the people of the State an amendment for ratification as a part of the constitution of the State authorizing a bond issue of \$100,000,000 for the purpose of building a system of hard surface roads throughout the State and

Whereas, In constructing such roads a large quantity of building cement will be required and

Whereas, There appears to be in the State of Minnesota, upon lands owned by its several trust funds and upon other lands, deposits of marl, limestone and other materials entering into the manufacture of such cement, and

Whereas, The cost of purchasing such cement upon the market will be a large item of the cost of construction of such roads,

Now, Therefore be it resolved that the State Auditor be and is hereby directed to make an investigation of State owned lands and privately owned lands as he may deem expedient for the purpose of determining whether there are such deposits of marl, limestone or other materials entering into the manufacture of cement that could be utilized, should the state desire to enter into the business of manufacturing cement for road building purposes, and

Be it resolved that in conducting such investigation the State Auditor be directed to call upon other state departments for co-operation and assistance, and such departments as he may call upon are hereby directed to give all reasonable aid, and

Be It Further Resolved That should suitable deposits of marl, limestone or other materials entering into the manufacture of cement be found on state lands, the State Auditor be requested to withhold such lands from sale until such time as the legislature shall have time to act, and

Be It Further Resolved That the State Auditor report his findings to the session of the Legislature convening in 1921.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, March 3, 1919.

The Senate met at 2 P. M. and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Carley, Loonam and Cashel were excused for today.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A petition from Albert Lea, Minnesota, residents was read, ordered not printed, and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 618, A bill for an act to provide for the making of profit-sharing contracts between employers and employes and defining the respective rights and liabilities of the parties thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

The Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 619, A bill for an act relating to and providing for the levy of additional school taxes in school districts in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 619, A bill for an act relating to and providing for the levy of additional school taxes in school districts in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 619,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 619, A bill for an act relating to and providing for the levy of additional school taxes in school districts in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Lindsley introduced—

S. F. No. 620, A bill for an act providing for an appropriation reimbursing F. E. Lindsley for expenses incurred in election contest in the twelfth senatorial district.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 621, A bill for an act relating to fire insurance policies on motor vehicles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Messrs. Sageng, Erickson, Callahan and Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 622, A bill for an act to promote the health and welfare of female employes by limiting the hours of employment, by prescribing time for rest and by establishing certain standards of working conditions; and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 623, A bill for an act to amend Section 3633, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the Dairy and Food Commissioner.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 624, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4476, 4477, 4478, 4479, 4481, 4483, 4489, 4497 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the general supervision of the grain interests of the state and to repeal acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Stepan introduced—

S. F. No. 625, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Mr. Henry Paavola of Grey Eagle, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 626, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws of 1909 and Chapter 253, Laws of 1915, except as to pending proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 627, A bill for an act imposing certain liabilities on persons, firms and corporations in municipalities for the cost of extinguishing fires which occur through their criminal intent, design or wilfull negligence, or where they have not complied with any law, ordinance or other lawful regulation for the prevention of fire or the spreading thereof; providing a method for the ascertainment of such cost and the manner of collecting the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 628, A bill for an act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their religious faith or creed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. McGarry and Lindsley introduced—

S. F. No. 629, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for the laying out, straightening, widening, grading, turnpiking, constructing or otherwise substantially improving state lateral highways outside of cities and villages and for the payment of same by counties and by the assessment of benefitted lands.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 630, A bill for an act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Anderson introduced—

S. F. No. 631, A bill for an act to amend Section 4489, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to public local warehouses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 632, A bill for an act designating the place of trials of actions brought upon wind, hail, fire or lightning insurance policies within the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 633, A bill for an act to amend Section 255, General Statutes 1913, relating to retirement of district judges.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 634, A bill for an act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a State Highway Commission; prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 635, A bill for an act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 636, A bill for an act to require employers who make

deductions from the wages of employes for benefit funds, to have a license from the Commissioner of Insurance and providing a penalty.'

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 637, A bill for an act to amend Section 8209, General Statutes of 1913, to provide for the payment of total permanent compensation out of a special fund in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 638, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor, providing for information as to dependents in fatal cases, requiring a supplementary report when an accident previously reported results fatally, fixing a period for the filing of settlements and releases, and prescribing a penalty for failure to file the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 639, A bill for an act to promote the safety of employes and the general public by requiring owners of certain buildings in which elevators are used jointly by two or more tenants to provide operators to run such elevators; also requiring such owner to provide locking devices on such elevators, and forbidding the use of such elevators under certain conditions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 298, A bill for an act to amend Section 8703, General Statutes 1913, defining the crime of fornication and providing punishment therefor.

H. F. No. 161, A bill for an act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.

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OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 28, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 213, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915 relating to the prescription by physicians, surgeons, and dentists of certain narcotics, for habitual users of the same so as to prohibit such prescriptions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 415, A bill for an act relating to the storing of milk or cream pending transportation by common carriers, providing for sanitary receiving rooms, and fixing penalties for violation of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 305, A bill for an act relating to county tuberculosis sanatoriums, their construction, improvement, equipment, enlargement and maintenance.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 60, A bill for an act to prohibit the use of oleomargarine or any other butter substitute as a substitute for table butter in state institutions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 289, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915, relating to the prescription by physicians and dentists of certain narcotics for habitual users of the same so as to prohibit such prescriptions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 289,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 428, A bill for an act relating to the practice of suggestive therapeutics in the treatment of mental and bodily ailments.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 428,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 37, A bill for an act to prohibit the use of oleomargarine as a substitute for table butter in state institutions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 37,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 163, A bill for an act providing for the Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; defining its powers and duties and appropriating money for carrying out the purposes thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 544, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 378, Laws of 1917, relating to railroads and the delivery of live stock at stock yards.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 115, A bill for an act to amend Section 4256 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to road crossings over railroads.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Subdivision numbered two of Section 1 of the type-written bill so as to read as follows:

“Sec. 2. A plank covering of the same width, securely spiked, extending the full length of the ties, the planks not more than one inch apart, the flangeways between the planking and the rails not more than two and one-half inches in width, the surface of the planking on a level with the top of the rails; the flangeway edge of the plank in any such crossing hereafter built, shall be suitably faced or otherwise protected with metal, and whenever any existing crossing is rebuilt or the flangeway planks thereof are renewed, the flangeway edge of such planks shall be similarly faced or protected by metal.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 356, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2168, 2174, 2180, 2181 and 2184, Revised Laws of 1905, being part of Chapter 31 thereof, which chapter relates to the inspection of steam vessels and boilers and the licensing of engineers, also amending said Chapter 31 by adding thereto three (3) new sections, said amendments and new sections providing for the appointment of a board of boiler inspectors, a chief boiler inspector and a deputy chief boiler inspector, fixing their salaries, prescribing their power and duties, providing a fund for the payment of their salaries and expenses, providing for the licensing of masters and pilots of steam vessels and

boats and gasoline boats and vessels carrying passengers for hire, fixing fees for the inspection of boilers and licensing of engineers, masters and pilots, creating a boiler inspector's fund and imposing certain charges and duties on insurance companies doing a boiler insurance business in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

After the words "two years" where they appear in line 26 of Section 1, being the first line on the second page of said bill, insert the following words: "provided, however, that the term of the first appointees pursuant to this act shall expire February first, 1921," and striking out the words "commencing February 1st following their appointment."

Further amend by inserting after the words "renewal fees" where they appear in the third from the last line of said Section 1, being the second line on page 3 of said bill, the following words: "shall be."

Further amend by striking out in the eleventh and twelfth lines of Section 8 the following words: "and in case a policy of insurance has been issued, the date when such policy will by its terms expire."

Further amend by inserting after the word "cancellation," where it appears in the thirtieth line of said section, being the third line on the seventh page of said bill, the following words, "or expiration."

Further amend by inserting after the word "cancellation" where it first appears in the thirty-second line of said section, being the fifth line on page 7 of said bill, the following words: "or expiration."

Further amend by inserting after the word "cancellation," where it appears the second time in said line, the words "or expiration."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred---

H. F. No. 119, A bill for an act to amend Section 4750, General Statutes 1913, relating to classifications and qualifications of engineers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 570, A bill for an act relating to cemetery associations and to authorize the termination of titles to cemetery lots in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 570,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 417, A bill for an act providing for the recordation of affidavits relating to matters affecting the title to real property in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 417

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 364, A bill for an act to provide for the renewal of the period of duration of building and loan associations in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 128, A bill for an act entitled, An act to legalize certain proceedings in Probate Court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words "where the notice of such hearing or pro-

ceeding was prematurely held" where they occur in the fifth and sixth lines of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following: "where the notice of such hearing or proceeding was published the requisite number of times in a legal and proper newspaper, but such hearing or proceeding was prematurely held,"

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 289 of the Special Laws of Minnesota for 1889, which said chapter is entitled, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Winona county to designate a German newspaper in which the official proceedings of the board of commissioners may be published in the German language.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 50, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4958, 4959, 4960 and 4961 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings for removal, suspension or censure of attorneys at law for misconduct and to the investigation of charges of such misconduct.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 174, A bill for an act to amend Section 4200 of Revised Laws and Section 7830 General Statutes 1913, relating to errors and exceptions at the trial of civil actions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 587, A bill for an act amending Chapter 103 of the Laws of 1917, amending Chapter 185, Laws of 1911, relating to the acquisition of lands for streets, parks and parkways in cities of the first class and the improvement and government thereof, and government of existing streets and parkways.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 210, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, fixing and regulating the salaries, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 inhabitants or over, as amended by Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 511, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 210

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 192, A bill for an act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465, of General Laws of 1907, and Chapter 126 of General Laws of 1911, and Chapter 482 of General Laws of 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 192,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 209, A bill for an act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 209,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 243, A bill for an act relating to the salary of the clerk of Probate Court, clerks, deputies, etc., of each county of this state then having, or which might hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand inhabitants or over.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 243,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 223, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915 and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of county surveyors in counties having, or which may hereafter have a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 223,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 323, A bill for an act to amend Section 1038, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to salaries of County Coroners in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 323,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 324, A bill for an act to amend Section 1039, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to salaries of deputies and secretaries of county coroners in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 324.

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 222, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants and over, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 222.

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 168, A bill for an act to amend Sections 8 and 9 of Chapter 440 of the General Laws of 1913, as amended by Chapter 511, Laws of 1917, which said sections so amended fix and regulate the salaries and compensation of the Register of Deeds, his deputies, assistants and employees, in counties having a population of three hundred thousand or more.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 168,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 415, 163, 544, 115, 356, 364, 128, 50 and 587,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 213, 305, 60, 119, 302 and 174,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 305 be substituted for S. F. No. 54, No. 9 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 54 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 54,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne moved that S. F. No. 312, No. 18 on General Orders, be taken from General Orders and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 312 was taken from General Orders and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sageng moved to change the date of the memorial exercises set for 2 o'clock P. M., March 6, to 2 o'clock P. M. March 20.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peterson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption—

Whereas the people of Minnesota have under consideration the construction of a public memorial for our Soldiers and Sailors who have taken part in the great world war, and the form and location of such memorial is now being discussed by the people and in the public press, and

Whereas, the form of such memorial and its location is a matter of great public importance inasmuch as it is designed to endure for all time, and will be the final expression of the appreciation of the state for the work of her sons in the great struggle, and such memorial should be the best and most appropriate that it is possible for the state to construct and its location should be where it will afford the greatest benefit to coming generations.

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that a commission of five (5) members be constituted for the purpose of proposing plans for such memorial, and suggestions for its location. That such commission be appointed by the Governor;

that it be authorized to advertise for designs, hold public hearings, receive all suggestions which may be offered as to form and location; that it make its findings and report the same to the Governor before the next session of the Legislature. Such commission shall serve without pay, but its members shall be allowed for their reasonable disbursements while engaged in and about the work of the commission.

Which resolution was read, and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Putnam.

Mr. Nord offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, there have accumulated a large number of bills on General Orders, and

Whereas, such accumulation of bills has at former sessions prevented a hearing on many bills of merit, and

Whereas, it is desirable that every bill be given due and proper consideration on the floor of the Senate on General Orders, in the interest of fairness to all parties concerned, and

Whereas, it is evident that the accumulation of bills on General Orders cannot be reduced without extra effort,

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, that Wednesday night of each week at 8 o'clock the Senate meet as Committee of the Whole, for the sole purpose of taking up and considering General Orders, and when time permits that the Senate, after considering General Orders, consider such bills as have been previously advanced to the Calendar and accumulated thereon.

Which resolution was read, and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Sullivan, J. D.

Mr. Bessette (by request) offered the following resolution and moved its adoption—

Whereas, general dissatisfaction exists throughout the state with the present system of fixing the fire insurance rates, that is, permitting the General Inspection Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota, a private corporation, to fix the fire insurance rates for the state, and

Whereas, such dissatisfaction is the result of the arbitrary methods used by such General Inspection Company in the matter of fixing such fire insurance rates, and its apparent indifference to protests made by property owners and others, and

Whereas, the present system of allowing a private corporation to fix fire insurance rates is wrong in principle and unprogressive, and

places too much of a burden on a person who seeks relief therefrom,

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that a committee of ten members be appointed, five by the President of the Senate, and five by the Speaker of the House, to investigate the advisability of the State of Minnesota through its proper department to fix said fire insurance rates; that such committee shall report before the ending of the present session of the Legislature or upon the convening of the next session of th Legislature, in 1921.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate appointed Mr. Cumming as temporary chairman of the Agriculture and Horticulture Committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Concurrent Resolution, herewith returned:

A Concurrent Resolution changing the name of Crooked Lake to Lake Roosevelt.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 3, 1919.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 640, A bill for an act to amend Section 7715 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913 governing actions relating to land.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 641, A bill for an act to appropriate money to aid in the payment of premiums at the exhibitions of the Sibley County Poultry Association, in the County of Sibley, State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 642, A bill for an act relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the state now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000, and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Handlan, Conroy, Callahan, Boylan and Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 643, A bill for an act, providing for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing. Also covering the construction, alteration and repair of all plumbing and house drainage in the State of Minnesota and providing for the appointment and duties of plumbing inspectors and providing punishment for a violation of this act, and appropriating money to carry this act into effect.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 644, A bill for an act providing for participation of certain teachers in the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Senate pass over the Calendar and proceed to the consideration of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Bessette in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the Committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Bessette reported that the committee had considered

S. F. Nos. 19 and 242.

Also H. F. Nos. 98 and 90.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 600, 173, 232, 40, 131, 110, 65, 294, 156, 108, 359, 372, 80, 90 and 121.

Also H. F. Nos. 7, 307 and 427.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 8.

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Bonniwell:

Amend S. F. No. 8 by striking out all of Section 9 of said bill and renumbering correspondingly Sections 10 to 17 inclusive.

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Rockne:

Amend S. F. No. 8 by striking out of said bill all of Section Four and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 4. "The State Board of Education shall be provided with suitable offices in the seat of government and the said board may provide all records, files and office supplies required from the transaction of its business.

The Board shall have power to appoint a State Commissioner of Education at a salary not to exceed \$4500 per annum; an assistant deputy Superintendent at a salary not to exceed \$2800 per annum; an assistant deputy Superintendent at a salary not to exceed \$2000 per annum; a Rural School Commissioner at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; a Commissioner of School Buildings at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; a Superintendent of School Libraries at a salary not to exceed \$1200 per annum; clerks and stenographers at salaries not to exceed \$9000 per annum; extra clerk hire not to exceed \$1000 per annum with a contingent fund not to exceed \$6000 per annum,

And for the further purpose of administering the fund obtained from the Federal Government under the provisions of the Smith-Hughes law, so called: A director at a salary not to exceed \$5,000 per annum, a supervisor of Agriculture at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; a supervisor of Home Economics at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; supervisor of Industrial Education at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; a High School Inspector at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; a Graded School Inspector at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; a Training School Inspector at a salary not to exceed \$2700 per annum; an assistant inspector at a salary not to exceed \$2700 per

annum; a Rural School Inspector at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; a Rural School Inspector at a salary not to exceed \$2400 per annum and clerks and stenographers at salaries not to exceed \$6000 per annum."

Which amendment was read and ordered printed in the Journal.

Also

S. F. No. 214,

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Guilford:

Amend S. F. No. 214 by striking out the words "relating to frauds on innkeepers, etc.", where the same appears in the title thereof and by substituting in place thereof the following:

"Relating to the protection of keepers of lodging houses, inns, hotels and boarding houses and providing for a penalty for defrauding them."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

H. F. No. 79,

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Denegre:

Amend H. F. No. 79 by inserting at the end line four (4) of the printed bill, the following:

"In counties having a population of over three hundred thousand and less than two hundred thousand, and Two (\$2.00) Dollars per day in counties having a population of more than two hundred thousand and less than three hundred thousand."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 188,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Gjerset:

Amend S. F. No. 188 by striking from said bill that portion thereof which includes and follows the words "the notice herein" in line 34 on the second page of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 429,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Benson:

Amend S. F. No. 429, by striking out the period after the word "language" in line 8 of Section 1, and adding after the word "language" in said line the following:

"and holding teacher's state certificates qualifying them to teach in the grade or grades in which they teach."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bessette then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Nolan, Benson and Rockne offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

A Joint Resolution Memorializing Congress to Repeal the so-called Daylight Saving Law.

Whereas, Under the present Federal law known as the Daylight Saving Law the time will be advanced in this state so that six o'clock A. M. legal time will become seven o'clock A. M. Federal time and,

Whereas This change in time causes great confusion and inconvenience to the people of the State of Minnesota, and,

Whereas Said Daylight Saving Law is of no possible benefit and actually in many cases works a severe hardship,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring, that Congress be and it hereby is urgently petitioned and requested to repeal said law, and to take such steps as may be necessary to restore legal time in this state.

Be It Further Resolved That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each United States Senator and Member of Congress from Minnesota.

Which resolution was read, and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Jackson.

Mr. Guilford moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

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THIRTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, March 4, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, February 27, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 53, An act regulating the hours of labor of state employes in the State of Minnesota,

S. F. No. 62, An act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the city council or common council of cities of this state of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof for defraying the cost of laying main trunk sewers, storm sewers, making certain local improvements in intersections of streets and in front of property exempt by law from special assessments.

S. F. No. 155, An act to provide how fraternal benefit societies organized under the laws of this state may consolidate, merge or reinsure its insurance risks, with any other fraternal benefit society, or assume or reinsure the risks of any other fraternal benefit society and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

S. F. No. 164, An act authorizing the County Board of any county that has heretofore expended funds or incurred indebtedness in the repair, deepening or changing the nature of any public ditch therein, or any branch thereof, to issue bonds therefor in certain cases.

S. F. No. 225, An act to amend Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 114, Laws 1917, fixing the salaries of members of County Boards in all counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million five hundred thousand dollars and less than twelve million dollars and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

S. F. No. 227, An act to legalize certain payments of salary and expense to County Commissioners in certain counties.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Orr and Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 645, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compensate the widow of E M. Snow for the death of her husband due to injuries sustained in the course of his employment at the State Agricultural Experimental station.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Hopp, Gjerset and Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 646, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right, title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 647, A bill for an act relating to the election of trustees in villages organized under and governed, by Chapter 145 General Laws of Minnesota 1885.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Ribenack introduced—

S. F. No. 648, A bill for an act regulating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, and restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses and places of refreshment, defining the same, and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Chapter 343 of the General Laws of 1905 and Chapter 206 of the General Laws of 1911 and Chapter 569 of the General Laws of 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 649, A bill for an act providing for the reimbursement of County Auditors for expenses incurred in attending meetings called by the Tax Commission to confer in regard to assessments and taxation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 650, A bill for an act authorizing the establishment, improvement and maintenance of county parks in certain counties and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds to provide funds therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 651, A bill for an act to provide for safety to life and property in this state in the construction and use of steam boilers; creating a board of boiler rules to prescribe rules and regulations for boilers used in this state, which will be uniform with other State rules now in existence, in order to provide for the free interchange of boilers between states to define the power of the board of boiler rules; to provide penalties for the violation of this act and rules and regulations of the board of boiler rules.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 652, A bill for an act to amend Section 2272, General Statutes of 1913, fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies, and gifts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 653, A bill for an act to amend Section 7238, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 272, Laws 1917, and Section 7243, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 350, Laws 1915, so as to provide that where there is only one child, the surviving spouse shall receive one-half the estate.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding general terms of the District Court in the county of Pine, nineteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 655, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. John Romine.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 656, A bill for an act to appropriate money, to reimburse the village of Crosby in the county of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota, for moneys advanced and expended by it in the completion and furnishing of the State armory at Crosby, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 657, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. Arthur W. Van Akin.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 658, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 11 of Section 1268, General Statutes 1913, relating to powers of village councils.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 659, A bill for an act to amend Section 3564, General Statutes 1913, relating to the admission and regulation of Fraternal Beneficiary Associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 660, A bill for an act to provide for County Boards of Health of five members in the several counties of the state and to authorize the employment of physicians, dentists and nurses for such boards.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Messrs. Sageng, Putnam and Madigan introduced—

S. F. No. 661, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote at any primary election in this state, held for the purpose of nominating candidates for any elective office, or held for the pur-

pose of choosing delegates to any convention held for the purpose of nominating candidates for elective offices.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the return to the Senate of the following Senate File, as it does not comply with the rules of the House, nor the Constitution of the state, in that the title does not contain the general nature of the bill:

S. F. No. 96, A bill for an act to amend Section 6347 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

February 28, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Denegre moved to amend S. F. No. 96 by inserting before the first word of the title the words,

“A Bill For”

and by striking out the period at the end of the title and adding the words

“relating to banks and other financial institutions.”

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Stepan,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 822, A bill for an act fixing the salaries of certain county officers in certain counties in this state and conditionally repealing Chapter 423, Special Laws Minnesota 1891.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 4, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 822, A bill for an act fixing the salaries of certain county officers in certain counties in this state and conditionally repealing Chapter 423, Special Laws Minnesota 1891.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 822, A bill for an act fixing the salaries of certain county officers in certain counties in this state and conditionally repealing Chapter 423, Special Laws Minnesota 1891.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 822,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 822, A bill for an act fixing the salaries of certain county officers in certain counties in this state and conditionally repealing Chapter 423, Special Laws Minnesota 1891.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Heenes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 199, A bill for an act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. A. D. Varley.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that at the request of the author the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 199

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 318, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line eight (8) of Section 1 of the original typewritten bill the following: "One million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000.00)".

Further amending by striking out the comma (,) and inserting a period (.) after the word "parkways" in line 9 of Section 1 of the original typewritten bill, and striking out all of the remainder of Section 1 after said word "parkways" in said line nine (9).

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 318

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan called up his resolution, introduced March 3, which appeared on page 23 of the Senate Journal as of the thirty-fifth day.

Mr. Nolan moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Mr. Nolan moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended and the resolution adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays 19, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Guilford,	Lee,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Carley,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Millett,	Romberg,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boylan,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Orr,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Dwyer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Nord called up his resolution, offered March 3, which appeared on page 18 of the Senate Journal as of the thirty-fifth day.

Mr. Nord then moved the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Benson moved as an amendment to this motion that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

The question then occurred on the motion to amend as made by Mr. Benson.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swanson moved to make S. F. Nos. 218 and 305 a Special Order for Friday, March 7, at 11:30 o'clock, A. M.

Mr. Putnam requested a roll call on the foregoing motion, as made by Mr. Swanson.

The question then being taken on the motion as made by Mr. Swanson,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 10 and nays 46, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Boylan,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Erickson,	Nord,	Widell,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Lee,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the motion did not prevail.

Mr. Hall moved that H. F. No. 149 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 149, A bill for an act to authorize the district court to dismiss actions and proceedings which shall not be brought to trial within five years from the commencement thereof.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 149

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 149, A bill for an act to authorize the district court to dismiss actions and proceedings which shall not be brought to trial within five years from the commencement thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Senate pass over the consideration of the Calendar and proceed to the consideration of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Madigan in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Madigan reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 600, 90, 204, 189, 441, 314, 130, 109, 390 and 9.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 40, 131, 110, 65, 294, 156, 8, 214, 126, 31, 12, 401 and 308.

Also H. F. Nos. 7, 305, 307, 427 and 79.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 108,

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Larson:

Amend S. F. No. 108 by striking out all of Section 9 and insert in lieu thereof the following section:

Section 9. The fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the State Treasury by the Dairy and Food Commissioner. The State Treasurer shall transmit such licens-

ed money semi-annually to the treasurer of the city, village or county for which the license is issued.

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 359,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Adams:

Amend S. F. No. 359 as follows:

1. Amend the title of said bill by inserting after the word "heretofore" in the first line of said title the words "authorized but not paid or heretofore."

2. By inserting after the word "heretofore" in the first line of Section 1 of the printed bill the words "authorized but not paid or heretofore."

3. By striking out the period after the word "validated" at the end of line 3 of Section 1 of the printed bill.

4. By adding after the word "validated" at the end of the third line of Section 1 of the printed bill the following words:

"And where said appropriation has been authorized by the county board but not heretofore paid, said county board is hereby authorized to audit and allow the duly verified and itemized claim of any such Home Guard or Motor Corps Company and the county auditor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the general fund of such county, payable to the treasurer of any such Home Guard or Motor Corps Company, in payment of such claim."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 372,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Bessette:

Amend S. F. No. 372 as follows:

1. By inserting after the figure 1 and before the word "the" in the first line of Section 1 of the printed bill, the following words:

"That Section 1177 General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913 be amended so as to read as follows: Section 1177."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 121,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Putnam:

Amend S. F. No. 121 as follows: -

First: Strike out of the printed bill lines 29 to 48, both inclusive, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

"Provided, that this act shall apply only to villages containing more than 1280 acres of land.

"Any person or party aggrieved may appeal from such order to the district court of the county upon the following grounds:

1. That the county board had no jurisdiction to act.
2. That it has exceeded its jurisdiction.
3. That its action is against the best interests of the territory affected.

Such appeal shall be taken by serving upon the county auditor within thirty days from the making of the order a notice of appeal, specifying the grounds thereof. The appellant shall also execute and deliver to the auditor a bond to the county in the sum of one hundred dollars, to be approved by the county auditor, conditioned for the payment of all costs taxed against the appellant on such appeal. Such further proceedings shall be had upon such appeal as upon other appeals from the county board.

"The provisions of this act relating to appeals shall not apply to any action or proceeding now pending involving the separation of land from any village."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Madigan then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, March 5, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A letter from the Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union No. 2 of Minnesota was read, and ordered not printed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, March 1, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

My Dear Mr. Frankson: Herewith I am transmitting for reference to the proper committee and for consideration of your honorable body, two reports, one by the majority and one by a minority

of the members of the commission appointed to consider plans for a memorial to the men and women who have served in our country's wars.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Reed introduced—

S. F. No. 662, A bill for an act to provide, under certain conditions, remuneration to retired employes of the State of Minnesota, who have been in war-time military service of the United States.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 663, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 47, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, entitled an act requiring all places or receptacles where any fruit or any food products are manufactured, packed, stored, deposited, kept, collected, prepared, produced, sold or served to be kept and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, providing for inspection of all such places and prescribing penalties and punishments for violations hereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 664, A bill for an act to amend Section 3712, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of unwholesome substances for use as food and penalties for violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

The Committee on State Development and Immigration introduced—

S. F. No. 665, A bill for an act to provide for an annual farm census.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 666, A bill for an act providing for the codification and revision of the dairy and food laws.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 667, A bill for an act authorizing trust companies to be designated depositaries of state, county and municipal funds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Fowler introduced—

S. F. No. 668, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compensate for services rendered state in inheritance tax matters.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 669, A bill for an act authorizing county boards to grant petitions of school boards to have lands adjacent to or projecting into school districts set off and made a part of such districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 670, A bill for an act authorizing the state board of control, with the approval of the state auditor, to select from the public lands owned by the state not to exceed four sections of land to be used as a location for the maintenance of a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons, authorizing the improvement of such lands by the state board of control, and providing for the admission of persons thereto, and providing for the transfer of inmates from the colony for epileptics and the school for feeble-minded at Faribault to such colonies, and directing the withdrawal of the lands selected from sale or disposition.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 671, A bill for an act appropriating certain money to be expended under the direction of the state board of control for the erection of buildings and the making of improvements on lands to be selected as a location for a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 672, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor, county treasurer, clerk of the district court and register of deeds, in counties now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars and not more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 673, A bill for an act to amend Section 3678, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of operations of testing apparatus, and the penalties for violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Messrs. Madigan, Erickson and Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 674, A bill for an act granting the right to vote for certain offices and on certain propositions and matters of women.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 675, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of traffic in eggs, to provide for the licensing of dealers in eggs; to prevent fraud and misrepresentation in dealing in eggs and to prevent the sale of eggs unfit for human food.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Markets and Marketing.

Messrs. Naplin, Larson, Baldwin, Blomgren and Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 676, A bill for an act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 677, A bill for an act to amend Section 1968, General Statutes of 1913, relating to powers and duties of school boards.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 678, A bill for an act to amend Section 8249, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the time when action can be commenced on bonds given to public authorities in performances of contracts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Hamer and Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 679, A bill for an act abolishing the office of state oil inspector and transferring his powers to the dairy and food commissioner, providing for appointment of a chief oil inspector and deputy oil inspectors, amending Sections 3622, 3625, 3623, 3626, 3627, 3628, 3630 and 3631, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 271, Session Laws Minnesota, 1915, and Chapter 331, Session Laws Minnesota, 1917, all relating to gasoline and illuminating oils, and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Lee introduced—

S. F. No. 680, A bill for an act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 199 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the classes of persons entitled to benefits and annuities from the state teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 681, A bill for an act to amend Section 5219, General Statutes 1913, providing for the appraisal of state lands, appointment of appraisers and their compensation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 682, A bill for an act empowering the court to exclude the general public from the court room during the trial of causes in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 66, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the office of county treasurers, in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more Congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million nor more than ten million dollars

S. F. No. 362, A bill for an act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to proceedings in probate court and attorneys' liens therein, and to repeal Chapter 21 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1905, relating to the same subject.

S. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to authorize the valuation of bonds and other securities, by insurance companies, and fraternal beneficiary associations, by the amortization method.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 367, A bill for an act to amend Section 1177 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

H. F. No. 133, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of county commissioners in counties of this state having not less than 100 nor more than 137 congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.

H. F. No. 280, A bill for an act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.

March 3, 1919. —————

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 702, A bill for an act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.

March 4, 1919. —————

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the house of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 19, A bill for an act to establish a Department of Education, to create a State Board of Education, to define the powers and duties of such board, to abolish certain boards and offices.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 5, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 133, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of county commissioners in counties of this state having not less than 100 nor more than 137 congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nord moved that H. F. No. 133 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 133

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 280, A bill for an act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 367, A bill for an act to amend Section 1177 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 702, A bill for an act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 19, A bill for an act to establish a department of education, to create a state board of education, to define the powers

and duties of such board, to abolish certain boards and offices, and to create a state council of education.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 418, A bill for an act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the bill and in lieu thereof, insert the following:

Section 1. That Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, be amended to read as follows:

7249. Whenever any person holding a homestead under the laws of the United States dies before making final proof, and final proof has afterwards been made by his heirs or devisees, and by reason thereof a patent shall afterwards be granted to "the heirs" or to "the devisees" of such person, the District Court of the county in which the lands so patented are situated may, in a civil action brought for that purpose, determine who are such heirs or devisees, and may determine their respective shares in said homestead.

And, when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 120, A bill for an act requiring the owner of premises on which barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown; to destroy the same, declaring the same to be a public nuisance and imposing certain powers and duties with reference to the same on the state entomologist.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

That Section 1 of the bill be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. All barberry (*Berberis* Sp.) bushes and all Mahonia (*Mahonia* Sp.) bushes except the species and variety known as Japanese barberry (*Berberis thunbergii*) are rust producing species

and are hereby declared to be, and the same are, a public nuisance and a menace to the public welfare, and their maintenance, propagation, sale or introduction into the state is forbidden. It shall be the duty of every person owning, occupying or having charge of any premises on which such bushes of the rust producing varieties are grown, or at any time found growing, to forthwith destroy such bushes.

That Section 2 of the bill be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. The state entomologist is authorized, and it is hereby made his duty to cause all such rust producing Mahonia bushes or Barberry bushes within the State of Minnesota to be eradicated. The state entomologist shall make rules and regulations relating to the most convenient and expedient method of eradicating and destroying such rust producing Mahonia bushes or Barberry bushes; he shall have the power to appoint one or more agents to enforce the provisions of this act, and he, or his agents, shall have free access at all reasonable hours to any premises to determine whether such rust-producing Mahonia bushes or Barberry bushes are growing thereon, and to require reports from the owners or occupants of any premises as to the presence of such bushes thereon.

That Section 3 of the bill be amended to read as follows:

Section 3. In pursuance of his powers hereby granted, whenever the state entomologist, or his agents, shall have found Mahonia bushes or Barberry bushes of such rust producing varieties on any premises, it shall be the duty of the state entomologist, or his agents, as the case may be, to immediately notify or cause to be notified, the owner or occupant of the premises on which such bushes are growing; such notice shall be sent to such owner or occupant in such form as the state entomologist shall prescribe, and if such Mahonia bushes or Barberry bushes are not destroyed within ten (10) days after the mailing of such notice, if sent by registered mail, or within eight days after the delivery of such notice, if delivered by messenger, the state entomologist, or his agents, shall destroy or cause to be destroyed such Mahonia bushes or Barberry bushes. The expense of such destruction shall be paid to the state entomologist by the owner of the premises within ten (10) days after the rendition of a bill therefor, and if such cost shall not be paid within said time the bill shall be reported to the county attorney, who shall forthwith collect the same in the name of the state and shall turn the amount collected over to the state treasurer to be credited to the road and bridge fund of the county.

That Section 4 of the bill be amended to read as follows:

Section 4. The state entomologist, or his agent, may, or whenever requested by any resident of the state, shall determine, or cause to be determined, whether or not the Mahonia bushes or Barberry bushes grown on certain premises are of the rust producing varieties. The said entomologist shall make a certificate of his findings and determination in the premises, which certificate shall be prima facie evidence of the facts therein recited. Such certificate may be received in evidence in any civil action arising under the provisions of this act.

Insert a new section, to be known as Section 5, as follows:

Section 5. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Renumber Section 5 so as to read Section 6, as follows:

Section 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Strike out all of the title of said bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following:

A bill for an act requiring the owner or occupant of premises within this state, on which Mahonia bushes and Barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown, to destroy the same, declaring the same to be a public nuisance; imposing certain powers and duties with reference to the same on the state entomologist; and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

And when so amended, that the bill is valid.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 354, A bill for an act providing for the imprisonment in the State Reformatory for Women of females convicted of any crime, punishable, under the provisions of the statutes prescribing the punishment for such crime, by imprisonment in the State Prison and also providing for the transfer from the State Prison to the State Reformatory for women of females committed to the State Prison prior to the time this act takes effect and providing for the imprisonment of such prisoners so transferred in said State Reformatory for Women during the balance of the unexpired term for which they were originally committed to said State Prison.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain mortgage foreclosure sales by action and certificates thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 113, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing that the claims of laborers shall be preferred claims in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 113

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 58, A bill for an act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of a felony.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 563, A bill for an act to amend Section 1832, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to taxation for Fire Department Relief funds in cities having less than 50,000 inhabitants and in villages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MAJORITY REPORT.

Mr. Blomgren, from the Committee on Temperance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 349, A bill for an act prohibiting the sale or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor in certain localities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

T. C. BLOMGREN,
FRED D. VIBERT,
E. R. RIBENACK,
FRANK F. ROMBERG,
PETER VAN HOVEN.

MINORITY REPORT.

The undersigned members of the Committee on Temperance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 349, A bill for an act prohibiting the sale or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquors in certain localities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

F. H. PETERSON,
IVER J. LEE.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Blomgren moved that the majority report on S. F. No. 349 be adopted.

Mr. Peterson moved as a substitute that the minority report on S. F. No. 349 be adopted.

Mr. Cumming moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert.
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng.	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel.	

Mr. Cumming moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the adoption of the minority report of the committee,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 23 and nays 40, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Guilford,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Cliff,	Hall,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Larson,	Palmer,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Lee,	Peterson,	
Gandrud,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Callahan,	Fowler,	Millett,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Carley,	Gillam,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Orr,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Devold,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Widell,

So the minority report of the committee was not adopted.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the majority report of the committee.

Which report was adopted.

S. F. No. 349

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 515, A bill for an act to amend Section 2226, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of railroad companies owning or operating any line of railroad situate within or partly within this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 266, A bill for an act authorizing the abatement of penalties, interest and costs which have accrued or may hereafter accrue on taxes levied on lands owned by persons who have served in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States during the present war.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 169, A bill for an act to provide the place and method of assessing the personal property of electric light and power companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was re-referred—

S. F. No. 380, A bill for an act to amend Section 1970, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to taxation and property exempt therefrom.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 380

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 232, A bill for an act providing in certain cases for the issuance of patents to lands heretofore sold, by the state under executory contracts, to persons engaged during the present war in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States and appropriating money with which to pay the unpaid principal and interest as stipulated in such contracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 2 of said bill and renumber Section 3 and Section 2 and that when so amended the bill be placed on General Orders for consideration of the Senate.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 413, A bill for an act to create a real estate brokers board, issue certificates to real estate brokers and provide for their regulation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out of title of bill the word "certificates" and insert in lieu thereof the word "licenses," also strike out all of said bill after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Real Estate Brokers Board. There is hereby created a Real Estate Brokers Board for Minnesota, hereinafter referred to as the "Board", which shall consist of five members appointed by the Governor and whose duties shall be to enforce the provisions of this act. Of the first Board appointed, one member shall be appointed for the term ending December 31st, 1919, one member for the term ending December 31st, 1920, one member for the term ending December 31st, 1921, one member for the term ending December 31st, 1922, and one member for the term ending December 31st, 1923, and all subsequent appointments shall be for the term of five years. Vacancies shall be filled by like appointments for the unexpired term. No member shall be appointed unless he shall have been employed as a real estate broker in this state for the five years next preceding his appointment: Two of said members shall be brokers in city property and three shall be brokers in farm property. The Minnesota Realty Owners and Dealers Association may recommend five names for each appointment to be made, from which list the Governor may select.

(a) Office. This Board shall have its office in St. Paul in connection with the office of the State Immigration Commissioner and all records shall be kept therein.

(b) Organization. At its first meeting, which shall be called by the Commissioner of Immigration, it shall select from its number a chairman, prescribe rules of procedure and adopt a seal. The Commissioner of Immigration shall be the secretary of this Board.

(c) Employees. The Board shall have the power to employ such help and buy such supplies as may be necessary to conduct the work of the Board.

(d) Meetings. It shall hold regular monthly meetings at such time as it shall decide upon and special meetings may be held at any time upon five days' written notice to all members signed by the majority of said Board.

(e) Records. It shall keep a complete record of all its meet-

ings, its accounts and the business it transacts, and prepare all necessary blanks to be used in the conduct of its duties.

(f) Salaries. Compensation of five dollars (\$5.00) a day shall be paid members of this Board for their services for time actually spent together with their actual traveling expenses.

(g) Legal Assistance. This Board shall have the assistance of the Attorney-General's office in enforcing the provisions of this act.

(h) Quorum. A majority of said Board shall constitute a quorum thereof for the transaction of its business.

Section 2. Finances. All fees received hereunder and all fines collected shall be deposited with the State Treasurer who shall establish a fund known as the "Real Estate Brokers Fund" and all expenses connected with the enforcement of this act shall be paid from this fund.

Section 3. License for real estate business. It shall be unlawful for any person, partnership, or corporation to engage in the business or occupation of, or act as a real estate broker in this State without first having procured a license under this act, provided, however, that any agent, salesman, or employee of a duly licensed broker, while acting as such, shall not be required to procure a separate license.

Section 4. Definition. A real estate broker shall be deemed to be any person, partnership, or corporation, except as hereinafter provided, who for another, for a commission or compensation, sells, exchanges, buy or offers to sell, exchange, or buy any real estate or interest therein.

Section 5. Exceptions. The provisions of this act shall not apply to

(a) Receivers, trustees, administrators, executors, guardians or other persons appointed by or acting under the judgment or order of any court.

(b) Public officers while performing their official duties.

(c) Employees of persons mentioned in sub-division "a" and "b" of this Section when engaged in the specific performance of their duties as such employees.

Section 6. Application. Any person, partnership, or corporation desiring to act as a real estate broker in the State of Minnesota shall file with the board an application for a license therefor, together with a license fee of \$10.00 and supporting

affidavits as hereinafter provided. Said application shall be in such form as prescribed by the board and shall include,

(a) Name and address of the applicant; or if a partnership the name and address of each member thereof, or if a corporation the name and address of each officer.

(b) The place or places including the street, town or county where the business is to be conducted.

(c) The business or occupation engaged in for a period of two years immediately preceding the date of the application by the applicant, or if a partnership by each member thereof, or if a corporation, by each officer thereof.

(d) Such further information as the board shall require to enable it to determine the trustworthiness and reliability of each applicant including each member of the partnership or each officer of the corporation, to transact the business of a real estate broker in such manner as to safeguard the interests of the public. Such application shall be verified by the applicant and if made by a partnership by each member thereof and if made by a corporation by the duly authorized officers thereof. Said application shall be accompanied by a recommendation of two real estate owners in the county in which such applicant resides, certifying that the applicant is trustworthy and reliable and recommending that a license be issued to the applicant. If said applicant shall have resided in such county less than a year, then he may obtain such affidavits from two land owners in his former place of residence.

Section 7. Consideration of application. The said application shall be considered at the next meeting of the board after receiving said application, providing however, that the said board may postpone its decision on said application for the purpose of further satisfying itself as to the trustworthiness and reliability of said applicant, and in such case may grant a temporary permit to operate as a real estate broker, until action shall have been taken upon said application. If said application shall be withdrawn before being acted upon the fee shall be returned.

Section 8. License. If said application is favorably acted upon, a license shall be issued by the Board, entitling the person, partnership or corporation who applied therefor, to act as a real estate broker or brokers in this state, up to and including the 31st day of December in the year it was issued, which license shall be renewed from year to year upon the payment of a fee of \$5.00 for each

year. Said license shall be in the form decided upon by the Board, and shall recite the name and address of the person, members of the partnership or corporation and the officers thereof, as the case may be, to whom such license shall be issued and shall be signed by the chairman and the secretary of the Board, and there shall be attached thereto the seal of the Board. No license shall be issued to any person, partnership or corporation who shall not have a fixed place of business, nor to anyone who is not a citizen of the United States. Said license shall be displayed in the place of business of the broker. In case of change of address, notification thereof shall be sent to the Board and a new license shall be issued as requested upon the payment of One Dollar (\$1.00). In case of change in the members of a partnership or officers of a corporation holding a broker's license, a notice of the same shall be forwarded to the Board together with a formal application as provided in Section 6 hereof and upon approval of the Board of such change and the payment of One Dollar (\$1.00) a new license shall be issued. The old license shall within ten days thereafter be returned and cancelled by the Board.

Section 9. Rejection. If said application is rejected by the Board, notice thereof shall be given to the applicant and an appeal therefrom may be taken by the applicant as hereinafter provided.

Section 10. Complaints. Any person, injured by dishonest dealings on the part of any licensed broker, or agent, salesman, or employe thereof, or who has personal knowledge of such dishonest practice may communicate the facts in reference thereto, to the Board. If, after investigating such complaint and notifying such broker of such communication and affording him an opportunity to be heard concerning the same, it appears to the Board that said broker, his agent or salesman, is guilty as charged, said Board may at once revoke his license and he shall not be entitled to a license thereafter for a period of two years, provided however, that if the said broker shall have had no knowledge of such dishonest practice and shall immediately sever all connections with such agent, salesman or employe, his license shall not be revoked, and any broker having a knowledge of such dishonest dealings and associating in business with such agent, salesman or employee, within two years thereafter, shall have his license revoked.

Section 11. Suspension and Revocation. The Board shall have the power to suspend temporarily, or revoke permanently, any license issued under the provisions of this act at any time, where the holder

thereof in performing or attempting to perform any of the acts of a broker, is knowingly guilty of

(a) Making any substantial misrepresentation, or any false promises of a character likely to influence or persuade, or induce, in writing,

(b) A continued flagrant course of misrepresentation, or making false promises, through agents or salesmen,

(c) Any other conduct whether of the same or a different character hereinbefore specified, which in the opinion of said Board is contrary to good business morals.

The Board shall have the power to subpoena and bring before it persons within the state for the purpose of its investigation, or take the testimony of such persons by deposition in the same manner as prescribed by law in judicial procedure in the courts of this state in civil cases.

Section 12. Appeals. An appeal from any decision of the Board may be taken by the person aggrieved to the District Court of the district in which he shall reside by filing notice of such appeal with the Board within twenty days after receipt of the notice of such decision. Upon receipt of such notice the Secretary of the Board shall forthwith prepare and deliver to the clerk of said District Court a certified copy of said application and a transcript of all written evidence relative thereto in the hands of the Board. The Court shall consider such evidence together with such other evidence as may be submitted to him and a copy of his decision shall be returned and filed with the Board which shall promptly take action in accordance with such decision.

Section 13. Penalties. Any person, partnership, or corporation, who shall engage in the business or occupation of a real estate broker without having first procured a license as herein provided shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor. No commission or compensation for the sale of land shall be collectible in the courts of Minnesota by any broker doing business contrary to the provisions of this act.

Section 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of June, 1919, except that license herein provided shall not be required till sixty days thereafter.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass and 500 copies be printed.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved at 1:05 P. M. that the Senate do now recess until 3 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3 P. M.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Devold was excused for the balance of the afternoon.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Boylan, from the Committee on Commerce, Manufacture and Retail Trade, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 42, A bill for an act to prevent the sale or offering for sale of fur garments or articles of apparel under fictitious or misleading names.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 458, A bill for an act regulating the crossing of railroad tracks by persons operating or driving motor vehicles and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all that part of the bill after the enacting clause, and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person operating or driving a vehicle in this state to cross a railroad track without first stopping said vehicle within not more than fifty (50) feet from said track crossing, and looking and listening for the approach of a locomotive or train.

Section 2. Provided, however, the stopping features of this act shall not apply where the approach of locomotives or trains can be seen both ways for a distance of more than one thousand (1,000) feet and where crossings are protected by flagmen or gates.

Section 3. Provided, further, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to street car tracks exclusively operated by electric power, in any city, village or borough in this state.

Section 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 322, A bill for an act providing a penalty of five years in the penitentiary for stealing an automobile, or having a stolen automobile in possession.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 322,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 60, A bill for an act to regulate the width of sleds and sleighs and that all sleds and sleighs hereafter made or sold shall be of standard width after November 1, 1921.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 60,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 28, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of burning in woods and prairie lands.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of the bill after the enacting clause, and in lieu thereof, insert the following:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful, when the ground is not snow-covered, in those portions of the State of Minnesota where there are standing or growing native coniferous trees, or in areas of ground from which native coniferous trees have been cut, or where there are slashings of such trees, or native brush, timber, slashings thereof, or excavated stumps, or where there is peat or peat roots excavated or growing, to kindle any open fire except for domestic purposes and to protect persons or property in case of fire, without the written permission or direction of the State Forester or other authorized forest officer, unless a fire-break sufficient to check the spread of such fire shall have been freshly made or plowed around the place or area wherein said fire is set.

Section 2. Permission to set fire to any grass, stubble, peat, brush, slash or woods for the purpose of clearing and improving land or preventing other fire shall be given whenever the same may be safely burned, upon such reasonable conditions and restrictions as the State Forester may prescribe to prevent same from spreading and getting beyond control. Such permission shall be in the form of a written permit signed by an authorized forest officer. Any person setting a fire under such permit shall watch the same and use the highest degree of diligence to prevent it from spreading to the property of another or getting beyond control. Such fire shall be completely extinguished before the expiration of the period during which such burning is permitted.

Section 3. Whenever a fire set by any person or corporation, under permit as herein provided, spreads to property belonging to another or destroys the property of another, it shall be prima facie evidence that the party so setting such fire is guilty of negligence in allowing it to spread.

Section 4. Any person or corporation violating any of the foregoing provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ninety (90) days.

Section 5. The State Forester or any district forest ranger may burn, or by written order require the owner or owners to burn, any grass, stubble, peat, brush, slash, woods or like substance or growth, which constitutes or is likely to become a fire menace, and shall have authority to employ and summon any able-bodied male person of

the age of eighteen (18) years and upwards to assist in such burning and in watching and controlling any fire set for such purpose, and may incur any other necessary and reasonable expense for the same purpose. The wages and expenses of men so employed or summoned to set, watch or control any such fire, shall be fixed and paid by the State Forester; and the amount thereof shall be paid by the owner of the land on which such burning is done; or within thirty (30) days thereafter, and if such owner or owners shall fail to make such payment within said period, the State Forester shall certify such expense to the county auditor of the county in which said property is situate and said county auditor shall enter said expense on the tax lists of said county as a special charge against the real estate on which such burning is done and the same shall be collected as other taxes and when collected shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the forest service fund.

Section 6. Any person summoned by the State Forester or any district ranger to assist in setting, watching or controlling any fire set pursuant to the provisions hereof, who is physically able and refuses so to assist, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five (\$5.00) dollars nor more than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than thirty (30) days.

Section 7. This act shall not repeal or otherwise affect the provisions contained in sections 3797 and 3798, General Statutes 1913, relating to the destruction or other disposition of slashings and debris resulting from timber cutting operations.

Section 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended, that the bill is valid.

Amendments adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the report of the Committee on S. F. No. 28, together with the bill be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The report of the committee on S. F. No. 28, together with the bill was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams, from the Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 492. A bill for an act to amend Sections 9, 10, 12,

20, 21 and 24 of Chapter 152, General Laws of 1915, relating to telephones and telephone companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 510, A bill for an act to amend Section 14, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, relating to state aid for public schools, and for the method of its distribution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be printed and placed on General Orders.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 591, A bill for an act to amend Section 1020, General Statutes 1913, relating to teachers' institutes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 585, A bill for an act to amend Section 1011 General Statutes 1913, relating to expenses incurred by County Superintendents of Schools, for postage, teachers' examinations and other purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 3, A bill for an act to establish a branch school of agriculture at Waseca, as a Department of the University of Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 347, A bill for an act to amend Section 9, Chapter 199, Laws 1915, authorizing payment for annuities and benefits from teacher's insurance and retirement fund.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 347,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 79, A bill for an act to establish the English language as a basic language of instruction in all schools within the State of Minnesota, and to promote the work of Americanization of the peoples of the State.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 79,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 516. A bill for an act to authorize the payment from county funds of certain expenses of county superintendents of schools.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the word "ten" where it occurs in the 7th line of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 598, A bill for an act to make provision for supervision of teaching in rural schools.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 568, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in adjoining counties, to expend the proceeds thereof for said purpose in any one year regardless of existing limitations; and to authorize such board to act jointly or concurrently with the county board of such adjoining county, or the governing body of any municipality therein in the matter of constructing or improving of any such road or roads.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the report of the Committee on S. F. No. 28, together with the bill, be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that the report of the Committee be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that S. F. No. 28 be printed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 418, 354, 561, 563, 515, 169, 413, 42, 458, 492, 591, 585, 3, 516, 598, 568 and 510.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 266 and 58.

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson moved that H. F. No. 307, No. 13 on General Or-

ders, be re-referred to the Committee on Drainage, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 307,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Larson moved S. F. No. 229, No. 75 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 229,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Fowler moved that S. F. No. 12, No. 19 or General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 12,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sageng offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that beginning Wednesday, March 12, unless otherwise ordered, two sessions of the Senate be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each. The forenoon session of said days shall begin at 10 o'clock A. M., and continue till 12. The afternoon session shall begin at 2 and continue till 4 o'clock P. M.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Rask in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the Committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Rask reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 31, 231, 357, 449, 406, 459, 211, 460, 299, 300, 420 and 423.

Also

H. F. Nos. 172 and 129,

Which the Committee recommends to pass.

S. F. 173, 232, 40, 131, 110, 65, 294, 156, 108, 8, 214, 126, 12, 401, 308, 263, 383, 445, 457, 446, 408, 405, 421, 426, 491, 456 and 455.

Also

H. F. Nos. 7, 305, 307, 427, 79 and 120.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 236,

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Peterson—

Amend S. F. No. 236 as follows:

First Amendment—Strike out all of Section 9 and renumber Section 10 as Section 9.

Second Amendment—Insert in line 3 of Section 4 of the printed bill after the word “office” the following sentence, “The cost of such bonds shall be paid from the funds hereinafter provided.”

Third Amendment—Amend line 1, Section 7, of the printed bill by striking out the word “knowingly” and insert in lieu thereof the word “negligently.”

Fourth Amendment—Amend line 3 of Section 7 of the printed bill by striking out the word “persons” where it occurs therein and insert in lieu thereof the words “any person.”

Fifth Amendment—Amend line 2 in Section 8 of the printed bill by inserting the character (“) before the word “deputy.”

Sixth Amendment—Amend lines 3 and 4 in said Section 8 of the printed bill by striking therefrom all of the words after the word “certificate” and insert in lieu thereof after said word “certificate” the following words and figures: “Made by him is issued under the authority of any officer or person connected with such department and is hereby prohibited from otherwise deceiving or misleading the public as to the inspection or any certification of inspection of seed potatoes.”

Seventh Amendment—Amend by striking from the title the following words “and appropriating money for its use.”

Which amendments were adopted.

S. F. No. 262,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Baldwin—

Amend S. F. No. 262 as follows:

1. By striking out of the printed bill all of Sections 3 and 4.
2. By numbering Sections 5 and 6 of the printed bill as Sections 3 and 4 respectively.

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Baldwin—

Amend the title of the Printed Bill of S. F. No. 262 by striking out all that part of the title after the word "Park" in the first line of said title.

Which amendments were adopted.

Also

H. F. No. 122.

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Naplin—

Amend H. F. No. 122, by striking out the word "three" in Section 1, line 3 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "two."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rask then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, March 6, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Adams was excused for the balance of the week.

Mr. Coleman was excused for tomorrow.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A petition from the members of the Bertha Farm Produce Co., Bertha, Minnesota, was read, ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 683, A bill for an act to amend Section 8673, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the conducting of public pool or billiard halls or rooms, or public bowling alleys, and prescribing the time when the same shall be closed and remain closed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 684, A bill for an act to amend Sections 5480, 5481, 5482 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes of 1913, creating a State Drainage Commission and defining the duties and authorities thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Sageng introduced—

S. F. No. 685, A bill for an act authorizing the State Auditor to grant temporary rights of way across state lands, requiring logging railroads to secure permits to cross state lands, requiring logging railroads to haul freight for the public under the supervision of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 686, A bill for an act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 687, A bill for an act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, relating to transient merchants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 688, A bill for an act to amend Section 2763, General

Statutes 1913, relating to depositories of funds in independent school districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House desires to recall from the Senate the following Senate File for the purpose of amendment and further consideration:

S. F. No. 362, A bill for an act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings in Probate Court and attorneys' lien therein, and to repeal Chapter 21 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1905, relating to the same subject.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 6, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Brooks moved that the request of the House for the recall of S. F. No. 362 be acceded to.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Brooks then moved that S. F. No. 362 be recalled from the enrolling clerk.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 362 was recalled from the enrolling clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 689, A bill for an act to reimburse William L. Carss for moneys paid in connection with purchase, under executory contracts, from the state of certain swamp lands.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 690, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.

•Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Cosgrove introduced—

S. F. No. 691, A bill for an act requiring the State Auditor and State Treasurer to credit the State Agricultural Society with interest earnings on money received by the society from the operation of the State Fair, rentals and sale of property and deposited with the State Treasurer.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 692, A concurrent resolution creating a commission for the codification and revision of the laws relative to legal publications in newspapers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 693, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compensate Mrs. Herman Teichroew for the death of her husband due to injuries sustained in the course of his employment as a state weigher.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 694, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 200 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1876, and Chapter 92 of the Special Laws of the year 1881, and acts confirmatory and amendatory thereof, by adding a provision for a department of the Municipal Court of the City of Stillwater to be known as the Court of Conciliation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 695, A bill for an act to establish a Municipal Court in the village of Ironton, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

•Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Swanson moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 695, A bill for an act to establish a Municipal Court in the village of Ironton, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 695,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 695, A bill for an act to establish a Municipal Court in the village of Ironton, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 696, A bill for an act abolishing the Minnesota State Board of Immigration and repealing Sections 3947, 3948, 3949, 3950, 3951 and 3952 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Chapter 23A of said General Statutes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 100, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of the county commissioners in counties of this State having not less than 100 nor more than 137 congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 24, A bill for an act to amend Section 5805, General Statutes 1913, relating to Interest Rates.

H. F. No. 222, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.

H. F. No. 352, A concurrent resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to cooperate with the Dominion of Canada in the enlarged canalization of the St. Lawrence River for the passage of ocean going vessels into the Great Lakes, thus connecting the heart of the continent with both the coastwise and foreign commerce of the high seas.

H. F. No. 247, A bill for an act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the state constitution.

H. F. No. 402, A bill for an act to amend Section 9012, General Statutes 1913, relating to desecration of the flag.

H. F. No. 364, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission", defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the State of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August 1918, and appropriating money therefore.

H. F. No. 362, A bill for an act relating to reinsurance by insurers authorized to issue policies in this state.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 5, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 247, A bill for an act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the state constitution.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. F. No. 352, A concurrent resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to cooperate with the Dominion of Canada in the enlarged canalization of the St. Lawrence River for the passage of ocean going vessels into the Great Lakes, thus connecting the heart of the continent with both the coastwise and foreign commerce of the high seas.

Was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 352 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 72, No. 48 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 72 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 352,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 72,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 222, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. F. No. 24, A bill for an act to amend Section 5805, General Statutes 1913, relating to interest rates.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 402, A bill for an act to amend Section 9012, General Statutes 1913, relating to desecration of the flag.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 364, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission", defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the State of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August 1918, and appropriating money therefore.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 364 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 408, No. 28 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 408 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 364,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 408,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 362, A bill for an act relating to reinsurance by insurers authorized to issue policies in this state.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 564, A bill for an act amending Section 5224, General Statutes 1913, relating to sales of state land and land sales manager.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 681, A bill for an act to amend Section 5219, General Statutes 1913, providing for the appraisal of state lands, appointment of appraisers and their compensation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 6, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Amend the title of the bill by striking out the period after the word "thereof" and adding thereafter the following words, "and providing penalties for altering, changing or obliterating motor or license numbers on motor vehicles.

2. Strike out all of the bill after the enacting clause and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 1. Within ninety days after the passage of this act the owner of any motor vehicle in this state shall register the title to each motor vehicle owned by him as hereinafter pro-

vided, and until so registered such vehicle shall not be licensed by the Secretary of State.

Section 2. The owner shall make application in writing to the Register of Deeds of the county of his residence or, if a non-resident owning a motor vehicle in this state, to the Register of Deeds of the county where such motor vehicle is kept when not in use, stating the motor number, the model and make of such motor vehicle, the name of the person from whom it was purchased or obtained, and the date of such purchases and requesting that title thereto be registered in the name of the applicant. Then shall be paid to the Register of Deeds a registration fee of fifty (50) cents upon filing of original application or any assignment of certificate of title.

Section 3. Said application shall be executed and acknowledged as in the case of deeds and shall be filed with the Register of Deeds.

Section 4. Thereupon the Register of Deeds, unless it appears that the applicant is unlawfully in possession of such motor vehicle, shall issue a certificate of title to the applicant in the following form:

Register of Deeds Office
..... County.
State of Minnesota.
Certificate of Title.
No.

State of Minnesota }
County of } ss.

This is to certify that resid-
ing at in County of
..... and State of Minnesota, has duly made
application for registration of title to motor vehicle hereinafter
described, and that it appears that said
is the owner of the following motor vehicle, motor number
..... make model and that he
purchased same from on 19...

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name
and affixed the seal of my office this day of
..... 19.....

.....
Register of Deeds,

In and for the County of State
of Minnesota.

(Seal)

Section 5. A form of Assignment of Title shall be printed upon the back of said certificate as follows:

Assignment of Title to Motor Vehicle Registered Under Certificate Number

State of Minnesota }
County of } ss.

On this day of 19...., I
..... of the County of
State of Minnesota, for value received, do hereby sell, assign,
transfer and set over all my right, title and interest in and to
the motor vehicle as designated by Certificate of Title number
....., and hereby authorize the Register of Deeds of
..... County to issue a Certificate of Title to
.....

Witnesses:

.....
.....

.....

Signature of Vendor.

and also the form provided by law for the taking of acknowledgments.

Section 6. Upon the surrender of such "Certificate of Title" and "Assignment" properly executed, and upon filing the same with the Register of Deeds of the county specified in the assignment, such register of deeds shall issue a certificate of title to such assignee, and cancel the original of the surrendered duplicate.

Section 7. All sales, assignments or attempted sales or transfers of motor vehicles in this state, title to which has not been registered and assigned as herein provided shall be void.

Section 8. No bill of sale or other instrument in writing purporting to assign any interest in a motor vehicle shall be evidence of a sale or assignment.

Section 9. The Register of Deeds in the several counties of this state shall be furnished by the county with proper books and files for indexing and filing "Application for Registration" and with a sufficient number of blank forms for "Certificates of Title" and duplicates with "Assignments" thereon bound in book form and consecutively numbered. Each "Certificate of Title" shall be executed in duplicate and the original shall be retained by the Register of Deeds issuing the same.

Section 10. Upon the request of any peace officer the person in possession of a motor vehicle shall produce a "Certificate of Title" or if he has no such certificate, he shall state to whom such motor vehicle belongs and explain how he obtained possession of it. Upon his failure to produce such certificate or to render a satisfactory explanation of his possession of such motor vehicle, it may be taken possession of by such officer and held pending further investigation. Any constable, sheriff, police officer or other peace officer of any town, village, county or city of this state shall have the right at any time to enter any public or private garage or building for the purpose of inspection of any motor vehicle therein contained to ascertain if any provision of this act is being violated, and the person in charge of any such public or private garage or building shall, upon demand, permit the entry of such officer and the inspection of such vehicle or vehicles.

Section 11. Motor vehicles within this state for temporary purposes only shall not be subject to the provisions of this chapter. Motor vehicles within this state for more than ninety days shall not be deemed to be here for temporary purposes, but the owners thereof shall register title thereto as provided herein.

Section 12. Any person who shall make or attempt to make any material alteration of any certificate of title or who shall make, exhibit or have in his possession any substitute therefor, not issued by the proper authorities, or imitation or attempted imitation thereof, or who shall alter, change or obliterate the motor number or change the license number of any such motor vehicle registered under this act, shall be deemed guilty of a felony and shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for not more than ten years. Any persons who violate any other provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days.

Section 13. All acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 271, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 459, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 477, A bill for an act to repeal Section 113, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to salaries of state officers and employees.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 539, A bill for an act entitled, An act requiring persons appointed as deputy sheriffs, by the sheriffs of the counties of the State of Minnesota to be residents of the State of Minnesota and citizens of the United States of America.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 649, A bill for an act providing for the reimbursement of county auditors for expenses incurred in attending meetings called by the Tax Commission to confer in regard to assessments and taxation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 548, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 89, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to an act fixing the clerk hire for county treasurer in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 616, A bill for an act authorizing the Register of Deeds in any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 50 nor more than 70 full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of not more than \$3,000,000, to engage in the abstract business in said county.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 616 by striking out in line 6, Section 1, the comma (,) and the words "either individually or as a member of a co-partnership or."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 521, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 202, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the salary of Register of Deeds in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words and figures "two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00)" where they occur in the ninth line of the first section of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following words and figures: "not less than two thousand (\$2,000) dollars and not to exceed three thousand (\$3,000) dollars."

And, when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 546, A bill for an act fixing the salary of judges of Probate Court in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 549, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section one (1), Article fourteen (14) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota relative to the adoption of constitutional amendments.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 612, A bill for an act relating to legislative contests in case of persons declared elected to the state legislature, and to the issuing of certificate of election to the one found to receive the highest number of votes, and to the taking and returning of evidence to the legislature.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "ten" where it occurs in line 12 of the original bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 140, A bill for an act relating to the circulation of false or defamatory circulars for political purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 140,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 158, A bill for an act providing for an amendment to Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to the method of altering or amending said Constitution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 158,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 478, A bill for an act to amend sub-division 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 459 Session Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to salaries of certain state officers and employes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 478,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 559, A bill for an act providing for the issue of permits to prospect for iron ore on lands belonging to the State, or in which the state has an interest, and leases for the mining of such ore.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 576, A bill for an act to amend Section 3, Chapter 335, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909, same being Section 238, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of clerks of the District Court in certain counties in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 520, A bill for an act authorizing any county of this state which now is or hereafter may be so located with reference

to another state, that it is desirable and necessary for the public interests to construct a highway across a portion of such adjoining state, to appropriate and expend county road funds of such county in acquiring a road right of way across such state and constructing and maintaining thereon a highway leading therefrom into this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 483, A bill for an act to amend Section 6142 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, providing a minimum capitalization of mortgage loan and land companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to develop the agricultural resources of the State of Minnesota by land colonization within the state, and creating a State Colonization Commission.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Loonam was excused for the balance of the day.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1 of Section 1 of Chapter 138, Laws of 1915, relating to insurance corporations, describing the kind of business such corporations may transact and repealing Chapter 276, Laws of 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 363, A bill for an act to authorize the publication of the summary of the annual statements of insurance companies in certain insurance trade journals.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "as to any one of the three most populous counties in the state," as the same appear in the fourth and fifth lines of Section 1 of said bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 452, A bill for an act to amend Section 3255, General Statutes of 1913, relating to insurance.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 523, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 195, Laws 1915, being an act entitled, An act relating to insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties for violation thereof; and for the repeal of Chapters 107, 223, 514, Laws 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 621, A bill for an act relating to fire insurance policies on motor vehicles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 529, A bill for an act relating to life or casualty insurance upon the co-operative or assessment plan.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 292, A bill for an act relating to reinsurance by insurers authorized to issue policies in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred.

S. F. No. 461, A bill for an act requiring fraternal benefit societies collecting from members in this state different rates for like risks and benefits to keep separate accounts and funds, and prescribing the purposes for which such funds may be used.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 362, A bill for an act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings in Probate Court and attorneys' liens therein, and to repeal Chapter 21 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1905, relating to the same subject.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 6, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Fowler moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 362, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 564, 681, 271, 477, 539, 649, 548, 616, 521, 546, 549, 612, 559, 576, 520, 483, 467, 255, 363, 452, 523, 621, 529, 292 and 461.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 6,

Was read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 163, No. 105 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGarry moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Mr. McGarry moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 163, A bill for an act providing for the Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions board; defining its powers and duties and appropriating money for carrying out the purposes thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Benson moved to amend S. F. No. 163, by adding at the end of Section 4 thereof the following: "Said board shall not incur any liability against the state except as appropriations may be made therefor by the legislature."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays 20, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Benson,	Frickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Besette,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Sageng,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hall,	Nord,	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Nolan,
Blomgren,	Cliff,	Hopp,	Lee,	Rockne,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Millett,	Schmechel,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng nominated Frank E. Putnam for President pro tem of the Senate.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., seconded the nomination.

There being no other nominations and the question being taken on the election, Mr. Putnam, by a rising vote, was unanimously elected President pro tem of the Senate.

Mr. Baldwin moved that when the Senate do adjourn, it be until 9:00 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carley moved that H. F. No. 328, No. 69 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 328,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Vibert moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 559 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Nord moved that the President of the Senate is hereby directed to invite Mr. Will H. Hayes, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, to visit the Senate, a non-party organization, tomorrow morning for a talk.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette moved that H. F. No. 364, No. 28 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 364.

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sageng moved that H. F. No. 19 be recalled from the Committee on Education.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 19,

Was recalled from the Committee on Education.

Mr. Sageng then moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 19 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 8, No. 12 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 8 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 19,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 8,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 11:30 A. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. No. 501.

S. F. No. 501, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the County Board of the several counties in this state under the conditions named in this act to make all necessary orders directing the improvement hereinafter provided for, to secure the removal of trees, brush, stumps, and other like material from land suitable for cultivation and for the prevention of forest fires and the drying up of said land and improvement of the general welfare, to provide the funds therefor and to levy the cost for the construction of such improvement upon the lands benefitted.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Cliff offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 501 and moved its adoption—

Amend Section 3 by striking out all that portion of said section after the word "include" where it appears in line 4 of the printed bill and before the word "and" where it appears in line 21 and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

"not less than one thousand (1000) acres of land in said county affected by the proposed improvement suitable for agricultural use and not less than three hundred (300) acres of which is to be improved under the provisions of this act therein describing each tract of land, a portion of which is to be improved by 40-acre tracts or by number of lots as designated under government survey, therein specifying the number of acres of each tract that is proposed to have improved which shall be not less than five (5) nor more than twenty (20) acres in each 40-acre tract and a proportionately less amount in smaller subdivisions, unless the condition of the land is such that the improvement of the public health or the protection from forest fires renders necessary the improvement of a larger area. Said land shall be situated in the same locality or part of the county, as near as practicable so as to affect a general improvement of the public health and general welfare of the territory affected, and in all cases land not owned by a petitioner can be included in said petition only when it is alleged and shall appear that the condition of said land is such that it is a menace to the community, either as affecting the public health or causing dangerous exposure to forest fires. Said petition shall further set forth the nature and the condition of the land, the material to be removed, the necessity therefor, and the improvement and betterment that will result to the land and the community therefrom, and that said improvement if ordered and constructed, will result in the improvement of the public health and

general welfare of that community, will materially lessen the danger from forest fires."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 501 by inserting at the end of said Senate File a new section to be known as Section Sixteen (16) to read as follows: "None of the provisions of this act shall in any way apply to state school lands, state timber lands or state swamp lands or any other lands owned by the State of Minnesota, and renumbering Section Sixteen as Section Seventeen.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Cliff offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 501 and moved its adoption—

Amend Section 4 by inserting the word "total" between the words "the" and "cost" appearing in line 15 of the printed bill. Strike out all that portion of line 15 after the word "improvement" and that portion of line 16 prior to the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof, the following: "including expenses, which report"

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Cliff offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 501 and moved its adoption—

Amend Section 10 of the printed bill by striking out the words "this expense" appearing in line 5 and insert in lieu thereof the words "the improvement" and strike out in line 5 the words "and improvement" and insert in lieu thereof the words "and expense." Strike out all of line 6 after the word "that," all of line 7 and all of line 8 up to and including the word "community" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"the facts set forth in the petition are true and that said improvement will be of public utility and benefit and will result in the improvement of the public health and general welfare of that community, will materially lessen the danger from forest fires, will prepare the land described for use and occupation for agricultural purposes and will materially aid in the development of the community and promote those conditions that will render the locality suitable for habitation and social development."

Amend Section 12 by striking out the last two words in line 6 where they appear in the printed bill, viz.: "for the" and the first two words of line 7 "whole or" and also strike out of line 7 the words "land on" where they appear after the word "of" and before the word "the".

Strike out of line 8 the word "or" where it appears between the words "engineer's" and "appraisers'" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and."

Amend Section 15 of the printed bill by inserting in line 5 between the word "tract" and "together" the words "so far as practicable."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 501 be re-printed as amended, and placed at the head of the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS--CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved, That the following named person, Vernon Loughran, be and is hereby appointed for the position as general stenographer at the compensation of five dollars per day from Feb. 27, 1919.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rockne,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Johnson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That there be paid to W. W. Wilcox out of monies appropriated to defray the expenses of the Legislature, the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty (\$750) dollars to reimburse him for his expenses and disbursements including attorney's fees paid out and incurred in the contest instituted and prosecuted against him by G. H. Sullivan for the office of Senator from the 43d Senatorial District of this state, and that the Secretary of the Senate be and hereby is authorized to draw his warrant on

the State Treasury of this state for said sum in favor of said W. W. Wilcox payable out of the funds appropriated for said legislative expenses.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that S. F. No. 28, No. 1 on the Calendar, be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary, retaining its place on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 28,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 58, No. 136 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 58,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 695, A bill for an act to establish a Municipal Court in the village of Ironton, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

March 6, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved that H. F. No. 19 be printed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fowler moved at 1:15 P. M. that the Senate do recess until 3 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3:00 P. M.

Mr. Fowler moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,	

Mr. Fowler moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 258, A bill for an act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on County road work under the provisions of Chapter 182, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, in any county of this State now or hereafter having an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 87, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of certain corporations, whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporations made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Fowler moved to amend H. F. No. 87 as follows:

In line 1 of Section 1 of the printed bill strike out the words "for pecuniary profit."

In line 2 of Section 1 of the printed bill strike out the words "less than two years prior to the passage of this act."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Besette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Ronniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Vibert.
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 285, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salaries of County Commissioners.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Lee moved to amend S. F. No. 285 by striking out the 4th paragraph of Section 1 beginning with the word "in" in line eight and ending with the word "dollars" in the line nine and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "in counties whose assessed valuation is more than six million dollars (\$6,000,000) and does not exceed twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000) the sum of three hundred twenty-five dollars (\$325.00.)

In counties whose assessed valuation is more than twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000) and does not exceed twenty million dollars (\$20,000,000) the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400.00.)

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 285 by adding thereto after the word "county" in line 20 of the printed bill the following paragraph:

"Provided, however, that this act shall not be construed as repealing or amending any of the provisions of Chapters 85, 88, 95 or 298 all of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915,

or any acts amendatory thereof; nor as repealing or amending any of the provisions of Chapters 94, 114, 152, 175, 275, 301 or 489, all of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917 or Chapter 23, Laws of 1919, or any acts amendatory thereof."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell, Madigan,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 120, A bill for an act requiring the owner of premises on which barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown; to destroy the same, declaring the same to be a public nuisance and imposing certain powers and duties with reference to the same on the state entomologist.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 228, A bill for an act defining and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hall moved to amend H. F. No. 228 by striking out of lines five and six of Section 6 of the printed bill all after the word "of" in said line five to and including the word "equivalent" in line six and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "eight months each, or more, no two of which courses shall be taken in any one year."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays 2,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Besette,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Callahan,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Coleman, Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that the vote where by S. F. No. 258 was passed, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No., 188, A bill for an act to amend Section 2148, General Statutes 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sale.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays 1,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Carley,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Adams voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, March 7, 1919.

The Senate met at 9 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. John William Bagot of Minneapolis.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names.

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cofemarr,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Fowler was excused for today. Messrs. Larson, Lindsley, Naplin, Widell, Vibert, Millett, Erickson, Nolan, Lee, Benson, Blomgren, Sullivan, J. D., Cumming and Stepan were excused for tomorrow.

Mr. Gandrud was excused for tomorrow and Monday.

Mr. Boylan was excused until Wednesday of next week.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 697, A bill for an act to appropriate money to State Board of Control for the purpose of removing weeds from certain public waters in this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Brooks (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 698, A bill for an act relating to lost, stolen and unclaimed property in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by a home rule charter

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 699, A bill for an act to amend Section 8781, General Statutes 1913, relating to guarding ice cutting.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 700, A bill for an act to authorize an additional assessment and the issue and sale of additional bonds in certain county and judicial ditch proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Madigan introduced—

S. F. No. 701, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the purchase of a suitable site and the erection of a monument thereon in commemoration of the Dustin family killed by the Indians in Wright County, Minnesota, on June 29th, 1863.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 702, A bill for an act permitting the discharge of the overflow from sewerage treatment plants into public drainage ditches under certain conditions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Benson introduced--

S. F. No. 703, A bill for an act to appropriate money for publishing the reports of the State Dairymen's Association, and for the payment of expenses in connection with its work.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Palmer introduced--

S. F. No. 704, A bill for an act to levy a tax to provide funds to erect buildings and to acquire property under a comprehensive building plan at the University of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Madigan introduced--

S. F. No. 705, A bill for an act for the relief of William Klicke, and to appropriate money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Coleman introduced--

S. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 210 of the Laws of 1915 of Minnesota, known as the act for the regulation of warehousemen in cities of the first class other than grain and cold storage warehouses.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Cashel introduced--

S. F. No. 707, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 146, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 relating to final examination of accounts of county officers and payment of last month's salary.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Cashel introduced--

S. F. No. 708, A bill for an act to amend Section 7662, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, and to authorize justices of the peace to hear and determine the defense of part performance of an oral contract for the renting and leasing of agricultural lands in actions in forcible entry and unlawful detainer.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 135, A bill for an act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.

H. F. No. 52, A bill for an act to amend Section 355, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Section 1, Laws 1915, and to amend Section 336, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 167, Section 3, Laws 1915, relating to Primary Elections.

H. F. No. 140, A bill for an act declaring the business of making abstracts of title to real estate a public calling and prescribing the fees to be charged or collected for making such abstracts.

H. F. No. 449, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section one (1) Article nine (9) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota relating to taxation:

H. F. No. 478, A bill for an act to validate certain debts contracted, and pecuniary liabilities incurred, by the authorities of counties of this State, having a population of less than 16,000 inhabitants, in certain cases.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 159, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants, owning a hospital, to levy annually a tax of not exceeding one mill for the purpose of operating and maintaining such hospital.

S. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to authorize County Commissioners to appropriate moneys to assist in the construction, improvement and maintenance of connecting roads and streets, and bridges thereon, in certain cities.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted.

H. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend sub-division 4 of Section 8375, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the competency of witnesses.

H. F. No. 147, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor

and of Assistant Actuary and repealing Subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 6, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 52, A bill for an act to amend Section 355, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Section 1, Laws 1915, and to amend Section 336, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 167, Section 3, Laws 1915, relating to Primary Elections.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend sub-division 4 of Section 8375, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the competency of witnesses.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 135, A bill for an act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. F. No. 140, A bill for an act declaring the business of making abstracts of title to real estate a public calling and prescribing the fees to be charged or collected for making such abstracts.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 147, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing Subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

H. F. No. 449, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to taxation.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the rules be suspended, that—

H. F. No. 449 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 19, No. 5 on Calendar, and that S. F. No. 19 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 449,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 19,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 478, A bill for an act to validate certain debts contracted, and pecuniary liabilities incurred, by the authorities of counties of this State, having a population of less than 16,000 inhabitants, in certain cases.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 624, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4476, 4477, 4478, 4479, 4481, 4483, 4489, 4497 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the general supervision of the grain interests of the State and to repeal acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 665, A bill for an act to provide for an annual farm census.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Section 7522 of the General Statutes 1913, relating to the time when pleadings in justices' courts shall take place.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of the new matter where the same occurs in the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th lines of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following: "Unless the defendant at the time the summons is returnable shall be required by order of the court to plead, he shall have right to plead at the time to which the cause is continued."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 601. A bill for an act to amend Section 9206, General Statutes of 1913, relating to argument upon trial.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 601—

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 694, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 200 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1876, and Chapter 92 of the Special Laws of the year 1881, and acts confirmatory and amendatory thereof, by adding a provision for a department of the municipal court of the city of Stillwater to be known as the court of conciliation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 536, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof in acquiring a site, constructing and equipping a city hall.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the period at the end of Section 5 and inserting the following: "Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to repeal or modify the provisions of any such charter, requiring the issuance of bonds to be submitted to a vote of the electors."

And further amend by inserting before the first word of the title, "A Bill For."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 536, A bill for an act, entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof in acquiring a site, constructing and equipping a City Hall.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 536,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 536, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof in acquiring a site, constructing and equipping a City Hall.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Frickson,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gierset,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Jackson,	Nord,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Johnson,	Orr,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 178, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employes sustaining personal injury.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause of the same and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 1. Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 18. Medical, Surgical and Hospital Service—Such medical, surgical and hospital treatment, including nursing, medicines, medical and surgical supplies, crutches and apparatus, including artificial members, as may reasonably be required at the time of the injury and during the disability for not exceeding ninety (90) days and not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) in value, to cure and relieve from the effects of the injury; provided, however, that upon request by the employe made during or after said period of ninety (90) days and necessity being shown therefor, the court may require the above treatment, articles and supplies for the cure and relief from the effects of such injury for such further time and amount as is just under the facts shown.

The above treatment, articles and supplies shall be provided by the employer and in case of his inability or refusal seasonably to do so, the employer shall be liable for the reasonable expense incurred by or on behalf of the employe in providing the same.

The pecuniary liability of the employer for the treatment, articles and supplies herein required, shall be limited to such charges therefore as prevail in the same community for similar treatment, articles and supplies furnished to injured persons of a like standard of living, when the same are paid for by the injured persons; and in all cases of dispute as to the value of the treatment, articles and (Or) supplies furnished to or for an injured employe, either party may require that the same, before payment, shall be approved by

the court, upon such reasonable notice to interested parties as the court shall require.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 636, A bill for an act to require employers who make deductions from the wages of employes for benefit funds, to have a license from the Commissioner of Insurance and providing a penalty.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 655, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employes for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to amend subsection "O" of Section 8230, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employe and workman and excepting therefrom, employes of cities governed by home rule charters, who are compensated under the terms of said charters.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

towns, having a population of not less than five thousand, and an

S. F. No. 462, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and

assessed valuation of not less than ten million and not covered by any special charter adopted by such village, pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, State Constitution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 462 was re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 557, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1204 and 1205, General Statutes 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 557, 624, 665, 694, 178 and 636,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 226, 655 and 207,

Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 98, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 10 of Section 696 General Statutes 1913 relating to an appropriation by certain counties for a soldiers' and sailors' monument.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Boylan,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Larson,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Lee,
Benson,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Lindsley,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	McGarry,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Nord,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hall,	Kuntz,	Palmer,

Peterson,	Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Turnham,	Widell,
Putnam,	Rockne,	Stepan,	Van Hoven,	Wold,
Rask,	Romberg,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Vibert,	
Reed,	Sageng,	Sullivan, J. D.,		

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 80, A bill for an act to amend Section 3653, Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, the same being Section 7243 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as the same is amended by Chapter 350 of the laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the descent of personal estate and distribution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 429, A bill for an act to amend Section 2979 General Statutes 1913, relating to compulsory school attendance, and to establish the English language as the basic language of instruction.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Benson moved to amend S. F. No. 429, printed bill, by striking out the following in line 3, to wit: "Sec. 2." And further amend by renumbering Section 3 as Section 2.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,
Benson,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Cumming,	Gandrud,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Denegre,	Gillam,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Conroy,	Dwyer,	Gjerset,

Hall,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Reed,	Stepan,
Hamer,	Larson,	Nolan,	Ribenack,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Hopp,	Lee,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Jackson,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Swanson,
Johnson,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Turnham,
Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Widell,

Mr. Anderson voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 242, A bill for an act entitled, An act relating to street improvements in cities of the fourth class, and in villages, and to the payment of the cost thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 242, by adding thereto immediately following the word "assessment" in line 9 of Section 12, the following:

Section 12a. The provisions of this act shall not modify or repeal the provisions of the city charter of any city of the fourth class having a home rule charter, but any such city may, however, avail itself of the benefits of this act by ordinance duly passed by the governing body thereof.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegr,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,

Mr. Peterson voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 600, A bill for an act relating to the organization of banks, and prescribing the duties of the State Securities Commission, and the Superintendent of Banks, in respect thereto.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Nolan moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,

Mr. Nolan moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays 10, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	

Those who voted in the negative were :

Boylan,	Erickson,	Lee,	Romberg,	Stepan,
Conroy,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Swanson,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin moved at 10:55 A. M. that the Senate do recess until 3:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3:30 P. M.

Mr. Jackson moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Besette,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Reed,	
Brooks,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Mr. Jackson moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 359, A bill for an act to validate disbursements heretofore made by any county for the purpose of equipping any company or companies of the Minnesota Home Guard or any motor corps of said county.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45, and nays one, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Besette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,

Mr. Devold voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 372, A bill for an act to amend Section 1177, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Besette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 90, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in foundries, prescribing standard rules and regulations therefor and providing penalties for violations of the act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Besette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages or boroughs of unplatted agricultural lands included within the corporate limits of such villages or boroughs in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Besette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Widell,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 204, A bill for an act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the State Constitution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 189, A bill for an act relating to vacating judgments in criminal cases for perjury and subornation of perjury and other fraudulent acts and refundment of fines and costs paid therein.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 441, A bill for an act to amend Section 7305, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the making of verified inventories by executors and administrators, and returning the same to Probate Courts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 314, A bill for an act to amend Section 220, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relative to fees on deposits of money in court.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 130, A bill for an act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	

Mr. Devold voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 109, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6481 and 6483, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to co-operative associations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 390, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Deregre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Rask,	Wold,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Reed,	
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord moved at 4:20 P. M. that the Senate do recess for the purpose of hearing an address by Chairman Will H. Hays of the National Republican Committee.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 4:35 P. M. after having heard an address by Mr. Hays.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 9, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2557, 2558, 2559 and 2560 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to highways.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 670, A bill for an act authorizing the State Board of Control, with the approval of the state auditor, to select from the public lands owned by the state not to exceed four sections of land to be used as a location for the maintenance of a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons, authorizing the improvement of such lands by the state board of control, and providing for the admission of persons thereto, and providing for the transfer of inmates from the colony for epileptics and the school for feeble-minded at Faribault to such colonies, and directing the withdrawal of the lands selected from sale or disposition.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended, and that—
S. F. No. 670 be given its second reading and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 670,

Was read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 357, A bill for an act authorizing the State Auditor to allow the construction and use of school houses in certain State Parks.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Rask,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 449, A bill for an act to authorize the State Auditor to lease the surface of any unsold state land for additional room for stockpiling, storing, handling, or depositing thereon and removal therefrom of ore, ore material, stripping or waste taken from other state lands under State Mineral Lease.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Erickson,	Hamer,
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Hopp,
Benson,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Jackson,
Bessette,	Carley,	Devold,	Gjerset,	Johnson,
Blomgren,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,

Kuntz,	Madigan,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Swanson,
Larson,	Nolan,	Reed,	Stepan,	Van Hoven,
Lindsley,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Widell,
McGarry,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 231, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 192, Laws 1915, as amended by Chapter 31, Laws 1917, relating to the issuance by the State Auditor of leases on school, university, internal improvement, swamp and other state lands in which the state may have an interest for taking sand, clay, rock, marl, peat and black dirt therefrom, storing thereon ore, waste materials from mines, rock and tailings from ore milling plants, and for building or garden sites and for other uses.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hammer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Rockne and Sullivan, J. D., offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the question of the amount of the salaries to be allowed the newly elected Senators from the Seventeenth, Thirty-fourth and Forty-third legislative districts be referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Expenses, with the request that said committee bring in and report to the Senate a resolution determining the amount of salary for said newly elected Senators.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

The foregoing resolution was accordingly referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that H. F. No. 172 be printed.
Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTIETH DAY.

ST. PAUL, SATURDAY, March 8, 1919.

The Senate met at 9 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. John William Bagot of Minneapolis.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Devold,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Weld,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rockne moved at 9:10 A. M. that the Senate do recess for the purpose of hearing an address by the Honorable Frank B. Kellogg, United States Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 9:20 after having heard an address by Mr. Kellogg.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 709, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 223, General Laws 1917, relating to allowances out of state funds for support of dependent children by counties.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 710, A bill for an act legalizing the execution of leases of a part of armory premises by companies of the National Guard in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sageng introduced—

S. F. No. 711, A bill for an act to provide for the erection of armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 712, A bill for an act to amend Section 3954, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws 1915, and Chapter 205, Laws 1917, relating to admission of persons to the Minnesota soldiers home.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 712, A bill for an act to amend Section 3954, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws 1915, and Chapter 205, Laws 1917, relating to admission of persons to the Minnesota soldiers home.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 712,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 712, A bill for an act to amend Section 3954, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws 1915, and

Chapter 205, Laws 1917, relating to admission of persons to the Minnesota soldiers home.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none,

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Coleman,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED

Mr. Reed introduced—

S. F. No. 713, A bill for an act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of County Free Libraries, and for contracts between boards of county commissioners and existing public libraries.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 714, A bill for an act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 152, Laws of 1915, relating to the control and jurisdiction of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission over telephone companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 715, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 220,000 and less than 300,000 inhabitants, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 716, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 9102, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 717, A bill for an act permitting the discharge of the overflow from sewerage treatment plants into public drainage ditches under certain conditions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Schmechel introduced—

S. F. No. 718, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of County Commissioners.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 719, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 720, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of any city to provide, by resolution, for the exercise by one of the judges of the Municipal Court of any such city of like powers and duties as are granted to and imposed on the conciliation judge of the Municipal Court of the city of Minneapolis by the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 721, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of carbonated and still beverages, commonly known as soft drinks, and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 722, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in

the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Nord introduced--

S. F. No. 723, A bill for an act requiring approval of voters to authorize issuance and sale of drainage bonds, in any county which has a bonded indebtedness on account of county and judicial ditches, equal to or greater than 25% of the assessed valuation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Rask introduced--

S. F. No. 724, A bill for an act to amend Section 4335 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 53 of the General Laws of 1917 prohibiting the granting to or use by any person of any free pass, frank or special privilege withheld from any other person and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Turnham introduced--

S. F. No. 725, A bill for an act legalizing certain appropriations made by county boards to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Mr. Naplin introduced--

S. F. No. 726, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 223 Laws 1917, which said chapter is entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision of such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cashel introduced--

S. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to prescribe the summons in

Municipal Courts in villages and cities of the fourth class, however organized.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Brooks and Orr introduced—

S. F. No. 728, A bill for an act to regulate the hours of opening and closing of freight and express depots, for the purpose of receiving and delivering freight and express.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads .

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 729, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of premiums of the Red River Valley Livestock Association of Crookston, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 730, A bill for an act to amend Section 5710, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, providing that hereafter all seals of Notary Public shall contain the name and address of all Notary Publics hereafter commissioned.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 731, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Hugh M. Hatton for injury sustained by him on the eighteenth day of April, 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 732, A bill for an act to amend Section 8886, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913, relating to receiving stolen property, averment and proof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended by the House in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

S. F. No. 51, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have, or hereafter may have, 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 7, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that S. F. No. 51 be laid on the table.
Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 51,

Was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File herewith returned:

S. F. No. 212, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof, made and entered into within four months prior to April 6, 1917, and vesting in the district court of this state jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 757, A bill for an act relating to the sprinkling of streets in cities of the Fourth Class, and providing for the paying of the expense thereof.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 457, A bill for an act providing the procedure of the Probate Court to secure a grant of title to real estate located in the Dominion of Canada in performance of contract for the sale thereof by deceased person.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 8, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 757, A bill for an act relating to the sprinkling of streets in cities of the Fourth Class, and providing for the paying of the expense thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 457, A bill for an act providing the procedure of the probate court to secure a grant of title to real estate located in the dominion of Canada in performance of contract for the sale thereof by a deceased person.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Ward, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 62, A bill for an act relating to the planting and maintaining of barberry bushes and barberry hedges and providing for destruction thereof.

Reports the same back without recommendation.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Cumming moved that H. F. No. 62 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 62,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bonniwell, from the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 433, A bill for an act authorizing the sale and disposition of that certain frame dwelling owned by the state in connection with the experiment station for the Dairy and Food Department, within one mile of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota, and providing for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 408, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the state of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August, 1918, and appropriating funds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 408,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 364, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the State of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August, 1918, and appropriating funds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 364, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the State of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August, 1918, and appropriating funds therefor.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 364,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 364, A bill for an act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief

in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the State of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August, 1918, and appropriating funds therefor.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none. as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 403, A bill for an act providing for changing the location of farm crossing and the payment of the cost thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By adding at the end of Section 1 the following proviso: "Provided, that if such land owner and the railroad company owning such railroad, are unable to agree on the location of such new crossing, the location thereof shall be fixed by the Railroad and Warehouse Commission."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Insert after the word "county" where it first occurs in line 5 in Section 4 the following sentence: "The moneys so appropriated are to be expended under the direction of the dean of the Department of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota who is hereby empowered to carry out the provisions of this Act."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 480, A bill for an act authorizing the issuance, by the State Board of Investment, of \$1,000,000 certificates of indebtedness, of the State of Minnesota, the proceeds from the sale of which are to be used for the purpose of making second mortgage loans on improved and cultivated lands, and providing for the supervision of such fund by the State Board of Investment.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 433, 403, 602 and 480,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hegnes moved that S. F. No. 204 be recalled from the House.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Orr moved that H. F. No. 362 be recalled from the Committee on Insurance.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 362

Was recalled from the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Orr moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 362

be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 292, No. 160 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 292 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 362

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 292

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Senate pass over the Calendar and proceed to the consideration of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Rockne in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Rockne reported that the committee had considered:

S. F. Nos. 383, 491, 397, 468, 396, 234, 84, 181, 471, 341, 393, 507, 567, 311, 316, 499, 358, 451, 436, 438, 437, 439, 432 and 479.

Also

H. F. Nos. 7, 305, 79, 120, 352 and 155.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 40, 131, 110, 65, 294, 156, 108, 214, 126, 12, 401, 263, 236, 445, 457, 446, 405, 421, 426, 456, 455, 399, 453, 466, 450, 160, 463, 229, 352, 394, 395, 398.

Also

H. F. Nos. 19, 307, 427 and 328.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 308,

Which the committee recommended to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Turnham:

Amend S. F. No. 308 by striking out the words "one-fifth" where they appear in the 32nd and 33rd lines of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "two-fifths."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Kuntz offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 308:

By inserting in line 4 of Section 1 of the printed bill after the word "separately" and before the word "erect" the words "lease or".

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Turnham:

Amend S. F. No. 308 as follows: By striking out all of line 41 of Section 1 where it appears in the printed bill.

Which amendments were adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 284,

Which the committee recommended to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Rockne:

Amend S. F. No. 284 by striking out all of Section 5 of said bill and renumbering Section 6 as Section 5.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 190,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Brooks:

Strike out in line 3 of Section 1 the words "second Monday" and insert in lieu thereof the words "first Tuesday after the first Monday."

Further amend by striking out the words "second Monday" where they appear in line 1 of Section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof "first Tuesday after the first Monday."

Further amend by striking out the words "July 1" in line 2 of Section 4 and inserting in lieu thereof "the first Monday in July".

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 81,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Guilford:

Amend S. F. No. 81 by striking out the word "motor" where the same appears in line 3 of the title of said act.

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 482,

Which the committee recommended to pass with the following amendment, and further privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Mr. Wold moved to amend S. F. No. 482 by inserting after the figure 1 a comma, and adding the figure 8, in the first line of the title.

Further amend by inserting immediately after Section 1 the following:

"Section 2. That Section 8 of Chapter 199, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 8. Any person employed as teacher, when this act takes effect, in any public school in this state or in any other educational institution included in Section 1 of this act shall be permitted to become a member of the fund association and to receive the benefits of this act, if application be made in writing to the board of trustees of the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund on or before September 1, 1917, except with reference to those whose major work is in a school of agriculture under the control of the said State University, and with reference to those, if application be made as aforesaid on or before September 1, 1919. At the time of making application to the board of trustees as herein provided, such teachers shall notify the local school board or managing body of the institution in which he or she is employed, in writing, of his or her election to come within the provisions of this act, and shall authorize said board or managing body as a part of said notice to deduct or withhold on every payday from his or her salary the amount which he or she would pay into the fund, as specified in Section 2.

Any person who shall accept employment in this state as a teacher, as herein above defined, after September 1, 1915, and who shall not have been employed in this state at the time this act takes effect shall by virtue of the acceptance of such employment become subject to all terms, provisions, and conditions of this act, and shall become a member of the Fund Association.

Further amend by renumbering Section 2 of the printed bill to read Section 3.

Further amend by inserting after the word "years" where it appears the second time in line 17 of the printed bill, the following: "Prior to the year 1915."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. Nos. 218 and 305,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Mr. Rockne then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for the recall of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 204, A bill for an act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the State Constitution.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 8th, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hegnes moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 204 was passed, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hegnes moved that H. F. No. 247 be recalled from the Committee on Elections.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 247,

Was recalled from the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Hegnes moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 247 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 204, No. 21 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 204 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 247,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 204,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 624, No. 163 on General Orders, be advanced to the head of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cumming moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2:00 o'clock P. M. Wednesday March 12, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, March 12, 1919.

The Senate met at 2 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Besene,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Widell was excused for today and tomorrow.

Mr. Orr was excused for the balance of the week.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES

A petition from the Farmers' Grain Dealers' Association of North Dakota was read, ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, March 7, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 66, An act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the office of county treasurers, in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) of more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million nor more than ten million dollars.

S. F. No. 100, An act to fix the salaries of county commissioners in counties of this state having not less than 100 nor more than 137 congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.

S. F. No. 207, An act to authorize the valuation of bonds and other securities, by insurance companies and fraternal beneficiary associations, by the amortization method.

S. F. No. 695, An act to establish a municipal court in the village of Ironton, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, March 11, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 159, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants, owning a hospital, to levy annually a tax of not exceeding one mill for the purpose of operating and maintaining such hospital.

S. F. No. 212, An act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof, made and entered into within four months prior to April 6, 1917, and vesting in the District Court of this state jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

S. F. No. 302, An act to authorize county commissioners to appropriate moneys to assist in the construction, improvement and maintenance of connecting roads and streets, and bridges thereon, in certain cities.

S. F. No. 362, An act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings in probate court and attorneys' liens therein, and to repeal Chapter 21 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1905, relating to the same subject.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 733, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Timber Commissioners to require the purchaser of state lands to cut clean all standing timber upon lands covered by permit issued to said purchaser.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 734, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Timber Commissioners to determine the number of sections of land or fractions thereof to be covered by and described in a timber permit.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 735, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 333, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to commercial fishing in Lake Superior, and the size of nets to be used.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 736, A bill for an act to reimburse L. H. Weil for clothing and furnishings supplied soldiers upon certification of the commanding officer of the National Guard.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 737, A bill for an act to amend Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, of the Laws of Minnesota for 1915 and as amended by Chapter 472, of the Laws of Minnesota for 1917, fixing salaries of County Treasurers in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 200,000 inhabitants or over and not more than 300,000 inhabitants and furnishing help and compensation for said help in County Treasurers' office in such counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 738, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 29, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 37, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act to require all public service corporations doing business within this state to pay their employees at least semi-monthly the wages earned by them, to within fifteen (15) days of the date of such payment, unless prevented by inevitable casualty, and fixing the costs and disbursements in case of default.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 739, A bill for an act authorizing the county attorney of any county in this state to appoint, with the consent of the county board, an assistant county attorney, who shall be paid by the county attorney appointing him.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 740, A bill for an act appropriating money to Cora

Nethaway for the salary of John C. Nethaway as District Judge for the unexpired part of the year 1917, from the time of the death of said John C. Nethaway.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 741, A bill for an act to appropriate the sum of four hundred sixty-five and 34/100 dollars (\$465.34) to Washington County to reimburse said county for expenses in the case of State of Minnesota vs. Frank Chessman.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 742, A bill for an act authorizing cities or villages in this state by a majority vote of the council thereof to modify the conditions upon which lands have been heretofore or may hereafter be deeded to school district.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 743, A bill for an act requiring bathing establishments to be equipped with pulmotors.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 744, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 745, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of thirty thousand, or less, according to the last state or national census, in which is located a city of the third class, operating under a Home Rule Charter, to acquire by gift from such city an interest in and to

any hospital and hospital equipment which may now or hereafter belong to such city; authorizing such city to make such gift, and providing for the method by which such hospital shall be operated after it becomes the joint property of such county and such city.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 746, A bill for an act to amend Section 6434, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the power of a local building and loan association to deal in real estate.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 747, A bill for an act to amend Section 9346 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to charges for other than county prisoners and authorizing counties to pay one dollar per day for the board of its prisoners confined in other counties from and after April 10, 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 748, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44 Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge purposes additional to that which it is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for purposes of town government, and providing for the collection of such tax and the expenditure of funds derived therefrom.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 749, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for the relief and assistance of soldiers and sailors, residents of the State of Minnesota, who are now or have been a part of the land or naval forces of the United States engaged in the war with Germany and her allies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 750, A bill for an act providing notice of hearing on application for allowance of expense items in judicial ditch proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 751, A bill for an act relating to public warehouses on the right of way of railroads.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 752, A bill for an act to reimburse the Lion Bonding & Surety Company for money paid the State of Minnesota in excess of the total amount of material removed, and to appropriate money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

The Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 753, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24, Laws 1907 and Section 8 of Chapter 24, Laws 1907 as amended by Chapter 318 Laws 1913, said Chapter 24 Laws 1907, being entitled, An act creating a fund and providing for the disbursement thereof, for pensions and relief by Firemen's Relief Associations, in cities having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Denegre introduced —

S. F. No. 754, A bill for an act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision in such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Jackson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 755, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compen-

sate Carl F. Swanson for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment at the State Capitol.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Bessette and Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 756, A bill for an act providing for the designation of a site and the erection thereon of a building for the use of the state, in providing offices for state officials, boards and commissions, and as a memorial for the soldiers, sailors and marines of the state, and providing for a tax levy to raise \$750,000 for such purposes, and appropriating the same therefor, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of indebtedness.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 757, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter an assessed valuation of more than twenty-four million dollars and an area of more than two thousand five hundred square miles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. McGarry introduced —

S. F. No. 758, A bill for an act to authorize the recording of certificates of discharge from the United States army, navy and marine corps.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 759, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by home rule charter to designate and redesignate the ward boundaries of such cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

The Committee on Public Domain introduced—

S. F. No. 760, A bill for an act to prescribe certain duties of the

surveyor general of logs and lumber, and prescribing duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 761, A bill for an act to amend Section 5278, General Statutes 1913, regulating the extension of permits.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 762, A bill for an act to amend Section 5265, General Statutes 1913, relating to sale of timber on state lands.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 763, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 327, Laws 1917, relating to sale of timber on state lands and regulating the issuance of permits.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 764, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 2769 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of common school districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 765, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 193, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 412 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, to fix the compensation of county surveyors, deputies, employees and clerks, hired in the State of Minnesota in counties having a population of not less than 200,000 inhabitants and not over 300,000 inhabitants, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Hopp (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 766, A bill for an act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes 1913, relating to prejudice or bias of judges of the District Court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Bonniwell introduced—

S. F. No. 767, A bill for an act relating to dangerous railroad crossings over streets and public highways.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 768, A bill for an act to provide in certain cases for the separation from cities containing 10,000 inhabitants or less, and from school districts contained in such cities, of unplatted agricultural lands included in the corporate limits of such city, and attaching the same to an adjoining town and school district in the same county.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 769, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 448, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to establishment of state forests.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 770, A bill for an act to amend subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 242, A bill for an act entitled, An act relating to

street improvements in cities of the Fourth Class, and in villages and to the payment of the cost thereof.

March 8, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 203, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing the method of payment of salaries and compensation of County Road Engineers and their assistants and employes, in any county in this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted.

H. F. No. 353, A bill for an act to amend Section 1011, General Statutes 1913, relating to certain school expenses and the payment of the same by the county board.

H. F. No. 343, A bill for an act to amend Section 693, G. S. 1913, relating to the incidental fund.

H. F. No. 371, A bill for an act to amend Section 5529 General Statutes 1913, relating to drainage.

H. F. No. 5, A bill for an act to amend Section 402, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to words placed after names of candidates on the general election ballot.

March 12, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 366, A bill for an act to prevent fraud and deception in the manufacture and sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs and providing for registration and labeling thereof and repealing Chapter 383 General Laws of Minnesota, 1907, and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 7, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 5, A bill for an act to amend Section 402, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to words placed after names of candidates on the general election ballot.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. F. No. 366, A bill for an act to prevent fraud and deception in the manufacture and sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs and providing for registration and labeling thereof and repealing Chapter 383, General Laws of Minnesota, 1907, and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

H. F. No. 371, A bill for an act to amend Section 5529, General Statutes 1913, relating to drainage.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 353, A bill for an act to amend Section 1011, General Statutes 1913, relating to certain school expenses and the payment of the same by the county board.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 343, A bill for an act to amend Section 693, G. S. 1913, relating to the incidental fund.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 256, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. The annual salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position, number and annual salary of the subordinates to be appointed by him in his department, are hereby fixed as follows:

The commissioner, three thousand six hundred dollars; as-

sistant commissioner, twenty-four hundred dollars; secretary, two thousand dollars; chief chemist, thirty-two hundred dollars; chief clerk, thirteen hundred and twenty dollars; statistician, twelve hundred dollars; laboratory clerk and stenographer, twelve hundred dollars; general clerks as in his judgment may be necessary not to exceed two, at ten hundred eighty dollars each; two stenographers at not to exceed twelve hundred dollars each; three assistant chemists and twenty inspectors at a minimum annual salary of twelve hundred dollars each, but the commissioner may, in consideration of faithful and continuous service, increase the salary of any assistant chemist or inspector not more than one hundred dollars per annum after one year's service until such salary reaches eighteen hundred dollars, which shall be the maximum; provided, that the first year's salary of any assistant chemist or inspector who has served not less than five years prior to the passage of this act may be fixed by the commissioner at not to exceed two thousand dollars.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 151, A bill for an act to amend sub-section 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1913, which Chapter 400 is entitled "An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees," so far as the same relates to the salaries and compensation of the officers and employes of the Department of Labor and Industries, and authorizing the transfer of certain funds from the contingent fund of said department to the maintenance fund thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Subdivision 21 of Section 1, and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

21. Office of Department of Labor and Industries. Commissioner of Labor, thirty-six hundred dollars; assistant commissioner of labor, twenty-four hundred dollars; chief statistician, twenty-one hundred dollars; statistician, seventeen hundred dollars; assistant statistician, ten hundred and eighty dollars; superintendent, bureau of women and children, eighteen hundred dollars; two deputy labor commissioners, not to exceed

three thousand dollars; one elevator inspector, not to exceed thirteen hundred dollars; seven male factory inspectors, not to exceed nine thousand one hundred dollars; one railroad inspector, not to exceed thirteen hundred dollars; four female inspectors not to exceed four thousand eight hundred dollars; three local managers of employment offices, not to exceed thirty-six hundred dollars; four assistant managers of employment offices, not to exceed four thousand dollars; three special agents, compensation division, not to exceed forty-two hundred dollars; one special agent, statistical division, fourteen hundred dollars; one secretary, not to exceed one thousand dollars; three stenographers, not to exceed three thousand dollars; four clerks, not to exceed thirty-eight hundred and forty dollars; one chief file clerk, not to exceed nine hundred and sixty dollars.

Section 2. The state auditor is hereby authorized to transfer from the contingent to the maintenance fund of the Department of Labor and Industries the sum of \$4,535 of the money appropriated by Section 15, Chapter 438, General Laws of 1917 and still remaining in the contingent fund.

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after Feb. 1, 1919.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 256 and 151,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGarry moved that H. F. No. 702 be recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties and re-referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 702,

Was recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 702,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Hall moved that S. F. No. 415, No. 67 on General Orders, be

re-referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 415,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Rockne offered the following resolution—

Whereas, the Senate has just been informed that our much appreciated co-worker and fellow-laborer in the Senate, the Hon. Ole O. Sageng, is detained at his home by reason of the serious illness of a member of his family, and

Whereas, he has requested that he be given an indefinite leave of absence,

Therefore be it resolved by the Senate

First: That an indefinite leave of absence be and is hereby granted to the Senator from Otter Tail.

Second: That the Senate extend to him and his wife its sincere sympathy in these their trying hours of anguish and sorrow.

Third: That the Senate extend to the absent Senator its appreciation of his past neverfailing, distinguished and invaluable services to the state and to his Senatorial District.

Fourth: That this resolution be spread upon the Journal of this Senate and a copy thereof duly engrossed be sent to the Senator and his family.

Mr. Rockne moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Gillam moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, March 13, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Kingsbury was excused for this afternoon.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A letter from the Hennepin County W. C. T. U. was read, ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 771, A bill for an act to provide against fraud on hospitals, sanitariums, public or private institutions for care and treatment of the sick or disabled and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 772, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Laws of 1913, entitled an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts, and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 773, A bill for an act to reimburse the Alexander Wilken Woman's Relief Corps No. 64 of Mankato, Minnesota, for moneys expended by it in improving and furnishing a certain room in the state armory at Mankato and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 774, A bill for an act relating to the collection of the costs and expenses heretofore incurred, by the establishment of drainage ditches in certain cases and authorizing the filing of additional liens therefor, and authorizing the collection of such costs as taxes in certain instances, and authorizing the county commissioners of certain counties to issue bonds therefor, and providing for the repayment from the ditch funds of certain counties of moneys heretofore used from other county funds in payment of drainage ditches, and repealing Chapter 269, of the General Laws 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 454, A bill for an act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.

H. F. No. 468, A bill for an act to authorize the board of county commissioners to purchase the necessary equipment for the cleaning out, repair and improvement of public drainage ditches within the county.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 12, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 454, A bill for an act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 468, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to purchase the necessary equipment for the cleaning out, repair and improvement of public drainage ditches within the county.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 553, A bill for an act granting the right of subrogation to sureties upon bonds to the state in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out the words "then some of them shall" where they occur in the 4th line of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following words, "then if some of them."

2. Strike out the words, "against the remaining sureties so liable for the payment thereof" where they occur in the lines 12 and 13 in Section 1 of the bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 653, A bill for an act to amend Section 7238, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 272, Laws 1917, and Section 7243, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 350, Laws 1915, so as to provide that where there is only one child, the surviving spouse shall receive one-half the estate.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 653

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 298, A bill for an act to amend Section 8703, General Statutes 1913, defining the crime of fornication and providing punishment therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 28, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of burning in woods and prairie lands.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out paragraphs 5 and 6 of the bill and renumber the paragraphs correspondingly.

And when so amended, that the bill is valid.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 498, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 7, Laws 1917, authorizing the treasurer of the State of Minnesota to receive payments on sales of school and other state lands where the time limit for payment has expired or will expire on or before July 31, 1919, and the Governor of the State of Minnesota to execute patents therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 481, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to correct school land certificates, Nos. 44,619, 44,620, 44,621 and 44,622 authorizing the governor to execute patents therefor to James A. Ogilvie.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 553, 498 and 481,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 298—
Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nord moved that S. F. No. 698 be recalled from the Committee on Civil Administration and re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Nord moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gierset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,

Mr. Nord moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Nord moved to withdraw his motion to recall and re-refer S. F. No. 698.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rask moved that S. F. No. 714 be recalled from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse and re-referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 714,

Was recalled from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

S. F. No. 714,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

Mr. Nord moved that S. F. 467 be re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 467 was re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Baldwin moved that S. F. No. 131, No. 5 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 131,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 501, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the county board of the several counties in this state under the conditions named in this act to make all necessary orders directing the improvement hereinafter provided for, to secure the removal of trees, brush, stumps and other like material from land suitable for cultivation and for the prevention of forest fires and the drying up of said land and improvement of the general welfare, to provide the funds therefor and to levy the cost for the construction of such improvement upon the lands benefited.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Gillam moved to amend S. F. No. 501 by striking out the following after the word "affected" in line 14 of Section 3 of the

printed bill: "and in all cases land not owned by a petitioner can be included in said petition only when it is alleged and shall appear that the condition of said land is such that it is a menace to the community, either as affecting the public health or causing dangerous exposure to forest fires."

Which amendment was adopted.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Nord offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 501 and moved its adoption—

Insert after the "comma" after the word "thereto" where such word occurs in Section 14, line 5, of the printed bill "provided, however, that no such bonds shall be issued until the same has been authorized by a majority vote of the electors of said county at any General or Special Election."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 17 and nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Hegnes,	Larson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Jackson,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Wold,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Reed,	
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Rockne,	
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Erickson,	Lee,	Schmechel,	

So the bill failed to pass.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 449, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to taxation.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Gandrud moved to amend H. F. No. 449 by striking out the words "all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs" where said words

occur in said bill immediately following the word "charity" in line five (5) of the printed bill as amended; by striking out the word "and" in line nine (9) of the printed bill and by adding immediately after the word "machinery" where said word occurs in line ten (10) of the printed bill the words "and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Gandrud moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Gandrud moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays 10, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Cosgrove,	Fowler,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Denegre,	Hall,	Ward,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 90, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering any

city of this state, having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants, to establish and maintain a rest room.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Madigan moved to amend H. F. No. 90 as follows:

Insert after the word "city" in line 1 of Section 1, the words "or village."

Insert after the word "city" in line 3 of Section 1, the words "or village."

Amend the title by inserting after the word "city" in the first line thereof the words "or village."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 31, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of sleighs.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays 10, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Stepan,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Carley,	Lee,	Rockne,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Sullivan, J. D.,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 262, A bill for an act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park and to regulate hunting and trapping therein and adjacent thereto.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Baldwin moved to amend Section 2 of the printed bill of S. F. No. 262, by striking out the period after the word "purpose" in line three (3) of said section and adding the following:

"in Chapter 531 of the Laws of 1913."

, Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays 22, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Gandrud,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hall,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Rask,	Wold.
Cliff,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Cashel,	Larson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Bonniwell,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Johnson,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 129, A bill for an act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 344, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to commitment and petition for discharge of feeble minded persons.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 406, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section Seven (7), Article Six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, changing the length of the term of the judge of the probate court.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 459, A bill for an act to amend Section 4976, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of members and employees of the State Board of medical examiners.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Blomgren,	Callahan,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,
Benson,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Coleman,	Cumming,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Cashel,	Conroy,	Denegre,

Devold,	Hall,	Lee,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Erickson,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Reed,	Vibert,
Fowler,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Gandrud,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Romberg,	
Gillam,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Gjeraset,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Guilford,	Larson,	Palmer,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 211, A bill for an act providing for the appointment of a fire marshal by the Commissioner of Insurance and fixing his salary; abolishing the offices of assistant fire marshal, deputy fire marshals and special deputies as now authorized by law; providing for the appointment of deputy fire marshals by the Commissioner of Insurance, and devolving on and transferring to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshals appointed under this act, the duties, powers and privileges now imposed on and granted to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshal and repealing Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 564, Laws of Minnesota, 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 460, A bill for an act to amend Section 4970 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the State Board of Medical Examiners.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Benson,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Carley,
Baldwin,	Bessette,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Cashel,

Cliff,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Turnham,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cumming,	Hall,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 299, A bill for an act permitting counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand people to appropriate money for the purpose of advertising, improving or developing the agricultural resources of such counties and the payment of such money to incorporated development societies, amending Section 745, General Statutes 1913.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Benson moved to strike out of lines 3 and 4 the words, commencing with the word "county" to and including the word "resources" in Section 1 of S. F. No. 299.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Wold,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Rask,	
Carley,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Johnson,	Loonam,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Guilford,	Lee,			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 300, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (1) of Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which Section 88 was amended by Section 28, Laws 1917, by adding thereto at the end thereof a new subdivision and which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to the repair and maintenance of bridges on town and

county roads and also the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to roads which have become impassable.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEORGE W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-THIRD DAY

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, March 14, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Millett,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The Committee on Banks and Banking introduced—

S. F. No. 775, A bill for an act to amend Section 4635, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 299, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the fees to be paid for examinations of state banks, trust companies, savings banks, and local and general building and loan associations.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 775 be given its second reading, printed and placed at the head of General Orders with the provision that it lie over for one day.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 775,

Was read the second time.

Mr. Benson moved at 10:15 A. M. that the Senate do recess for the purpose of hearing an address by Miss Mary Van Kleeck of Washington, D. C.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 10:25 A. M. after having heard an address by Miss Mary Van Kleeck.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 776, A bill for an act authorizing certain villages and cities to acquire land for use as a place within which to tie horses and park automobiles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 777, A bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse the socialist party of Minneapolis for an American flag taken by the Home Guards of Hennepin County and not returned to it.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Finance Committee introduced—

S. F. No. 778, A bill for an act to appropriate money for current expenses, buildings, and improvements at State institutions, and for other purposes.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 778 be read the second time, printed and placed at the head of the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 778,

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Madigan introduced—

S. F. No. 779, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2623 and 2626 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to tags of registration on motor vehicles and prescribing the manner in which such tags shall be displayed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 780, A bill for an act to provide an additional judge for the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District, detaching the county of Pipestone from the Thirteenth Judicial District and attaching it to the Ninth Judicial District, and fixing the terms of court for Pipestone County, when so attached to the Ninth Judicial District.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Ribenack, for St. Louis County Delegation, introduced—

S. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to authorize the County Board in any county in this State now or hereafter having not less than 150,000 nor more than 220,000 inhabitants, and an area of over 5,000 square miles to establish by purchase or lease an industrial home school for girls; and to provide for the maintenance of the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Fowler, Brooks and Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 782, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1453, 1454, 1455, and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons and to provide such pensions for assistant matrons and other police women.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 783, A bill for an act for the relief of Alfred Christoferson, private in Company "C", Fourth Minnesota, National Guard, on account of injuries received by him while on duty at the Great Northern Power Company's Dam, near Thompson, Minnesota, on or about November 1, 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Larson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 784, A bill for an act to prohibit a person from holding the offices of school trustee and member of village council at the same time.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 785, A bill for an act to amend Section 923, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of Register of Deeds.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 785, A bill for an act to amend Section 923, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of Register of Deeds.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 785

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 785, A bill for an act to amend Section 923, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of Register of Deeds.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Callahan,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,
Baldwin,	Carley,	Devold,	Hall,	Larson,
Blomgren,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lindsley,
Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Erickson,	Handlan,	McGarry,
Boylan,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	Madigan,
Brooks,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Hopp,	Naplin,

Nolan,	Putnam,	Rockne,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Van Hoven,
Nord,	Rask,	Romberg,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Ward,
Palmer,	Reed,	Schmechel,	Swanson,	Widell,
Peterson,	Ribenack,	Stepan,	Turnham,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 786, A bill for an act to provide funds for carrying into effect Chapter 491, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and defining the duties of the high school board in the distribution of such funds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 787, A bill for an act requiring the stock of state banks hereafter organized to be owned by individuals, and making certain transactions relative thereto unlawful.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 788, A bill for an act to legalize conveyances of real property heretofore made by a married man or married woman directed to his or her spouse, and the record of such conveyance.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 789, A bill for an act to relieve Alger, Smith & Company from default on logging permits numbered 2471, 2478 and 2775, heretofore issued to said company by the State of Minnesota, and to cancel said permits and reimburse said company for certain down and other payments made on said permits, and to appropriate money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 790, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 298, Laws 1911, (Section 9267 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913) as amended by Chapter 319 Laws 1917; said Chapter 298

Laws 1911, being entitled "An Act to provide for the indeterminate sentence of persons convicted of crime and to authorize and regulate the paroling of convicts."

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 791, A bill for an act to require coal dealers to inspect and remove slate and other foreign substances from coal.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Putnam, for Committee on Judiciary, introduced—

S. F. No. 792, A bill for an act to legalize defective mortgage or mechanics lien foreclosure sales heretofore made and the record thereof.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 792 be read the second time, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 792

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam, for Committee on Judiciary, introduced—

S. F. No. 793, A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgments taken by Notaries Public who were or are members of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, at the time of taking such acknowledgments, and acknowledgments taken by Military Officers within this State, together with the record of any and all instruments bearing any such acknowledgments.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 793 be read the second time, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 793

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

The Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 794, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1038 and 1039, General Laws of 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915, and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws of 1917, and Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 511 Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 330,000 inhabitants or over.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 794, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1038 and 1039, General Laws of 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915, and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws of 1917, and Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 511 Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 330,000 inhabitants or over.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 794

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 794, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1038 and 1039, General Laws of 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915, and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws of 1917, and Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 511 Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 330,000 inhabitants or over.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Besette,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Reed,	Widell,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

Mr. Guilford voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED

Messrs. Jackson and Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 795, A bill for an act providing for the regulation and inspection of schools for nurses and for the examination, regulation, licensing and registration of nurses and aides to nurses and for the punishment of offenders against this act and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 796, A bill for an act entitled An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants, to incur certain expenses and appropriate money for the payment thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

The Hennepin County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 797, A bill for an act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465 of General Laws of 1907 and Chapter 126 of General Laws of 1911, and Chapter 482 of General Laws of 1917, and to amend Section 287 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries and fixing the duties of certain city officers.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 797, A bill for an act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465 of General Laws of 1907 and Chapter 126 of General Laws of 1911, and Chapter 482 of General Laws of 1917, and to amend Section 287 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries and fixing the duties of certain city officers.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 797,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 797, A bill for an act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465 of General Laws of 1907 and Chapter 126 of General Laws of 1911, and Chapter 482 of General Laws of 1917, and to amend Section 287 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries and fixing the duties of certain city officers.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Benson,	Conroy,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 798, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90 of the General Laws of the year 1913, relating to railroad rates in this state and to increase the powers and further define the duties of the Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission in relation to the same and to define, prevent, and punish un-

just discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of freight on railroads in this state, and prohibiting any railway company doing business in this state from charging or receiving any greater compensation for the transportation of a like kind or class and quantity of property or freight of any description for a shorter than for a longer distance over the same line and empowering and directing the Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission to make and promulgate a schedule of reasonable maximum rate of charges for the transportation of freight and cars and vesting said Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission with power of classification of freight and of rates and railroads and prescribing a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto and providing penalties and punishments for violations of the provisions thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 799, A bill for an act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power of eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Judiciary Committee introduced—

S. F. No. 800, A bill for an act legalizing certain affidavits of publication heretofore filed and the record thereof, wherein certain facts which should have been stated were omitted.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 800 be read the second time, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 800,

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 801, A bill for an act creating a council of public

domain, determining its powers and duties and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

Mr. Blomgren introduced—

S. F. No. 802, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding a general term of the District Court in the County of Isanti, Eighteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Blomgren moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 802, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding a general term of the District Court in the County of Isanti, Eighteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 802,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 802. A bill for an act fixing the times of holding a general term of the District Court in the County of Isanti, Eighteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 803, A bill for an act appropriating \$175,000 for the aid of certain school districts in the state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 804, A bill for an act to amend Section 4, Chapter 238, Laws 1915, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 410, Laws 1917, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 805, A bill for an act relating to the exhumation and examination of dead bodies, when necessary, for the purpose of determining the cause of death.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 806, A bill for an act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of mutual automobile insurance companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Messrs. Denegre and Conroy introduced—

S. F. No. 807, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in said county, or in any portion thereof, or in any counties adjoining said county, and to expend the proceeds thereof for said purposes in any one year, regardless of existing limitations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 235, Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Section 6 of Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, which section provides for the appointment by the Commissioner of Highways of assistant engineers and prescribing their powers, duties and compensation.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 829, A bill for an act providing for the erection of highway guide posts and signs by towns, villages and cities and imposing certain duties on the Commissioner of Highways in relation thereto, making it unlawful to destroy, deface or mutilate any such guide post or sign and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

H. F. No. 860, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section relates to the salary and expenses of the Commissioner of Highways, the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, the several assistant engineers, the clerical and technical assistants of the Highway Department and the expense of maintaining the offices of the Highway Department.

H. F. No. 861, A bill for an act authorizing the County Board of any county to designate an assistant engineer of the Highway Department of the state to act as superintendent of maintenance on State Roads and as such to issue time checks for work done in the maintenance of State Roads under the provisions of Chapter 182, Laws 1915.

H. F. No. 20, A bill for an act creating industrial accident compensation board of the State of Minnesota; creating an industrial accident compensation fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board, and of compensation, as provided by part two, Chapter 467, General Law 1913, as amended, to injured employees and to the dependents of employees who may be killed in the course of their employment, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 13, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 861, A bill for an act authorizing the County Board of any county to designate an assistant engineer of the Highway Department of the state to act as superintendent of maintenance on State Roads and as such to issue time checks for work done in the maintenance of State Roads under the provisions of Chapter 182, Laws 1915.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

H. F. No. 829, A bill for an act providing for the erection of highway guide posts and signs by towns, villages and cities and imposing certain duties on the Commissioner of Highways in relation thereto, making it unlawful to destroy, deface or mutilate any such guide post or sign and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

H. F. No. 860, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section relates to the salary and expenses of the Commissioner of Highways, the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, the several assistant engineers, the clerical and technical assistants of the Highway Department and the expense of maintaining the offices of the Highway Department.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

H. F. No. 20, A bill for an act creating an industrial accident compensation board of the State of Minnesota; creating an industrial accident compensation fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board, and of compensation, as provided by part two, Chapter 467, General Law 1913, as amended, to injured employees and to the dependents of employees who may be killed in the course of their employment, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Palmer, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 617, A bill for an act to legalize certain corporations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 111, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 363, Session

Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to contestants in boxing or sparring matches.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 111,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 594, A bill for an act amending Section 773 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the re-establishment of lost or destroyed monuments at section, quarter section and meander corners.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 594,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 618, A bill for an act to provide for the making of profit-sharing contracts between employers and employes and defining the respective rights and liabilities of the parties thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 148, A bill for an act requiring stockyards at terminal markets to be provided with feeding and watering troughs.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the report of the committee on S. F. No. 148, together with the bill, be laid on the table for one day.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 530, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 7730 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the service of summonses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 530

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 448, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 209, Laws of Minnesota, 1915, relating to settlement and payment of compensation under said chapter and fees of the clerk of court for filing papers

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding general terms of the District Court in the county of Pine, nineteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding general terms of the District Court in the county of Pine, Nineteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 654

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding general terms of the District Court in the county of Pine, Nineteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan, -	Romberg,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 733, A bill for an act authorizing the board of timber commissioners to require the purchaser of state lands to cut clean all standing timber upon lands covered by permit issued to said purchaser.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 763, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 327, Laws of 1917, relating to sale of timber on state lands and regulating the issuance of permits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 734, A bill for an act to authorize the board of timber commissioners to determine the number of sections of land or fractions thereof to be covered by and described in a timber permit.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 762, A bill for an act to amend Section 5265, General Statutes 1913, relating to sale of timber on state lands.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 761, A bill for an act to amend Section 5278, General Statutes 1913, regulating the extension of permits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 760, A bill for an act to prescribe certain duties of the surveyor general of logs and lumber and prescribing duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 201, A bill for an act to prescribe certain duties of the State Forester, and prescribing fees, duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 201

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 247, A bill for an act to provide for the elimination of certain lands from state forests.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting the following paragraph at the end of Section 1 of said bill:

“Provided, however, that the state lands in the following described townships or parts of townships are hereby eliminated from the Minnesota state forests: Township 62 north in Range 12 west, Section 36 of Township 63 north in Range 12 west, the South one-half of Township 61 north in Ranges 2, 3 and 4 west, Township 61 north in Range 1 west, the South one-third of Township 62 north in Range 1 west, Townships 61 and 62 north in Ranges 1, 2, 3 and 4 east, the South one-half of Township 63 north in Range 3 east, and the South one-third of Township 63 north in Range 4 east; and provided further that when any of the state lands in the above described townships or parts of townships, or any other state lands outside the boundaries of any state forests heretofore established, are found by the state auditor to be better adapted for the production of timber than for agriculture, the auditor is hereby authorized to certify such fact with regard to each tract of land to the forestry board, whereupon the lands so certified shall become a part of the state forests, and be administered and used as are other state forests.”

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 769, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 448, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to establishment of state forests.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 769,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 55, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 55

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 310, A bill for an act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 200,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 310,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 282, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements at and constructing and repairing municipal baths and bath houses in such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 282,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 252, A bill for an act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter

have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 252,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 465, A bill for an act to designate a state fiscal year and making appropriations available therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 333, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, of Chapter 429 of the Session Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1917, by adding to said section a provision that said act shall not apply to foreign building and loan associations under the supervision of the superintendent of banks and banking of this state, having complied with the laws relative to foreign building and loan associations and licensed to do business in the state by the superintendent of banks and banking of this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 333,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 434, A bill for an act to amend Section 6393, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 88, General Laws 1917, relating to investments of savings banks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of the sixth line of paragraph 3 of Section 1

of the original typewritten bill the parentheses and figures "1848" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "being section 1848 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913."

Further amend by striking out the word "and" where it appears after the word "trust" in line 3 of subdivision "b" of paragraph 10 of Section 1 of the original typewritten bill and insert in lieu thereof the words "company or."

Further amend by striking out the word "and" where it appears after the word "trust" in line 6 of subdivision b of paragraph 10 of Section 1 of the original typewritten bill and insert in lieu thereof the words "company or."

Further amend by striking out the word "and" where it appears after the word "trust" in line 8 of subdivision b of paragraph 10 of Section 1 of the original typewritten bill and insert in lieu thereof the words "company or."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 768, A bill for an act to provide in certain cases for the separation from cities containing 10,000 inhabitants or less, and from school districts contained in such cities of unplatted agricultural lands included in the corporate limits of such city, and attaching the same to an adjoining town and school district in the same county.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Turnham, from the Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 735, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 333 General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to commercial fishing in Lake Superior, and the size of nets to be used.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 735,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Turnham, from the Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 317, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 5384, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to killing of animals and birds in forest reserves, parks, etc.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 317,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 725, A bill for an act legalizing certain appropriations made by county boards to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Turnham moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 725, A bill for an act legalizing certain appropriations made by county boards to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 725,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 725, A bill for an act legalizing certain appropriations made by county boards to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Carley,	Conroy,	Devold,
Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Coserove,	Erickson,
Benson,	Brooks,	Cliff,	Cumming,	Fowler,
Bessette,	Callahan,	Coleman,	Denegre,	Gandrud,

Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,	Reed,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Gjeraset,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Swanson,
Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Turnham,
Hall,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Hamer,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	Vibert,
Hegnes,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Stepan,	Ward,
Hopp,	Madigan,	Rask,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 691, A bill for an act requiring the State Auditor and State Treasurer to credit the State Agricultural Society with interest earnings on money received by the society from the operation of the State Fair, rentals and sale of property and deposited with the State Treasurer.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 691, A bill for an act requiring the State Auditor and State Treasurer to credit the State Agricultural Society with interest earnings on money received by the society from the operation of the State Fair, rentals and sale of property and deposited with the State Treasurer.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 691,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 691, A bill for an act requiring the State Auditor and State Treasurer to credit the State Agricultural Society with interest earnings on money received by the society from the operation of the State Fair, rentals and sale of property and deposited with the State Treasurer.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 242, A bill for an act to amend Section 5534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to appeals from orders of the county board in ditch proceedings.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 242,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 132, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for drainage and control of flood waters to protect cities, villages, highways and farm lands from inundation and to authorize the organization of drainage and conservation districts to secure the construction and maintenance of such works and improvements as will secure the control of flood waters within the limits of such districts and conserve and utilize such waters for power purposes, fish production, or any other purpose consistent with the provisions of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Amend Section 1 of the printed bill by adding the following: "Provided nothing herein contained shall be construed to abrogate the title of the state in the public waters, but the use and control of certain waters within the limitations and for the purposes herein specified may be granted to the district."

2. Amend subsection "F" of Section 2 by inserting in line

15 of the printed bill after the word "thereof" the following: "streams so diverted shall follow the natural course of drainage and terminate in the same natural outlet".

3. Amend Section 3 of the printed bill by striking out the "." after the word "channel" where it appears in line 19 and add the following: "provided no district shall be organized under the provisions of this act to include the whole valley of the Minnesota or the Mississippi, but branches of such streams may be so organized and when reasons exist therefore and the state drainage commission shall approve and the court so order, several small tributaries may be organized under one district "

4. Amend Section 6 of the printed bill by striking out the words "to adjourn from day to day" in line 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "as ordered by the court."

5. Amend Section 8 of the printed bill by striking out the word "Surety" where it appears before the word "bond" in line 9.

9. Amend Section 8 of the printed bill by striking out the "." after the word "improvement" in line 14 and inserting therein the following: "but the charges of the engineer that can be included as a part of the cost of any improvement together with his duties, shall as far as applicable, be governed by the provisions of Section 5571 of the General Statutes of 1913 and amendments thereto, and neither the engineer or attorney shall receive any compensation except when employed in the construction of some specific improvement to which that expense can be charged."

6. Amend the printed bill by inserting Sections 13 and 14 between Sections 12 and 15 as contained in the original bill.

7. Amend Section 15 of the printed bill by inserting after the word "district" in line 31 the following: "which authority may be exercised under the provisions of this act or under the provisions of Chapter 41 of the General Statutes of 1913."

8. Amend Section 20 of the printed bill by striking out the figure "60" in line 8 and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "90."

9. Amend the printed bill by striking out all of Sections 21 and 22, and renumber the balance of the sections to correspond.

10. Amend Section 23 of the printed bill by striking out all of line 1, line 2 and line 3 up to and including the word "dollars."

11. Amend Section 27 of the printed bill by striking out the

words "domestic use" in line 2; and by striking out the "." following the word "district" in line 4 and inserting thereafter the following words: "and the rights of all such parties as existing at the time of the organization of the district shall be recognized and observed by the managing authorities of the district," and further amend Section 27 of the printed bill by striking out all of line 8 after the word "compensation" and all of lines 9, 10, 11 and 12.

12. Amend the printed bill by striking out all of Section 29 and renumber the balance of the sections to correspond.

13. Amend Section 30 of the printed bill by striking out the last four words in line 2 and all of line 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and all."

14. Amend the printed bill by striking out all of Section 33 and renumber the balance of the sections to correspond.

15. Amend the printed bill by striking out all of Section 35 and renumber the balance of the sections to correspond

16. Amend Section 38 of the printed bill by inserting after the figure "3" in line 2, the word and figure "and 4."

17. Amend Section 39 of the printed bill by adding thereto after the word "improvements" in line 21 the following: "and the Board of Directors for any such district is hereby authorized to include in their petition to the court asking the creation of a preliminary fund and request that the court shall include in said order in addition to the creation of said fund a further order authorizing the board of said district to levy upon the lands within the limits of said district an assessment of such sum as may be found necessary to reimburse the county for the sums advanced to create said preliminary fund, not to exceed, however, the sum of twenty-five (25) cents per acre, and the court is hereby authorized to make such order and upon receipt thereof, the Board of Directors of such district shall cause to be levied upon the lands within the limits of said district such assessment as the court shall authorize and shall file with the county auditors of the several counties a list of lands within the respective counties affected by said assessment, and upon the filing thereof or as soon thereafter as may be necessary, it shall be the duty of the county auditor to levy such assessment upon the lands specified and spread the same upon the assessment roll as in the case of other taxes; and it shall be the duty of the county treasurer to collect and receive such assessment and credit the same

to said district and deduct from such assessment any sum, if any there is due, to such county and account to said district for all sums remaining."

18. Amend Section 41 of the printed bill by inserting between the word "the" and the word "municipalities" in line 4 the words: "lands and."

19. Amend Section 42 of the printed bill by adding to said section after the word "available" in line 6 the following: "provided the Board of Directors shall never at any time issue or have outstanding orders of said district exceeding the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, except orders issued in payment of construction on any improvement, the funds for which have been provided or arranged for."

20. Amend Section 45 of the printed bill by inserting after the word "district," in line 8 the following: "and the provisions of Section 5541 of the General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, shall apply to and govern the relations between the board of the district and the contractor including the examination and report of the engineer and the amount and time of payment so far as applicable."

21. Amend Section 47 of the printed bill by inserting between the word "same" and the mark "," in line 3 the following: "so far as is necessary to effectuate the purpose of this act," and further amend Section 47 of the printed bill by inserting between the mark "," and the word "but" in line 8 the following: "but shall pay to the state ten per cent (10%) of the net sum realized out of any lake yielding less than twenty thousand (20,000) lbs. and fifteen per cent (15%) of the net proceeds of all lakes yielding more than twenty thousand (20,000) lbs. in return for which the state shall furnish minnows and spawn to replenish said lakes without charge."

22. Amend Section 54 of the printed bill by adding thereto at the end of line 7 the following: "Provided further, that all rights and privileges that may be acquired by any drainage and conservancy district organized under the provisions of this act, shall at all times be subject to regulation and control by act of the Legislature and all such rights and interests that may be acquired by any district hereunder shall be subject to the right

of the state to take over and acquire title thereto upon such conditions and compensation as the legislature may specify."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 617, 618, 448, 733, 763, 734, 762, 761, 760, 247, 465, 434, 768 and 132,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Expenses to which was referred the resolution of Senators Rockne and J. D. Sullivan in regard to the salaries to be allowed the Senators from the 17th, 34th and 43d districts reports the same back with the following recommendation:

"That the amount of \$750.00 be paid to each one of said Senators, payable as follows: \$250.00 on March 15th and \$500.00 on the last day of the session of the legislative year 1919."

Mr. Larson moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 501 failed to pass be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette then moved that S. F. No. 501 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Boylan moved that S. F. No. 262 be recalled from the House.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 262 was recalled from the House be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Boylan again moved that S. F. No. 262 be recalled from the House.

The question being taken on the motion to recall S. F. No. 262 from the House,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays 9, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonan,	Rockne,
Benson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Baldwin,	Hall,	Kuntz,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Widell.
Fowler,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,	

So the motion prevailed

S. F. No. 262,

Was recalled from the House.

Mr. Madigan, from the Committee on Mileage, offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Senator Arch Coleman, Senator C. N. Cosgrove and Senator George*H. Sullivan were elected and qualified as Senators after the report of the Committee on Mileage was adopted:

Now, Therefore, be it resolved that said Senators are entitled to mileage as follows:

Arch Coleman, 30 miles.....	\$4.50
C. N. Cosgrove, 124 miles.....	18.60
George H. Sullivan, 40 miles.....	6.00

That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is instructed to draw his order in favor of said Senators for such amounts.

J. E. MADIGAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Madigan moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Ribenack was excused for the balance of the day and tomorrow.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved at 12:35 P. M., that the Senate do recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 p. m.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Madigan, Adams and Johnson were excused for tomorrow.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson moved that H. F. No. 655 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that S. F. No. 805 be recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 805,

Was recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

S. F. No. 805,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 122, A bill for an act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the filing of an affidavit of bias or prejudice of judge.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Leonam,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 420, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state which now or hereafter owns and maintains a work or correctional farm under the provisions of Chapter 188 General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended, to sell and convey all or any portion of such farm, including equipment and improvements thereon.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Widell,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 423, A bill for an act to amend Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries of county treasurers, and the sums to be allowed to county treasurers for clerk hire, in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Naplin moved to amend S. F. No. 423 by striking out all of Section 2, after the figure "2," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "This act shall not apply to any county where the salary or clerk hire of the county treasurer is now fixed by special law, nor shall it effect any of the provisions of Chapters 24, 89, 139 and 378 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, nor Chapters 80 and 206 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917."

Which amendment was adopted.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Adams moved to amend S. F. No. 423 as follows:

By adding at the end of line 28 of the printed bill the following

words: "that this act shall not apply to any county having an assessed valuation of more than \$100,000,000, exclusive of money and credits."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gjerset.	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 670, A bill for an act authorizing the state board of control, with the approval of the state auditor, to select from the public lands owned by the state not to exceed four sections of land to be used as a location for the maintenance of a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons, authorizing the improvement of such lands by the state board of control, and providing for the admission of persons thereto, and providing for the transfer of inmates from the colony for epileptics and the school for feeble-minded at Faribault to such colonies, and directing the withdrawal of the lands selected from sale or disposition.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,
Anderson,	Coleman	Gjerset.	Kuntz,	Reed,
Benson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Turnham,
Carley,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 247, A bill for an act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the state constitution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 7, A bill for an act forbidding the use, without permission, of motor vehicles and prescribing punishment therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 305, A bill for an act relating to County Tuberculosis Sanatoriums, their construction, improvement, equipment, enlargement and maintenance.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Adams moved to amend H. F. No. 305 as follows:

1. By striking out the period after the word "maintenance" at the end of the title of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma.

2. By adding after the word "maintenance" in the title of the typewritten bill the following words: "In any county now or hereafter having not more than 150,000 inhabitants."

3. By adding at the end of Section 6 of the typewritten bill the following words: "This act shall not apply to or affect any county now or hereafter having more than 150,000 inhabitants."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 79, A bill for an act to amend Section 5778, General Statutes 1913, relating to the fees of Grand and Petit Jurors.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Widell,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 308, A bill for an act to amend Section 83, Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act

relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor, and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes, as amended by Chapter 43 of the General Laws of 1917.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40, and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,
Benson,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Liidsley,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Baldwin,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Erickson,	Hall,			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Turnham gave notice that he would move to reconsider the vote whereby S. F. No. 308 was passed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 383, A bill for an act to abolish the office of Chief Inspector of Oils, and conferring upon the Dairy and Food Commission all the duties and powers now possessed by the Chief Inspector of Oils.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Benson,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Coleman,
Anderson,	Bessette,	Boylan,	Carley,	Conroy,
Baldwin,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Cashel,	Cumming,

Devold,	Hamer,	Larson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Erickson,	Hegnes,	Lee,	Reed,	Turnham,
Gillam,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Van Hoven,
Gjerset,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Guilford,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Hall,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Stepan,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 120, A joint resolution relating to a bill pending in Congress relating to the promulgation of grain grades.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Rask,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 491, A bill for an act authorizing county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, whole or fractional, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, to construct roads on township or range lines, and to levy taxes therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Cumming,	Gandrud,
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Denegre,	Gillam,
Benson,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Devold,	Gjerset,
Bessette,	Callahan,	Conroy,	Erickson,	Guilford,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Cosgrove,	Fowler,	Hall,

Hamer,	Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Reed,	Swanson,
Handlan,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Turnham,
Hegnes,	Larson,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Hopp,	Lee,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	Vibert,
Jackson,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Stepan,	Widell,
Johnson,	McGarry,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 397, A bill for an act to amend Section 6348, General Statutes 1913, relating to the amount of capital stock and surplus required of state banks.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Benson moved to amend S. F. No. 397 by striking out the word "thereof" where it occurs in line one of Section 3.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gjeraset,	McGarry,	Swanson,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Besette,	Coseroye,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Ward,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hopp,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Frickson,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Guilford,	Lee,	Loonam,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Johnson,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 468, A bill for an act to amend subsection one of Section 6147, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the contents of the certificate required to be subscribed and acknowledged by persons desiring to form a corporation, with regard to the name of such corporation, the general nature of its business and the principal place of transacting the same.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Grandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 396, A bill for an act to amend Section 6360, General Statutes 1913, relating to the percentage of its actual paid in capital and surplus a bank may invest in real estate used by it for the transaction of its business.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Grandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,	
Cashel,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 234, A bill for an act to provide for an additional assistant attorney general.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays 4, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Blomgren,	Coleman,	Devold,	Gjerset,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Dwyer,	Guilford,
Baldwin,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,	Hamer,
Benson,	Carley,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Handlan,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Hopp,

Jackson,	Millett,	Rask,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Vibert,
Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Reed,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Ward,
Larson,	Nord,	Romberg,	Swanson,	Widell,
Lindsley,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	Turnham,	Wold,
McGarry,				

Those who voted in the negative were :

Bonniwell,	Johnson,	Loonam,	Stepan,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

- S. F. No. 84, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 159, Laws 1903, relating to pensions for retired and disabled policemen.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

- S. F. No. 181, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 311, Laws 1911, relating to salaries of State Inspector of Apiaries and deputy inspectors.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Millett,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Ward,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 471, A bill for an act to amend Section 17, Chapter 209, Laws 1915, and defining and construing the words "employe" and "workman" as used in the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 284, A bill for an act empowering the State Board for vocational education to establish a division for the re-education and placement of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, permitting co-operation with the Federal Government, and making an appropriation.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gardrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 341, A bill for an act making it unlawful to discriminate against handicapped persons through Workmen's Compensation Insurance rates and providing a penalty.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Millett,	Swanson,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 352, A concurrent resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to cooperate with the Dominion of Canada in the enlarged canalization of the St. Lawrence River for the passage of ocean going vessels into the Great Lakes, thus connecting the heart of the continent with both the coastwise and foreign commerce of the high seas.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Ward,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 393, A bill for an act to authorize the Minnesota Historical Society to act as custodian of state and local archives, and to provide for the collection and administration of public records.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate. Mr. Gillam moved to amend S. F. No. 393 by adding at the end of Section 2 of the printed bill the following:

"Provided, also, that this act shall not repeal or annul the provisions of Section 134 of the General Statutes of 1913."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 507, A bill for an act authorizing cities operating under a Home Rule Charter and having ten thousand inhabitants or less to issue and sell refunding bonds under certain conditions.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gierset,	Larson,	Stepan,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 28, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of burning in woods and prairie lands.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Petersor,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 567, A bill for an act to amend Section 3345 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 207 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to disposition of fire department aid.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 311, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more to provide and maintain at the expense of the county, transportation facilities for the use of certain county officers.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Benson,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Conroy,
Anderson,	Bessette,	Brooks,	Cashel,	Cumming,
Baldwin,	Blomgren,	Callahan,	Coleman,	Denegre,

Devold,	Hall,	Larson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lee,	Rask,	Turnham,
Erickson,	Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Gandrud,	Jackson,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Gillam,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Guilford,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 190, A bill for an act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a Home Rule Charter.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 316, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hopp,	Nord,	Turnham,
Benson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 81, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this State now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by

charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article IV, of the State Constitution, to impose a tax or license upon all motor vehicles in any such city, and providing for the disposition of the fund accumulated thereby.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Woid,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 499, A bill for an act to amend Section 3957 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 188 of the General Laws for 1917, relating to trustees for Soldiers' Home and compensation for attending meetings of its board.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 358, A bill for an act to amend Section 4146, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws of 1917, relating to admissions to the state schools for the deaf and the blind.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed:

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, SATURDAY, March 15, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset.	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Millett, Blomgren, Loonam and Romberg were excused for today.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, March 14, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 242, An act entitled an act relating to street improvements in cities of the fourth class, and in villages, and to the payment of the cost thereof.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 808, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota, which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000, inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to provide that the positions of director of the State teachers' employment bureau and secretary Board of Trustees of the teachers' insurance and retirement fund may be held by the same person and that his salary may be paid one-half from the Department of Education maintenance appropriation and one-half from the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 810, A bill for an act to regulate the repapering, repainting and recalcimining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 811, A bill for an act authorizing cities in Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to regulate and fix the rates and prices to be charged for electric light, power and heat furnished for the use of such cities and the inhabitants thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Bonniwell, Carley and Cashel introduced—

S. F. No. 812, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 156, of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, being Chapter 28a of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, to abolish the Department of Weights and Measures.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Messrs. Conroy and Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 813, A bill for an act to amend Section 3840, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the regulation of labor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 814, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 815, Concurrent Resolution Memorializing congress of the United States to pass a bill for the establishment of a Department of Education, the appropriation of money for the conduct of said department and for federal co-operation in the encouragement and support of education.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 816, A bill for an act appropriating the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) to United Theatre Equipment Corporation for reimbursement to said company for refundment of corporation filing fee paid twice by mistake.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 817, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 128, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 entitled, An act authorizing cities of the first class to designate and establish restricted residence districts and to prohibit the erection, alteration and repair of buildings thereon for certain prohibited purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S. F. No. 818, A bill for an act authorizing municipal subdivisions of the state to appropriate funds in aid of the work to be carried on by the Minnesota War Records Commission.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 819, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the University of Minnesota and for making a temporary advance to the University maintenance fund.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Kingsbury introduced—

S. F. No. 820, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Mary Kinne for the death of Herbert L. Kinne which occurred on December 24, 1917, as a result of exposure while doing duty as a member of the Minnesota Home Guards.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 821, A bill for an act to provide for a memorial arch and building on the grounds of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society for the soldiers, sailors and marines enlisted or drafted from the State of Minnesota outside of the cities of the first class, in the war between the United States and Germany, and appropriating money for the carrying out the purposes of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 822, A bill for an act to amend Section 826, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 82, Laws 1917, relating to compensation of county auditor in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 822, A bill for an act to amend Section 826, General

Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 82, Laws 1917, relating to compensation of county auditor in certain counties.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 822,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 822, A bill for an act to amend Section 826, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 82, Laws 1917, relating to compensation of county auditor in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Swanson.
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Benson,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Stepan,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 823, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to credit payments made upon lands purchased by Hugh D. Campbell, Helen M. Torinus, Martha E. Matthews and Roy F. Curley, in Roseau county, from the State of Minnesota, under a mistake of fact, upon the purchase price of any other lands that may be purchased from the state by the persons above named within two years from the passage of this act; and directing the State Auditor to cancel the certificates of such sales.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Domain.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House accedes to the request of the Senate for the return of the following Senate File.

S. F. No. 262, A bill for an act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 14, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 262 passed be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Boylan moved to amend S. F. No. 262 by striking out the word "shall" where said word appears in the first line of Section 2 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "may."

Further amend by striking out in lines three and four Section 2, the following words: "The board may accept deeds to said lands which allow grantors to reserve the minerals there may be in said lands."

Further amend by inserting in line 1 of Section 2 of the printed bill after the word "acquire" the words "at a price not to exceed five dollars (\$5.00) per acre."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Baldwin moved that S. F. No. 262 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 262,

Was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 677, A bill for an act to amend Section 1968, General Statutes of 1913, relating to powers and duties of school boards.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 688, A bill for an act to amend Section 2763, General Statutes 1913, relating to depositories of funds in independent school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the figures "2763" where they appear in line 4 of Section 1. Further amend by striking out the word "may" where it appears in line 5 of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 154, A bill for an act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after the same are due and owing.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following in lieu thereof.

Section 1. Whenever any person, firm, company, association or corporation employing labor within this State discharges a servant or employe from his employment, the wages actually earned and unpaid at the time of such discharge shall become immediately due and payable, upon demand of such employe, at the usual place of payment, and if not paid within twenty-four hours after such demand, whether such employment was by the day, hour, week, month, or piece, such discharged employe may charge and collect wages at the rate agreed upon in the contract of employment, for such period, not exceeding fifteen days (after the expiration of said twenty-four hours) as the employer is in default, until full payment or other settlement, satisfactory to said discharged employe, is made.

Section 2. Whenever any such employe, (not having a contract for a definite period of service), quits or resigns his employment, the wages earned and unpaid at the time of such quitting or resignation shall become due and payable within five days thereafter, at the usual place of payment, and any such employer failing or refusing to pay such wages, after they so become due, upon the demand of such employe at such place of payment, shall be liable to such employe from the date of such demand for an additional sum equal to the wages provided in

their contract of employment for every day (not, exceeding fifteen days in all,) until, such payment however, that if any employe having such a contract as is above defined, gives not less than five days written notice to his employer of his intention to quit such employment, the wages of the employe giving such notice shall become due at the usual place of payment twenty-four hours after he so quits or resigns, and payment thereof may be demanded accordingly, and the penalty herein provided shall apply in such case from the date of such demand. Provided, further, that if the employer disputes the amount of wages claimed by such employe under the provisions of this act or the preceding section, and the employer in such case makes a legal tender of the amount which he in good faith claims to be due, he shall not be liable for any sum greater than the amount so tendered and interest thereon at the legal rate, unless, in an action brought in a court having jurisdiction, such employe recovers a greater sum than the amount so tendered with such interest thereon; and if, in such suit, said employe fails to recover a greater sum than that so tendered, with interest as aforesaid, he shall pay the cost of such suit; otherwise the cost thereof shall be paid by said employer; Provided, further, that in cases where such discharge or quitting employe was, during his employment, intrusted with the collection, disbursement or handling of money or property, the employer shall have ten secular days after the termination of the employment, to audit and adjust the accounts of such employe before his or her wages shall become due and payable, and the penalty herein provided shall apply in such case only from the date of demand made after the expiration of such period allowed for such audit and adjustment; and if, upon such audit and adjustment of said accounts of such employe, it is found that any money or property intrusted to him by his employer has not been properly accounted for or paid over to the employer, as provided by the terms of the contract of employment, such employe shall not be entitled to the benefit of this act, but the claim for earned and unpaid wages of such employe, if any, shall be disposed of as provided by existing law.

Section 3. No such servant or employer who secretes or absents himself to avoid payment to him, or refuses to receive the same when fully tendered, shall be entitled to any benefit under this act for such time as he so avoids payment.

Provided, when any number of employes enter upon a strike,

the wages due such striking employes at the time of entering upon such strike shall not become due until the next regular pay day after the commencement of such strike.

Section 4. This act shall not be construed to apply to any person employed exclusively as a farm laborer, nor to any employer or an individual, copartnership or corporation that is bankrupt, or where a receiver or trustee is acting under the direction of the court.

Section 5. In any action by any such employe as is described in this act, for the recovery of unpaid wages after the time when such wages shall have become due as herein provided, there shall be allowed to the plaintiff, and included in any judgment rendered in his favor, in addition to his disbursement allowed by law, if the judgment be recovered in a Justice Court, five dollars cost, and a like sum if the judgment be recovered in Municipal Court and such plaintiff shall be allowed double statutory costs in any such action in any court in which statutory costs are now allowed by law in ordinary actions.

Section 6. All acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

Section 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 690, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 628, A bill for an act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their religious faith or creed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 457, A bill for an act providing the procedure of the Probate Court to secure a grant of title to real estate located in the Dominion of Canada in performance of contract for the sale thereof by a deceased person.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 682, A bill for an act empowering the court to exclude the general public from the court room during the trial of causes in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 726, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 223, Laws 1917, which said chapter is entitled: An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision of such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 581, A bill for an act to legalize notices of claims filed pursuant to Chapter 391, Section 1, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 581,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 497, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 7197 of the General Statutes 1913, relating to aid to mothers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 497,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 268, A bill for act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their race, color, blood, descent or religious creed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Was indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 268,

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 309, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 488, Laws of 1917, relating to state assignment, tax sale certificates or forfeited sale tax certificates, and limiting the time within which notices of expiration of redemption may be issued or served upon such certificates, and declaring void all such certificates upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and extinguishing the lien of all such certificates and the lien of the taxes for the year or years described therein upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and the lien of all subsequent taxes paid under any such certificate.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Insert after the word "deeds" in the eighth line of Section 1 of the typewritten bill, the following words: "or filed in the office of the Registrar of Titles of the proper county."

2. Strike out the words "or deeds issued pursuant thereto" where said words appear in the third line of page 2 of the typewritten bill.

3. Insert after the word, "record" where it occurs in the sixth line of page 2 of the bill the words "or file."

4. Strike out the words, "or deed" in the seventh line on page 2 of the typewritten bill.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendment adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 525, A bill for an act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By adding at the end of the bill a paragraph to be designated as Section 2 of the bill, and to read as follows:

"This act shall take effect and be in force from and after October 1, 1919."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 772, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 91, General Laws of 1913 entitled, An act to prescribe the bounds of Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to apportion anew the Senators and Representatives among the several districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of Section 1 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Section 1. That Section 8 of chapter 217, General Laws of 1917 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

EIGHTH DISTRICT.

The eighth district shall be composed of the county of Blue Earth

and shall be entitled to elect one Senator and two Representatives.”

Further amend by striking out all of the title of said S. F. No. 772 and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“A bill for an act to amend subdivision 8 of Chapter 217 of the General Laws of 1917 entitled, An act to prescribe the bounds of Senatorial and Representative districts, and to apportion anew the Senators and Representatives among the several districts.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 40, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to the compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 40,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 582, A bill for an act relating to the salary of the executive officers of the State Securities Commission.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 582,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 307, A bill for an act to amend subdivision three, section one, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 after the word "Follows" in line 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following :

"Secretary of State, forty-five hundred dollars; Assistant Secretary of State, twenty-five hundred dollars; Chief Clerk, eighteen hundred dollars; Recording Clerk, fifteen hundred dollars; Assistant Recording Clerk, twelve hundred dollars; General Clerk, twelve hundred dollars; Custodian of Public Documents, fifteen hundred dollars; United States Government Survey Clerk, fifteen hundred dollars; Stenographer, twelve hundred dollars."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 153, A bill for an act relating to salaries for employes in the Department of Weights and Measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 153,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 623, A bill for an act to amend Section 3633, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the Dairy and Food Commissioner.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 623,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 410, A bill for an act to abolish the offices of six surveyors general of logs and lumber, and providing for the appointment of but one surveyor general of logs and lumber with jurisdiction throughout the state, and repealing inconsistent acts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 410,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 475, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the typewritten bill after the word "installments" where the same occurs in line three of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

"Game and Fish Commissioner, thirty-six hundred (\$3600.00) dollars; first assistant, two thousand (\$2000.00) dollars; chief clerk, sixteen hundred (\$1600.00) dollars; bookkeeper, fourteen hundred (\$1400.00) dollars; three clerks and stenographers at not more than the aggregate sum of thirty-nine hundred (\$3900.00) dollars; Superintendent of Fisheries, twenty-seven hundred (\$2700.00) dollars; foreman of St. Paul Fish Hatchery, twelve hundred (\$1200.00) dollars; foreman of Glenwood fish hatchery, twelve hundred (\$1200.00) dollars; foreman of the Detroit fish hatchery, twelve hundred (\$1200.00) dollars; foreman of the French River fish hatchery, twelve hundred (\$1200.00) dollars; Superintendent of Game Propagation, eighteen hundred (\$1800.00) dollars.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 462, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and towns, having a population of not less than five thousand, and an assessed valuation of not less than ten million and not governed by any special charter adopted by such village, pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, State Constitution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred--

S. F. No. 722, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred--

H. F. No. 328, A bill for an act to amend Section 3958, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to secretary and other officers of soldiers' home and compensation paid therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred--

S. F. No. 345, A bill for an act requiring Chief of the Fire Department in every city, village or town to make inspections of buildings and keep records thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred--

S. F. No. 454, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of the public examiner and of the several employees in his office.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 after the word "follows" in line 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Public Examiner, \$4,500.00; Deputy Public Examiner, \$3,000.00; one assistant public examiner, \$3,200.00; one assistant public examiner, \$2,700.00; four assistant public examiners, \$2,400.00 each; two assistant public examiners, \$2,100.00 each; six

assistant public examiners, \$1,800.00 each; one assistant public examiner, \$1,500.00; one executive clerk, \$1,500.00; one assistant to examiners, \$1,200.00; two stenographers, \$1,200.00 each; one clerk, \$1,200.00; one clerk, \$1,000.00; one typist, \$720.00."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 147, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to the compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing Subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. The Commissioner of Insurance may appoint a Deputy Commissioner of Insurance to assist him in his duties, who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00); an Actuary who shall receive an annual salary of forty-two hundred dollars (\$4200.00); a Chief Examiner who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00); three Assistant Examiners who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2400.00) each; a Rate Supervisor who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00); an Assistant Actuary who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00); a Statistician who shall receive an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800.00); a license clerk who shall receive an annual salary of twelve hundred dollars (\$1200.00); a chief clerk who shall receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00); a bookkeeper or cashier who shall receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00); four stenographers who shall receive an annual salary of not more than forty-eight hundred dollars (\$4800.00) in the aggregate; one clerk at not to exceed an annual salary of nine hundred dollars

(\$900.00); and at any time between the first day of January and last day of June of each year may also appoint two additional clerks at not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per month each. All salaries authorized by this act shall be payable in monthly installments and shall be in full compensation for all services rendered in the discharge of their respective duties; provided, that the actual and necessary expenses incurred by the Commissioner or any salaried employee of the Department of Insurance in connection with any examination of an insurance company, shall be repaid by the State Treasurer upon proper vouchers on condition that the same shall have previously been charged to such insurance company so examined, and by such company paid into the State Treasury."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 186, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide that any patent or proprietary medicine, pills, powders, salves, liniments, salts of all kinds and cigars, manufactured or offered for sale in this state, shall not have the retail selling price printed or stamped on them, either on the inside or outside wrapper or carton.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 186,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 280, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture, sale and dispensation of medicines, extracts and condiments.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 280,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 663, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 47, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, entitled an act requiring all places or receptacles where any fruit or any food products are manufactured, packed, stored, deposited, kept, collected, prepared, produced, sold or served to be kept and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, providing for inspection of all such places and prescribing penalties and punishments for violations hereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 664, A bill for an act to amend Section 3712, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of unwholesome substances for use as food and penalties for violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 673, A bill for an act to amend Section 3678, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of operations of testing apparatus, and the penalties for violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 697, A bill for an act to appropriate money to State Board of Control for the purpose of removing weeds from certain public waters in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 697,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 476, A bill for an act to amend Section 4973, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians by the State Medical Examining Board.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

Mr. Gandrud's resolution introduced February 28th asking for an investigation of state lands in which there is a deposit of marl, limestone and other material entering into the manufacture of cement.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gandrud's resolution.

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 677, 688, 154, 690, 628, 682, 726, 309, 525, 772, 307, 475, 462, 722, 345, 454, 663, 664, 673, 697 and 476,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 457, 328 and 147,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Vibert moved that S. F. No. 803 be recalled from the Committee on Education and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 803,

Was recalled from the Committee on Education.

S. F. No. 803,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Baldwin moved that S. F. No. 148 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Baldwin then moved that the report of the Committee on S. F. No. 148 be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carley moved that S. F. No. 151, No. 140 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 151,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Larson moved that S. F. No. 798 be recalled from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 798,

Was recalled from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Larson then moved that S. F. No. 798 be re-referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 798,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Denegre moved that S. F. No. 807 be recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 807,

Was recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Denegre then moved that S. F. No. 807 be re-referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 807,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Widell moved that S. F. No. 148 be given its second reading and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 148,

Was read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended and that—
S. F. No. 694, No. 128 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 694, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 200 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1876, and

Chapter 92 of the Special Laws of the year 1881, and acts confirmatory and amendatory thereof, by adding a provision for a department of the Municipal Court of the City of Stillwater to be known as the Court of Conciliation.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Ward,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 610 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 501 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 501 be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 501, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the county board of the several counties in this state under the conditions named in this act to make all necessary orders directing the improvement hereinafter provided for, to secure the removal of trees, brush, stumps and other like material from land suitable for cultivation and for the prevention of forest fires and the drying up of said land and improvement of the general welfare, to provide the funds therefor and to levy the cost for the construction of such improvement upon the lands benefited.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Bessette moved to amend S. F. No. 501 as follows:

In line 1 of the title of the printed bill strike out the word "several" and insert in lieu thereof the word "certain." Further amend by inserting at the end of S. F. No. 501 a new section to be known as Section 17 to read as follows:

"None of the provisions of this act shall apply to any county in this State having an area of less than 5,000 square miles, fifty per cent of whose area is covered by a forest growth," and re-numbering Section 17 as Section 18.

Further amend in Section 14 line 5 after the word "thereto" strike out the following words: "Provided, however that no such bonds shall be issued until the same has been authorized by a majority vote of the electors of said county at any general or special election."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 32 and nays 23, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cliff,	Hernes,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Fowler,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gierset,	Lee,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill failed to pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Naplin moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 676 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate pass over the Calendar and proceed to the consideration of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Sullivan, G. H., in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Sullivan, G. H., reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 624, 445, 457, 446, 405, 456, 455, 453, 160, 236 and 463.

Also

H. F. No. 328,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 775, 173, 232, 131, 110, 65, 294, 156, 214, 126, 12, 263, 421, 426, 399, 450, 229 and 352.

Also

H. F. Nos. 19, 307 and 427.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 395.

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 466.

Which the committee recommends to progress with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Fowler:

Amend S. F. No. 466 by inserting after the comma after the word "agents" in line 33 of paragraph 4 of Section 3 of the printed bill the following: "and for a fee, salary or other reward paid or to be paid either to himself or to any other person for him."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 108.

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Rockne:

Amend S. F. No. 108 by striking out all of Section 9 as adopted by the Senate in Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, March 11th, as said section appears on page 11 of the Journal of the Senate for the 36th day and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 9. "The fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the State Treasury by the Dairy and Food Commissioner. The State Treasurer shall transmit one-half of such license money semi-annually to the Treasurer of the city, village or county from which the license is issued."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 401,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment, and with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Offered by Mr. Sullivan, J. D.—

Amend S. F. No. 401 by striking out all of the title after the word "township" in the first line of the title; and further moves to amend said S. F. No. 401 by striking out Sections 3, 4 and 5 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 394,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock A. M. Monday, March 17.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, March 17, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Callahan, Conroy and Cashel were excused for today.

Mr. Jackson was excused for this afternoon.

Mr. Orr was excused for the week.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

DALTON, MINN., MARCH 13, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir: For myself and family I want to express to the Senate our sincere thanks and gratitude for the kind resolution of sympathy and appreciation adopted yesterday, a copy of which I have just received from the Secretary.

Very sincerely,

OLE O. SÄGENG.

Which letter was read and ordered printed in the Journal.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, March 14, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 203, An act providing the method of payment of salaries and compensation of County Road Engineers and their assistants and employes, in any county in this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles.

S. F. No. 226, An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 235, Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Section 6 of Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, which section provides for the appointment by the Commissioner of Highways of assistant engineers and prescribing their powers, duties and compensation.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST.

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Bessette and Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 824, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 363, Laws of 1915, which said Chapter **363 is entitled, An act establishing a State Athletic Commission and regulating boxing and sparring in the State of Minnesota.**

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 825, A bill for an act relating to a Minnesota State Song and to the singing thereof in the various schools of this State.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 826, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed

under a home rule charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation, lands, sites and buildings necessary therefor and to provide for maintaining and operating in connection therewith and therein refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement, and to make rules and regulations relative thereto and provide penalties for violations of such rules and regulations.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 827, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to manufacture, gather, purchase and store ice and sell and distribute ice to such cities and the several departments thereof and the inhabitants of such cities and to acquire all necessary lands, ice plants, buildings, property, machinery and equipment necessary and convenient therefor, and to issue bonds to defray the costs thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 828, A bill for an act to authorize and empower cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to engage in and conduct and carry on the business of carrying and transporting passengers for hire upon the public streets and highways of such cities and to acquire, purchase, equip, own, maintain, use and operate automobiles, motor buses, motor vehicles and other vehicles and property of any kind necessary therefor and to make rules and regulations for the proper conduct of such business and to issue and sell municipal bonds to defray the costs and expenses thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Messrs. Cliff, Gandrud, Hall, Cumming, Hamer, Hegnes, Cashel, Hopp and Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 829, A bill for an act to establish a Department of Agriculture, provide for the appointment of a commissioner, and define his powers and duties, appropriate funds for the support of such department, defining penalties for the violation of law relative to food products and the punishment of such offenders.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Lee introduced—

S. F. No. 830, A bill for an act to amend Section 2327, of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the collection of taxes on money and credits.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 831, A bill for an act to amend Section 2330 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws 1907, being Section 5032, General Statutes 1913, relating to qualifications entitling pharmacists to registration.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 832, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913, entitled, An act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 833, A bill for an act to amend Section 879, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 80, Laws 1917, relating to the compensation of County Treasurer in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 833, A bill for an act to amend Section 879, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 80, Laws 1917, relating to the compensation of County Treasurer in certain counties.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 833

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 833, A bill for an act to amend Section 879, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 80, Laws 1917, relating to the compensation of County Treasurer in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 834, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the county auditor and county treasurer in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants, to pay claims against the county for labor and for the use of teams engaged in day labor for such county, without the same having been first audited and allowed by the County Board.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 835, A joint resolution relating to amnesty for political prisoners.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Benson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 836, A bill for an act authorizing cemetery associations to re-invest themselves with title to the unused portions of cemetery lots, for failure to pay lot care thereon, and relating to cemeteries.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 837, A bill for an act to improve the public service, commission and define its powers and duties in the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding general terms of the District Court in the County of Pine, Nineteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.

March 17th, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 148, A bill for an act requiring stock yards at terminal markets to be provided with feeding and watering troughs.

March 15th, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 859, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (3) of Section 2, Sections 16, 18, 20, 21 and subdivision (2) of Section 30 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 116, Laws 1915, and Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled: An act relating to public highways; the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of State aid for the construction and improvement of roads and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes.

H. F. No. 862, A bill for an act authorizing the issue and sale of county bonds for the purpose of permanently improving certain state roads.

March 15th, 1919.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 148, A bill for an act requiring stock yards at terminal markets to be provided with feeding and watering troughs.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Widell moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 148 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 148, No. 165 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 148 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 148

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 148

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 859, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (3) of Section 2, Sections 16, 18, 20, 21 and subdivision (2) of Section 30 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 116, Laws 1915, and Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled: An act relating to public highways; the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of State aid for the construction and improvement of roads and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

H. F. No. 862, A bill for an act authorizing the issue and sale of county bonds for the purpose of permanently improving certain state roads.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gandrud, from the Committee on Markets and Marketing, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 675, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of

traffic in eggs, to provide for the licensing of dealers in eggs; to prevent fraud and misrepresentation in dealing in eggs and to prevent the sale of eggs unfit for human food.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 2 by striking out the following: "The returned statement shall truthfully and accurately classify the grade of eggs received according to the general commercial standard and shall include the following information: The number of cases of eggs received, the number of number one eggs, the number of number twos or seconds, the number of cracked, the number of leakers, and the number of rots, as defined in Section 1 of this act."

Amend Section 4 by inserting after the word "producers" where the same occurs in the clause "except those retailers who do not buy direct from the producers" the following words: "or the original shippers."

Further amend Section 4 by striking out the word "ten" where it appears in line 2 of the original bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "thirty."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 861, A bill for an act authorizing the county board of any county to designate an assistant engineer of the highway department or the state to act as superintendent of maintenance on state roads and as such to issue the checks for work done in the maintenance of state roads under the provisions of Chapter 182, Laws 1915.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 829, A bill for an act providing for the erection of highway guide posts and signs by towns, villages and cities and imposing certain duties on the commissioner of highways in relation thereto, making it unlawful to destroy, deface or mutilate any such guide post or sign and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to develop the agricultural resources of the State of Minnesota by land colonization within the state, and creating a State Colonization Commission.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of said bill after enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. There is hereby created a commission to be known as the State Colonization Commission, hereafter referred to as the "Commission," whose duty it shall be to administer the provisions of this act. Said commission shall consist of the Governor, who shall be the chairman thereof, the State Auditor, the State Superintendent of Banks, the Attorney General of the State or an assistant attorney general specifically designated by him therefor and the Commissioner of Immigration, all of whom shall be members of said commission during their terms of office and any three shall constitute a quorum. Said commission shall have its office in the State Capitol in a room to be furnished and equipped by the state and all its records shall be there kept. It shall hold regular bi-weekly meetings on such dates as may be determined by the commission and may hold special meetings upon the call of the chairman; it shall keep a complete record of all its meetings, its accounts and the business it transacts and may prepare all necessary blanks and forms to be used in its proceedings and in the conduct of its business. The Commissioner of Immigration shall act as secretary of the commission. He shall attend to and perform any and all detailed work relative to the commission, and be the keeper of the seal.

The commission shall have power to employ such attorneys, appraisers, experts, assistants, clerks and other employes as it may deem necessary to conduct the business of said commission, whose salaries shall be fixed by said commission.

The commission shall biannually make a full report of its operations to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House who shall cause the same to be printed for the information of the members. This report shall constitute an accurate review of the work of the commission for the two years preceding the date of said

report and shall contain a schedule of all applications for the flotation of bonds issued under the provisions of this act, a schedule of all approved bond issues, a schedule of all rejected bond issues and a statement of the receipts and disbursements of the commission and such other material information as relates to the work of the office.

It shall be the duty of the commission to further proper efforts in land settlement work within the state by preparing from time to time bulletins setting forth the principal features of this act and, through the medium of the press, disseminate information in regard to its endeavors and purpose.

Section 2. That the commission shall have power subject to the limitations and requirements of this act:

1st—To receive applications from organized corporations, associations or companies engaged in colonization and land settlement work, having a paid up capital stock of not less than \$50,000, for the authorization of said corporations, associations or companies to operate under the provisions of this act.

2nd—To approve or reject such applications; provided that upon approval the commission shall issue its certificate authorizing such corporation, association or company to operate under the provisions of this act, which certificate shall be revocable for cause.

3rd—To approve or reject any applications made by qualified colonization and land settlement corporations, associations or companies for the flotation of bonds bearing the approval of the commission; and if approved to endorse upon the face of each of the bonds issued thereunder the words, "This bond is of an issue approved by the State Colonization Commission and is secured by a certain trust deed (briefly describing the same)."

4th—To charge applicants under this act reasonable fees to cover the actual appraisal and determination of title costs; provided that the commission can make such regulations requiring the giving by such applicants of proper bonds to indemnify the commission against any loss by the incurring of such expenses on behalf of such applicants.

5th—To do all things necessary for the proper and efficient conduct of its business and in furtherance of the purposes of this act.

Section 3. That whenever an application, for the flotation of bonds bearing the approval of the State Colonization Commission, is made by a qualified colonization and land settlement corporation, association or company to the commission, such application shall

be referred to one or more of the appraisers appointed by the commission and such appraiser or appraisers shall investigate and make a written report upon the land offered as security for such bond issue. No such application shall be favorably acted upon by the commission unless said written report is favorable. The land settlement appraisers appointed by the commission shall make such examinations and appraisals and conduct such investigations as the commission shall direct.

Section 4. That the commission shall not approve the flotation of any bonds under any colonization or land settlement project except when such project is made upon the following terms and conditions:

1st—Said bonds shall be secured by duly recorded trust deeds executed by the colonization corporation, association or company on agricultural lands within this state.

2nd—The premises conveyed by such trust deeds must be held by the colonization company grantor in fee simple absolute and free from all encumbrances, subject to land contracts executed and delivered by the grantor to actual settlers on such premises; provided that the term "encumbrance" shall not include ditch, drainage, road and like assessments levied by the state or any subdivision thereof for a public purpose.

3rd—A trust company organized under the laws of this state shall alone be designated as trustee in trust deeds executed under the provisions of this act.

4th—The commission shall determine the interest rate to be paid upon bonds of any such issue. No bonds issued by such colonization company shall receive the approval of the commission when its bonded indebtedness is in excess of twenty times the amount of its capital and surplus.

The interest rate, to be paid upon land contracts and mortgages owned by such companies pledged as security for an issue of bonds bearing the approval of the commission under the terms of this act, shall not exceed by more than one per centum per annum the rate of interest to be paid upon the bonds of that issue.

5th—The commission shall approve the trustee designated to act under the terms of the trust deed and shall approve the form and execution of all trust deeds, land contracts, real estate and chattel mortgages pledged thereunder. The title to all lands covered by any trust deed must receive the approval of the commission before the insurance of any bonds thereon.

6th—All land contracts issued to settlers upon premises covered by said deeds of trust shall be assigned by the grantor to the trustee and shall be held by the trustee as a part of the security underlying the bonds issued. The payment of such land contracts shall be guaranteed by the grantor in such deeds of trust.

7th—No bonds shall be issued bearing the approval of the commission upon any trust deed in amount in excess of sixty-five per cent of the appraised valuation of the property offered as security; provided that no land contracts having an unpaid balance of the purchase price thereon in amount more than eighty per cent of the appraised valuation of the land shall be eligible as security for a bond issue. Not more than twenty per cent of the land contracts issued upon lands covered by any trust deed shall have an unpaid balance of the purchase price on each land contract representing more than sixty-five per cent of the appraised value of the land. Not more than fifty per cent of the land contracts issued upon lands covered by any trust deed shall have an unpaid balance of the purchase price on each land contract representing more than fifty per cent of the appraised value of the land.

First mortgages executed by settlers on lands covered by such trust deeds can be considered the same as land contracts for the purpose of this act; provided further that the commission may accept land contracts issued by the grantor to soldiers, sailors or marines honorably discharged from the service of the United States and being actual settlers upon the lands covered thereby, as proper security underlying such bond issues although an amount representing not more than ten per cent of the appraised value of such lands has been paid at that time, provided, however, that not more than fifty per cent of the security underlying any certain bond issue can be made up of land contracts executed to soldiers, sailors or marines honorably discharged from the service of the United States and upon which there is due an amount in excess of eight per cent of the appraised valuation of the land.

8th—Chattel mortgages, when executed by a soldier, sailor or marine honorably discharged from the service of the United States being actual settlers upon lands covered by a trust deed issued under the provisions of this act, may be pledged by such colonization companies as securities underlying such bond is-

sues. The amount secured by each such mortgage shall not exceed the sum of \$500.00, nor bear an interest rate greater than seven per cent per anum, on the principal secured. No such loan shall exceed fifty per cent of the appraised value of the property mortgaged. Not more than five per cent of the amount of the securities underlying any bond issue shall be such chattel mortgage loans.

9th—A sum equal to one-eighth of one per cent of the face value of all bonds issued by qualified colonization or land settlement corporations, associations or companies and bearing the approval of the commisison under the terms of this act must be paid by such colonization company at the time of the issuance of such bonds and annually thereafter. The sum so paid to the commission shall be deposited with the State Treasurer and shall constitute a revenue fund to cover costs of operation and as such be subject to the disposal of the commission. This amount must be paid by such colonization companies independent of the actual appraisal and determination of title costs for which a separate charge is made.

Section 5. That whenever the commission has approved any issue of bonds in accordance with the provisions of this act it shall request the grantor in the trust deed securing same to furnish it with printed bonds properly executed by such colonization company. Upon receipt of such bonds properly executed the commission shall endorse its approval thereon.

It shall be the duty of the trustee to see that the bonds outstanding by virtue of any trust deed shall be secured by payments due on land contracts or mortgages on lands covered thereby, or chattel mortgages executed by soldiers, sailors or marines honorably discharged from the service of the United States, as provided by the act, at least equal to the amount of such bonds, and the valuation of the property covered by the securities shall be at least twice the amount of the bonds. The commission may at any time call upon any colonization company for additional security to protect the bonds issued by it, under the provisions of this act.

Every colonization company issuing bonds bearing the approval of the commission shall be primarily liable therefor and in no wise can the commission be considered as incurring any liability thereon.

Section 6. All bonds issued under the terms of this act shall

be issued in denominations of \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500 or \$1000; they shall run for a specified minimum and maximum period subject to payment and retirement, at the option of the colonization company at any time after five years from the date of their issue. They shall have interest coupons attached payable semi-annually and shall be issued in series of not less than \$25,000, the amount and terms to be fixed by the commission. They shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed six per cent per annum.

The commission shall prescribe rules and regulations concerning the circumstances and manner in which these bonds shall be paid and retired under the provisions of this act.

The colonization company, grantor in any trust deed, may with the approval of the commission and in such amounts as the commission may determine, substitute, as security underlying any bond issue, cash or any obligations of the United States government.

Section 7. Bonds issued under the terms of this act bearing the approval of the commission shall be a lawful investment for all fiduciary and trust funds and may be accepted as security for all public deposits. They shall constitute a lawful investment for any person or corporation handling moneys for any and all lawful purposes.

Section 8. Should the courts of this state declare any section or provision of this act unconstitutional or unauthorized, or in conflict with any other section or provision of this act, then such decision shall effect only the section or provisions declared to be unconstitutional or unauthorized and shall not affect any other section or part of this act.

Section 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its passage.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass and 500 copies be printed.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 551, A bill for an act to empower counties bordering on the Red River of the North to make appropriations to aid and assist townships within said counties bordering on said

river in paying for, erecting, repairing and improving and rebuilding bridges across the said Red River of the North in such townships.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 551 by striking from Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 the editorial matter at the beginning of each section.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 718, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 718,

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 107, A bill for an act creating a Board of Censors for motion picture films, reels or views, prescribing its duties and the salaries of the members thereof, providing a system of examination of such films, reels and views, and providing penalties for violation of the act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 107,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 348, A bill for an act to amend Section 718, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 270 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to the establishment and maintenance of County Tuberculosis Sanatoria.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 348,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 686, A bill for an act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 686,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 592, A bill for an act to amend Section 2513, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation of surveyors in judicial road proceedings.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 592,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to authorize the county board in any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 150,000 nor more than 220,000 inhabitants, and an area of over 5,000 square miles to establish by purchase or lease an industrial home school for girls; and to provide for the maintenance of the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to authorize the county board in

any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 150,000 nor more than 220,000 inhabitants, and an area of over 5,000 square miles to establish by purchase or lease an industrial home school for girls; and to provide for the maintenance of the same.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 781,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to authorize the county board in any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 150,000 nor more than 220,000 inhabitants, and an area of over 5,000 square miles to establish by purchase or lease an industrial home school for girls; and to provide for the maintenance of the same.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Benson,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 669, A bill for an act authorizing county boards to grant petitions of school boards to have lands adjacent to or projecting into school districts set off and made a part of such districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 747, A bill for an act to amend Section 9346 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to charges for other than county prisoners and authorizing counties to pay one dollar per day for the board of its prisoners confined in other counties from and after April 10, 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 744, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 454, A bill for an act authorizing the boards of county commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 807, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of, roads in said county, or in any portion thereof, or in any counties adjoining said county, and to expend the proceeds thereof for said purposes in any one year, regardless of existing limitations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 807, be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without being printed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 807,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 745, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of thirty thousand, or less, according to the last state or national census, in which is located a city of the third class, operating under a home rule charter, to acquire by gift from such city an interest in and to any hospital and hospital equipment which may now or hereafter belong to such city; authorizing such city to make such gift, and providing for the method by which such hospital shall be operated after it becomes the joint property of such county and such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 353, A bill for an act to amend Section 1011 General Statutes 1913, relating to certain school expenses and the payment of the same by the county board.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 102, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 102, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 102,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 102, A bill for an act relating to cities in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ross,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that S. F. No. 51 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that S. F. No. 51 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 51,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 478, A bill for an act to validate certain debts contracted and pecuniary liabilities incurred, by the authorities of coun-

ties of this state, having a population of less than 16,000 inhabitants in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 675, 551, 467, 669, 747, 744 and 745,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 861, 829, 454, 353 and 478,
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that S. F. No. 454, No. 159 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 454,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Guilford moved that S. F. No. 720 be recalled from the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 720,

Was recalled from the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Guilford then moved that S. F. No. 720 be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 720,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Turnham moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 308 passed, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Turnham then moved that S. F. No. 308 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 308,

Was laid on the table.

Mr. Bessette moved that the vote whereby the report of the Committee on S. F. No. 280 was adopted be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette then moved that S. F. No. 280 be re-referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 280,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Madigan introduced the following resolution—

Whereas the Governor has sent a communication to the Legislature, containing the report of the Minnesota Memorial Commission, and

Whereas, the report of said Commission recommends the erection of a fitting memorial at the State University,

Therefore, be it resolved, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring, that the report of the State Memorial Commission be approved and adopted as submitted by the Governor, to wit:

“The creation of a beautiful mall upon the campus of the State University with a magnificent Memorial Auditorium at the northern end, which will have a seating capacity of from six to eight thousand and will have several rooms suitable for meetings of veterans. Proper space and place will be arranged in the Auditorium Building for relics and documents of the wars. The names of the men and women of Minnesota, who have served, will appear on bronze tablets in the rotunda of the Auditorium.

“At the southern end of the mall on the banks of the Mississippi will be erected a stately Campanile, 225 feet in height, in the tower of which will be chimes that will carry the message of those who have made the great sacrifice.

“On this Campanile will appear the name of every Minnesota man and woman who has died in the service of our country.”

Be it further resolved, that the Governor of the State be and hereby is commended for the appointment of said Commission, and that he is requested and authorized to take such further steps in the matter of said Commission, as shall result in the carrying out of the plans proposed by it as Minnesota's Memorial to its citizens who have served in any and all of the nation's wars.

Be it further Resolved, that it shall be the duty of the Commission authorized by the adoption of this resolution, to raise by volun-

tary contributions, the amount needed to erect the said memorial in a manner worthy of the great State of Minnesota, and to do all things necessary for the erection and completion of such memorial upon the State University Campus.

Be it further resolved, that we urge the citizens of Minnesota to contribute liberally toward the erection of this memorial, to the end that the deeds of the men and women who so freely offered their all, and the supreme sacrifice of those who gave the last full measure of their devotion, may be fittingly commemorated and that future generations may have kept before them the high ideals of citizenship and the exalted patriotism which their example will forever promote and advance.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Benson was excused for the balance of the day.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate do recess until 2:00 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2.00 P. M.

Mr. Bessette moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Hamer,	Millett,	Rockne,	Ward,
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Widell,

Mr. Bessette moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Boylan was excused for this afternoon.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 451, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 500, G. L. 1913, relating to county tuberculosis sanatoria.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 436, A bill for an act to amend Section 3864, General Statutes of 1913, relating to communication between engine rooms and workrooms; the same being Section 3, Chapter 316, General Laws of 1913, an act to require more adequate protection of employes from accidental injury or death in the course of their occupation, etc.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hall,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 438, A bill for an act to amend Section 3816, General Statutes 1913, relating to examinations for positions in the Department of Labor and Industries, the same being Section 5, Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, an act creating the Department of Labor and Industries.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 36 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Romberg,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Carley,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Stepan,	
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Coleman,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Swanson,	
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Turnham,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 437, A bill for an act to amend Section 3879, General Statutes 1913, relating to external fire escapes and fire protection in buildings where persons are employed.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 439, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, the same being Section 3819 of the General Statutes of 1913, to empower the employes of the Department of Labor and Industries to enter offices as well as places of employment and to remain while engaged in their official duties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Coleman,	Cumming,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,	Denegre,

Devold,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Reed,	Turnham,
Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Stepan,	
Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Gjermet,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 155, A bill for an act fixing the fees to be charged and received by County Abstract Clerks.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjermet,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,	
Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 432, A bill for an act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Swanson,
Carley,	Fowler,	Lee,	Reed,	Turnham,
Coleman,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Cumming,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Ward,
Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 482, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 199 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, the same being an act entitled, An act to establish a State Teachers' insurance and retirement fund and to authorize the payment of annuities and benefits from such fund to retired teachers of public schools and of other educational, correctional and charitable institutions supported wholly or in part by the State of Minnesota and to regulate the creation, collection, management and disbursement thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

Mr. Ward voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. McGarry in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. McGarry reported that the committee had considered.

S. F. Nos. 775, 352, 398, 556, 604, 599, 469, 562, 355, 541, 472, 442, 538, 535, 572, 485, 583, 544, 115, 356, 128, 587, 318, 418, 354, 561, 42.

Also

H. F. Nos. 200, 340, 157, 180, 336, 119, 302,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 131, 110, 65, 294, 156, 214, 126, 12, 263, 421, 426, 399, 466, 450, 229, 422, 596, 606, 415, 563, 515, 169, 413.

Also

H. F. Nos. 19, 307, 427, 255, 159, 213, 60, 174.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. Nos. 152 and 364.

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 50,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

S. F. No. 537,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Erickson—

Amend S. F. No. 537 as follows:

Strike out the figures "\$2,000.00" where the same occur in the 4th line of Section 3 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "\$3,000.00."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 458,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment, and privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Offered by Mr. Erickson—

Amend S. F. No. 458 by striking the word "motor" out of the title of the bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGarry then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Blomgren moved that S. F. No. 802 be recalled from the House for the purpose of reconsidering the vote whereby it passed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Devold moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, March 18, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Boylan and Callahan were excused for today.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Rochester Minn., March 15, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson, Lieutenant Governor,
Senate Chamber,
St. Paul, Minnesota.*

My dear Governor: I feel that I should report to you my condition.

I now seem to be making rapid progress toward health, and while it will be some time before I can count myself fully recovered, still I think, and the doctor encourages me in this, that I shall have sufficient strength in two weeks from now to warrant me in taking my seat in the Senate. Inasmuch as this time is now, apparently, so near, I should very much like to have my committee assignments reserved for me as I am anxious to do what I can to make up for my long enforced absence,

With the kindest regards I am.

Very sincerely,

A. C. GOODING.

Which letter was read and ordered printed in the Journal.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 838, A bill for an act to define the qualifications for the practice of architecture in the State of Minnesota; to provide for the examination and registration of architects and to provide for the violation of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 839, A bill for an act relating to the number of hours a person may be permitted to labor and to the powers of the Commissioner of Labor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Messrs. McGarry, Vibert, Swanson, Nord, Naplin and Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 840, A bill for an act fixing the salaries of judges of the district court in and for the fifteenth judicial district of the state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 841, A bill for an act authorizing certain counties to make use of a part of the poorhouse for hospital purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 842, A bill for an act to amend Section 7026, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to liens for labor and materials for improvement of real estate, and providing for releasing property from the mechanics' liens under certain conditions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 843, A bill for an act to appropriate \$192.00 to pay Dr. J. E. Corrigan for professional services rendered Lillian White.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 844, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of education for unorganized territory, containing 75 or more townships or fractions thereof, in counties of this state, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding floating indebtedness.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 845, A bill for an act fixing salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor and the county treasurer in counties now and hereafter having not less than fifty or more than seventy full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not more than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 846, A bill for an act amending Chapter 122, Laws 1917, "authorizing and empowering any city of this state having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants to pro-

vide for a heating plant, the same to be of municipal or private ownership," and further providing for the purchase of such plants and the issue of bonds therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 847, A bill for an act amending Section 2128 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 303, General Laws of Minnesota for year 1917, relating to delinquent taxes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 848, A bill for an act to fix the salary of county auditors in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 849, A bill for an act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 850, A bill for an act concerning fraudulent conveyances and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 851, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6966 and 6973, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to chattel mortgages and the foreclosure thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 852, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Sec-

tion 10 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota and authorizing the Legislature to enact laws for the acquisition, improvement, development and sale of lands suitable for agricultural purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 853, A bill for an act providing for the filing, recording and indexing in the office of Register of Deeds of bills of sale, instruments evidencing a lien on or reserving title to personal property and satisfactions of liens on personal property.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Stepan introduced—

S. F. No. 854, A bill for an act relating to the compensation of members of county boards in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Stepan introduced—

S. F. No. 855, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. Anna Nelson of Gray Eagle, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 856, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of any city of the first or second class to provide, by resolution, for the exercise by one of the judges of the Municipal Court of any such city of like powers and duties as are granted to and imposed on the conciliation judge of the Municipal Court of the city of Minneapolis by the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 857, A bill for an act to regulate the investment and expenditure of moneys, securities or property transferred to charitable, educational, religious or benevolent corporations or associations conditional upon the payment of an income therefrom to the donor, or other person, or upon the maintenance of the donor or other person for life, or for a shorter period.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Jackson introduced—

S. F. No. 858, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in all places of employment, both inside and outside, by requiring the owners of such places, and, in certain cases, the owners of buildings and grounds in or on which such places are located, to keep them in good sanitary condition; to require proper and adequate ventilation in such places; to require toilet facilities in such places; to require pure drinking water in such places; to require dressing rooms, locker rooms and washing facilities in certain of such places; to require a reasonable temperature to be maintained in such places; to prevent overcrowding in such places; to prohibit employes in such places from doing certain acts that are a menace to the health and safety of others; to require seats for women employes in such places, and providing penalties for violations of the act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 859, A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a State Commissioner of Drainage, prescribing his duties and compensation, and for an advisory board, its method of appointment and its duties, and for other purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 860, A bill for an act limiting the hours of employment of persons engaged in work injurious to health, to-wit, laborers in flour mills, firemen and engineers in boiler and engine rooms, and laborers in mines underground and in linseed oil plants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

Messrs. Nolan, Putnam, Rask, Widell, introduced—

S. F. No. 861, A Joint Resolution memorializing the War Department to discharge certain persons now in the military or naval services of the United States.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 861 be printed in the Journal and the bill laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 861,

Was laid on the table.

S. F. No. 861, A Joint Resolution memorializing the war department to discharge certain persons now in the military or naval services of the United States.

Whereas, an armistice between the Allied Powers and the Central Powers has been formally entered into, and in all probability a treaty of peace will be signed without any further hostilities, and,

Whereas, many persons in the military and naval service of the United States are now being employed in France in building highways, breaking rock, and in reconstruction work, and,

Whereas, Such work could more appropriately be performed by German and Austrian prisoners of war and by conscientious objectors, whom, it is uniformly reported, are now the subjects of unusually considerate treatment, and are being discharged in great numbers with back pay, which is in reality a bonus, and,

Whereas, There are many residents of Minnesota who enlisted in the army engineering corps, and who are now being held in France to assist in road building and other reconstruction work, and are apparently rewarded for their meritorious and brilliant services with additional duties and,

Whereas, The keeping of these enlisted men and officers in France for the purpose of breaking rock and building turnpikes is unfair and unnecessary, and results in many hardships, and causes great discontent, and is not in accord with the government's promises at the time these men entered military and naval service,

Be It Therefore Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House concurring, that the war department of the United States of America be and the same is hereby urgently petitioned and requested to take such measures as may be necessary to secure the immediate release and discharge of all persons from Minnesota in the army engineer corps and in other military and naval branches of the service, now being employed

in road building and reconstruction work, and to prevent the further employment of such persons in such work, and,

Be It Further Resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to United States Senators Knute Nelson and Frank B. Kellogg, and that they be and they hereby are urgently requested to investigate the subject of this memorial, and to use all possible means to bring about a discontinuance of the use of persons who did the fighting for reconstruction work, and to obtain the speedy discharge of Minnesota citizens in the army engineer corps and in other branches of military and naval service of the United States who are now being utilized for reconstruction.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1014, A bill for an act to amend Section 6592 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the election of trustees for religious corporations.

March 17, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for the return of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 802, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding a general term of the District Court in the county of Isanti, Eighteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

March 18, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Blomgren moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 802 passed be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 358, A bill for an act to amend Section 4146 General

Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws of 1917, relating to admissions to the State Schools for the deaf and the blind.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 625, A bill for an act to amend Section 17, Chapter 35, General Laws of 1915, relating to the recording of conveyances of land assessed for sewer construction.

H. F. No. 751, A bill for an act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power of eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.

March 17, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 276, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants and over, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.

H. F. No. 667, A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition, or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition, and to provide for the suspension of laws inconsistent herewith in certain cases; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and the injunction of the person creating, keeping or maintaining or aiding in the same and providing penalties for violations of this act

March 17, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 785, A bill for an act to amend Section 923, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of Register of Deeds.

S. F. No. 23, A bill for an act entitled, An act defining the right to membership in any incorporated fire department, relief association or police department relief association receiving municipal or state aid of all employes and officers, whether elective or appointive, connected with a fire department or police department, alarm, telegraph or signal system, in all villages or cities in this state now or hereafter which may have a population of 50,000 inhabitants or more.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 793, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

March 17, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 751, A bill for an act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power or eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 276, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants and over, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 625, A bill for an act to amend Section 17, Chapter 35, General Laws of 1915, relating to the recording of conveyances of land assessed for sewer construction.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 667, A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for cer-

tain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and maintaining or aiding in the same and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

H. F. No. 793, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 1014, A bill for an act to amend Section 6592 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the election of trustees for religious corporations.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Guilford moved that the rules be suspended, that—

H. F. No. 1014, be given its second reading and placed on the calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1014,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 662, A bill for an act to provide, under certain conditions, remuneration to retired employes of the state of Minnesota who have been in wartime military service of the United States.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 662,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 821, A bill for an act to provide for a memorial arch and building on the grounds of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society for the soldiers, sailors and marines enlisted or drafted from the State of Minnesota outside of the cities of the first class, in the war between the United States and Germany, and appropriating money for the carrying out the purposes of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 821,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 736, A bill for an act to reimburse L. H. Weil for clothing and furnishings supplied soldiers upon certification of the commanding officer of the National Guard.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 736,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 550, A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds heretofore issued by school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred—

S. F. No. 739, A bill for an act authorizing the county attorney of any county in this state to appoint, with the consent of the county board, an assistant county attorney, who shall be paid by the county attorney appointing him.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 5, A bill for an act relating to primary and General Election ballots.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 52, A bill for an act to amend Section 402, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to words placed after names of candidates on the general election ballot.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 52,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 611, A bill for an act to amend Sections 24 and 25 of Chapter 3, Laws 1912; entitled, An act relating to corrupt practices at primaries and elections and candidates to be voted for therein, and providing for punishments for violations thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 620, A bill for an act providing for an appropriation reimbursing F. E. Lindsley for expenses incurred in election contest in the twelfth senatorial district.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 620,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 222, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended, that—

H. F. No. 222 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 355 No. 33 on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 222,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 170, A bill for an act providing for the nomination and certification of candidates for certain State and Federal offices.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "Tuesday" where said word appears in the last line of page 4, in Section 4 of the second engrossed bill of said H. F. No. 170, and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "Monday."

Further amend by inserting after the word "the" where said word first appears in line 1 of Section 5 of said H. F. No. 170, the words "convention or."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that H. F. No. 170 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 814, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, Gen-

eral Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended and that, S. F. No. 814, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 814,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 814, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Anderson,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Baldwin,	Erickson,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blongren,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Reed,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Millett,	Rockne,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 315, A bill for an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections, and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of lines five (5) and six (6) of Section 4 of the original typewritten bill, the following: "one million \$1,000,-000.00) dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00)."

Strike out the last paragraph of Section 4 appearing on page three (3) of the original typewritten bill and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

"None of said bonds herein authorized shall be issued or sold prior to June 1st, 1920; Two hundred and fifty thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars par value of said bonds and no more may be issued and sold on and between June 1st, 1920, and May 31st, 1921, and the unissued and unsold portion of said bonds may be issued and sold on and subsequent to June 1st, 1921."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 315 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 315,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 859. A bill for an act to amend subdivision 3, of Section 2, Sections 16, 18, 20, 21 and subdivision 2 of Section 30 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 116, Laws 1915, and Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled: An act relating to public highways; the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 798, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Sec. 1 of Chap. 90 of the General Laws of the year 1913, relating to the railroad rates in this state and to increase the powers and further define the duties of the board of railroad and warehouse commission in relation to the same and to define, prevent and punish unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of freight on railroads in this state, and prohibiting any railway company doing business in this state from charging or receiving any greater compensation for the transportation of a like kind or class and quantity of property or freight of any description for a shorter than for a longer distance over the same line and empowering and directing the board of railroad and warehouse commission to make and promulgate a schedule or reasonable maximum rate of charges for the transportation of freight and cars and vesting said board of railroad and warehouse commission with power of classification of freight and of freights and railroads and prescribing a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto and providing penalties and punishments for violations of the provisions thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 719, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 627, A bill for an act imposing certain liabilities on persons, firms and corporations in municipalities for the cost of extinguishing fires which occur through their criminal intent, design or wilfull negligence, or where they have not complied with any law, ordinance or other lawful regulation for the prevention of

fire or the spreading thereof; providing a method for the ascertainment of such cost and the manner of collecting the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 711, A bill for an act to provide for the erection of armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 711

Was re-referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 575, A bill for an act creating pensions for disabled and retired policemen in cities now or hereafter having a population of 20,000 and not over 50,000 inhabitants, and providing for a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid, and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and disbursement of such fund.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 575, A bill for an act creating pensions for disabled and retired policemen in cities now or hereafter having a population of 20,000 and not over 50,000 inhabitants, and providing for a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid, and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and disbursement of such fund.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 575

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 575, A bill for an act creating pensions for disabled and retired policemen in cities now or hereafter having a population of 20,000 and not over 50,000 inhabitants, and providing for a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid, and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and disbursement of such fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Swanson,
Coleman,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 742, A bill for an act authorizing cities or villages in this state by a majority vote of the council thereof to modify the conditions upon which lands have been heretofore or may hereafter be deeded to school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 757, A bill for an act relating to the sprinkling of streets in cities of the fourth class, and providing for the paying of the expenses thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 647, A bill for an act relating to the election of trus-

tees in villages organized under and governed, by Chapter 145 General Laws of Minnesota 1885.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 412, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 379 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1901, entitled "An act to authorize and empower cities of this state which now have or hereafter may have no more than fifty thousand (50,000) and not less than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants, to make local improvements and to assess the cost thereof on property benefited thereby."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 759, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by home rule charter to designate and re-designate the ward boundaries of such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 650, A bill for an act authorizing the establishment, improvement and maintenance of county parks in certain counties and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds to provide funds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 650

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 550, 739, 611, 798, 719, 627, 742, 647, 412 and 759,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 5, 170, 859 and 757,
Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 802, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding a general term of the district court in the County of Isanti, Eighteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Blomgren moved to amend S. F. No. 802, by striking out the words "July 1st, 1919" where they occur in the second line of Section 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "its passage".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hall,	Nolan,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Rask,	Swanson,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cumming,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 122 be recalled from the House.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Schmechel moved that the vote whereby the report of the committee on S. F. No. 718 was adopted, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Schmechel then moved that S. F. No. 718 be re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 718,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Hopp moved that H. F. No. 159, No. 25 on General Orders,

be re-referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 159,

Was re-referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

Mr. Rask moved that S. F. No. 606, No. 23 on General Orders; be re-referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 606,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Van Hoven and Turnham were excused for the balance of the day.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 218, A bill for an act amending Section 1, of Chapter 194, General Laws for 1915, authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally sub-normal children in such school districts in certain cases and appropriating money therefor.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Swanson moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

Mr. Swanson moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 218 by inserting in line 1, Section 1 between the word "that" and "Chapter" the following words: "Section 1 of" and that "Section 1" of line 2 be omitted.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 218 by striking out the following words of Section 1 of the printed bill in lines 17 and 18: "and not exceeding sixteen."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 218 by striking out the following words of Section 1 of the printed bill in line 25: "One hundred and fifty (150) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred (\$200.00)."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Reed moved to amend S. F. No. 218 as follows—

By striking out "state superintendent of education" where it appears in Section 1, line 10 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof "superintendent of the state school for the deaf at Faribault, Minnesota." Also amend section 1 in line 14 by striking out the words "state" and "education" where they appear in said line and inserting after the word "of," the "state school for the deaf at Faribault." Also amend Section 1, line 24 by striking out the words "state" and "education" and inserting after the word "of" the "state school for deaf at Faribault."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 218 by inserting after the word "fund" where said word appears in line 21 of Section 1 of the printed bill the words "available to the school district taking advantage of the provisions of this act."

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 58 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Gandrud,	Handlan,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Hegnes,
Baldwin,	Carley,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Hopp,
Benson,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Guilford,	Jackson,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Erickson,	Hall,	Johnson,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hamer,	Kingsbury,

Kuntz,	Madigan,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Larson,	Millett,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Lee,	Naplin,	Rask,	Stepan,	Widell,
Lindsley,	Nolan,	Reed,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Wold,
Loonam,	Nord,	Ribenack,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
McGarry,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, March 19, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Boylan and Callahan were excused for today.

Mr. McGarry was excused for tomorrow.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 862, A bill for an act to amend Section 3631, General Statutes 1913, relating to oil inspection fees and the collection thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 863, A bill for an act to amend Sections 78 and 82, General Statutes 1913, relating to duties of State Treasurer, and repealing Chapter 524, Laws of 1913, providing for additional report by State Treasurer.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 864, A bill for an act to amend Section 845, General Statutes 1913, relating to receipts and payments of money by County Treasurer.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 865, A bill for an act to amend Section 824, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the employment of deputies and clerks in the offices of county auditors in all counties in this State having a population of not less than 220,000 inhabitants and less than 300,000 inhabitants and to fix the salaries of county auditors, their deputies and clerks in such counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 866, A bill for an act to appropriate \$383.90 to reimburse H. E. Lindhe for over charge in the scaling of timber.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 867, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the erection of a monument at Baudette, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Lindsley introduced—

S. F. No. 868, A bill for an act to appropriate money for purchasing a site and erecting a monument in commemoration of the pioneers who were massacred by the Indians in Murray County, Minnesota, in August, 1862.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Widell and Cashel introduced—

S. F. No. 869, A bill for an act to reimburse Milton S. Smith to the extent of \$4,562.94 for balance due under contracts and notes given in connection therewith, and for articles of armory equipment furnished, all in connection with the acquisition of site and the building and furnishing of an armory thereon, which armory site and building are situated in Worthington, Nobles County, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 870, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390 General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of probation officers in certain counties of this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 871, A bill for an act supplemental to Chapter 147, General Laws 1913, and providing for a chief deputy sheriff of the County of Beltrami, and a chief deputy clerk of the district court, resident at the village of Baudette, County of Beltrami, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 872, A bill for an act providing for the payment of loss or damage by fire or tornado to state property, requiring same to be kept safe from fire loss, and repealing certain laws inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 872 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 873, A bill for an act to amend Section 5807, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, so as to provide that the defense of usury shall not be interposed by a corporation, and so as to provide that Sections 5805 and 5806 of said General Statutes shall not be applicable to the obligations of a corporation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 874, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 193 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 412 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and fixing the compensation of county surveyors, their deputies, employees and clerks, in counties having a population of not less than 220,000 inhabitants and not over 330,000 inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 875, A bill for an act fixing the rate of interest upon unpaid state auditor's drafts in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 876, A bill for an act to amend Section 5167, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 394, Laws of 1917, relating to noxious weeds and also to provide for a county weed inspector and prescribing his duties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture.

Mr. Dwyer introduced—

S. F. No. 877, A bill for an act to legalize notices of claims filed against cities of the first class, not having a home rule charter, dur-

ing February 1918 pursuant to Section 1 of Chapter 391, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 878, A bill for an act to regulate the establishment of private schools.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Hall, Rask, Ward, Anderson, Peterson and Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 879, A joint resolution memorializing the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety to pay enlisted men and officers of the Second Minnesota Field Artillery the sum of \$50 apiece.

Which was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hall moved that S. F. No. 879 be printed in the Journal and laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 879

Was laid on the table.

S. F. No. 879, A joint resolution memorializing the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety to pay enlisted men and officers of the Second Minnesota Field Artillery the sum of \$50 apiece.

Whereas, the military unit known as the Second Minnesota Field Artillery was authorized and organized under authority of the State of Minnesota during the War with Germany, and

Whereas, said unit was organized on the assumption that it would be duly recognized by the Federal authorities and mustered into Federal service and become a part of the military forces of the United States, and,

Whereas, said unit was never mustered into the Federal service, but in April, 1918, was disbanded and as a result thereof many enlisted men and officers who gave up lucrative positions to serve their state and country suffered a loss of time and money.

Be It Therefore Resolved by the Senate of the State of Min-

nesota, the House concurring, that the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety be and the same is hereby urgently petitioned and requested to pay each enlisted man and officer who qualified and honorably served in the military organization known as the Second Minnesota Field Artillery the sum of \$50.00 out of funds on hand now in the possession of said Commission, such payment to be made upon duly signed and receipted payrolls to be prepared by the commander of the battery or detachment to which such men or officers were attached, blanks therefor to be furnished by the adjutant general, payrolls to be checked and approved by the adjutant general, and payment to be made upon state auditor's warrant drawn upon the state treasurer.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 880, A bill for an act to establish and create a public park to be known as "The Sibley State Park" and authorizing the purchase and condemnation of land for park purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 881, A bill for an act to amend Section 16, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, and Section 5532 of the General Statutes for 1913, relating to drainage, and providing for a method of payment of expenses in judicial ditch proceedings and for the revival of certain drainage proceedings.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 882, A bill for an act to repeal Section 4 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1869 providing for the incorporation of the village of High Forest, Olmsted County, Minnesota, and all acts and parts of acts supplementary or amendatory thereof, and to restore the territory included in said village to the township of High Forest, Olmsted County, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Hall (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 883, A bill for an act to amend Section 5571 of the

General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 16, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Messrs. Widell, Gillam, Bonniwell introduced—

S. F. No. 884, A bill for an act defining and regulating public stock yards, placing them under the supervision and control of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission and providing penalties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 885, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the Workmen's Compensation Act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 886, A Concurrent Resolution providing for the creation of a commission known as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tide Water Commission.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 887, A bill for an act to authorize cities of the fourth class in counties of this state containing twenty-five thousand or less inhabitants to acquire land for, to erect and equip hospitals for patients other than insane, to lease such hospitals, to receive aid in the erection, construction and maintenance of such hospitals from the county in which such city is located and empowering any such county furnishing such aid from the general revenue fund of said county, as now provided by law, to issue and sell the bonds or warrants of said county up to the amount of and not exceeding the sum that any such county is now permitted, by law, to appropriate and pay from the general revenue fund of such county, as aid in the erection, construction and maintenance in such county of a hospital for the treatment of sick, diseased and injured persons, to provide funds therefor in said

general fund or to replenish the same to the amount so appropriated, and to receive aid by gift or donation for the benefit of said hospital.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Madigan introduced—

S. F. No. 888, A bill for an act requiring fire resisting construction of all buildings used as theaters or moving picture theaters.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 889, A bill for an act to establish and create a public park to be known and designated as "Mille Lacs Lake State Park" and authorizing the purchase and condemnation of land for park purposes and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 712, A bill for an act to amend Section 3954, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws 1915, and Chapter 205, Laws 1917, relating to admission of persons to the Minnesota soldiers home.

March 18, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for the return of the following House File, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 122, A bill for an act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the filing of an affidavit of bias or prejudice of judge.

OSCAR ARNESON,

March 18, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the vote whereby H. F. No. 122 was passed, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam then moved that H. F. No. 122 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 122,

Was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 574, A bill for an act creating a board of estimate and taxation in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution, and defining its powers and duties and regulating taxation, finance and indebtedness therein.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows as per amendments hereto attached.

By inserting after the word "city" in line eight (8) in Section 1 of said original bill the words "or such other member thereof as the board or body may designate at its annual meeting each year."

By inserting after the word "city" where it first appears in line ten (10) of Section 1 of said bill the words "or such other member thereof as the board or body may designate at its annual meeting each year."

By inserting in line thirty-nine (39) in Section 1 of said bill after the word "board" the words "except those who now or hereafter shall receive compensation otherwise from any such city."

That Section 3 of said act be amended by striking out the word "one-tenth" where the same appears in line four (4) of said section and insert in lieu thereof the word "one-fifteenth;" by striking out the word "two-tenths" where the same appears in line eight (8) of said section and substituting in place thereof the word "two-fifteenths;" by striking out the word "one-tenth" where the same appears in line thirteen (13) of said section and substituting in lieu thereof the word "one-fifteenth."

That Section 4 of said act be amended by inserting in said section at the beginning thereof the following words:

"The City Comptroller or chief accounting officer of the city shall at the beginning of every fiscal year and from time to time thereafter, charge against each fund or appropriation the salaries and other ascertained obligations of the year payable there-

from, with charges shall be known as encumbrances upon the fund or appropriation and only that part of the fund or appropriation not so encumbered shall be deemed available for additional expenditures. In no case shall the total encumbrance exceed the total sum appropriated by the City Council or any board of the city to any of its departments, bureaus or divisions; neither shall the City Comptroller issue or treasurer pay warrants drawn upon the funds or appropriations of any board, department, bureau or division of the city or funds or appropriations which are already fully encumbered."

That Section 6 of said act be amended by inserting in line ten (10) of said section after the word "proceeding" the words "or at any other earlier time."

That Section 9 of said act be amended by adding at the end of said section a new sentence reading as follows: "The powers conferred by this section are in addition to all other powers conferred by law upon the city, its city council or any governing board thereof."

That there be inserted after Section 9 of said act a new section known as "Section 10" and reading as follows, to-wit:

The bonds authorized by Section 9 of this act, or any portion thereof, may be issued and sold by any such city notwithstanding any limitation contained in the charter of such city or any law of this state, prescribing or fixing any limit upon the bonded indebtedness of such city, provided the issuance of said bonds will not increase the net bonded indebtedness of the city as defined in Section 1848 General Statutes 1913, to an amount in excess of ten (10) per cent of its assessed valuation, but the full faith and credit of any such city shall at all times be placed for the payment of any bonds issued under this act and for the current interest thereon, and the common council or other governing body of such city shall each year include in the tax levy for such city a sufficient amount to provide for the payment of such interest and for the accumulation of a sinking fund for the redemption of such bonds at their maturity.

That Section 10 of said act be amended by renumbering said section so that it will read "Section 11."

That Section 11 of said act be amended by renumbering said section so that it will read "Section 12."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended, that—

S. F. No. 574 be given its second reading, printed, and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 574,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 131, A bill for an act to amend Section 6017, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 282, Session Laws, Minnesota 1915, and as amended by Chapter 408, Session Laws, Minnesota 1917, and to amend Sections 6019, 6020, General Statutes Minnesota, as amended by Chapter 173, Session Laws Minnesota 1915, and to amend Sections 6021, 6022, 6023, 6024, 6025, 6026, 6027, 6028, 6029, 6031, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, and to repeal Sections 6016, 6032, 6033, 6034, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to legal and partition fences.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 3 of S. F. No. 131 by striking out the period at the end of the paragraph and adding as follows: "and when so collected paid by said county treasurer to the complainant."

Amend Section 4 of said bill by striking out the word "due" where it appears in line four (4) and inserting "thirty days written."

And further amending said Section 4 by striking out all of lines eight (8), nine (9), ten (10) and eleven (11).

Further amending Section 11 of said bill by adding at the end of said section the following:

"The town board shall receive for its services such fees as are allowed for similar and like work for and on behalf of said town."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bonniwell, from the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 366, A bill for an act to prevent fraud and deception in the manufacture and sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs and providing for registration and labeling thereof and repealing Chapter 383, General Laws of Minnesota, 1907, and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bonniwell, from the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 666, A bill for an act providing for the codification and revision of the dairy and food laws.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 818, A bill for an act authorizing municipal subdivisions of the state to appropriate funds in and of the work to be carried on by the Minnesota War Records Commission.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 524, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Drainage Committee.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 524,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 343, A bill for an act to amend Section 693, G. S. 1913, relating to the incidental fund.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 748, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44 Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge purposes additional to that which it is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for purposes of town government, and providing for the collection of such tax and the expenditure of funds derived therefrom.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 672, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor, county treasurer, clerk of the district court and register of deeds, in counties now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars and not more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 672, be given its second reading and placed on General Orders without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 672,

Was read the second time.

Mr. Benson moved, at 10:50 A. M., that the Senate take a brief recess for the purpose of hearing an address by Governor Norbeck of South Dakota.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 10:55 A. M. after having heard an address by Governor Norbeck.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 707, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 146, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 relating to final examination of accounts of county officers and payment of last month's salary.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 159, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 264, A bill for an act classifying telephone companies for purposes of taxation, providing the method by which the property of the companies in each class shall be taxed and fixing the rate of taxation for each class.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 487, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2330 and 2331, General Statutes 1913, relating to the taxation of grain in elevators and warehouses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 532, A bill for an act transferring to the Minnesota Tax Commission the duties of enforcing and administering the inheritance tax laws of this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 532,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 776, A bill for an act authorizing certain villages and cities to acquire land for use as a place within which to tie horses and park automobiles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 508; A bill for an act to amend Section 3806 of Chapter 22, General Statutes 1913, and acts amendatory thereto, relating to forestry and forest fires.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 758, A bill for an act to authorize the recording of certificates of discharge from the United States army, navy and marine corps.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out of line 3 in Section 1, the words "Register of Deeds," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Clerk of Court."

2. By striking out of line 6 in Section 1, the words "Register of Deeds," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Clerk of Court."

3. By striking out of line 1 in Section 3 the words "Registers of Deeds," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Clerks of Court."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 161, A bill for an act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out all the editorial matter at the beginning of each section of the bill.

2. Strike out all of Section 5 of the bill.

3. Strike out all of Section 6, and in lieu thereof insert the following, to be known as Section 5 of the bill:

Section 5. This act shall supersede the provisions contained in Chapter 463 Laws of Minnesota 1917 as to all offenses committed subsequent to the passage hereof, but shall not affect offenses heretofore committed in violation of the provisions of that act or prosecutions therefor or hereafter instituted.

4. Strike out the figure "7" where it appears in Section 7 of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the figure "6."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 805, A bill for an act relating to the exhumation and examination of dead bodies, when necessary, for the purpose of determining the cause of death.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 780, A bill for an act to provide an additional judge for the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District, detaching the county of Pipestone from the Thirteenth Judicial District and attaching it to the Ninth Judicial District, and fixing the terms of court for Pipestone County, when so attached to the Ninth Judicial District.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 425, A bill for an act relating to habitual criminals and providing punishment for the offense of "habitual offending" as herein defined.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out the words "a misdemeanor" where the same appear in the second line of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following: "vagrancy, as defined in Section 9030, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, or other misdemeanor involving prostitution or offenses against women or children."

2. Strike out the words "a misdemeanor" where the same appear in the third line of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following: "vagrancy, as defined in Section 9030, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, or other misdemeanor involving prostitution or offenses against women or children."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 131, 666, 818, 748, 707, 264, 487, 776, 508, 758, 805, 780 and 425.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 366, 343, 159 and 161,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Coleman moved that the memorial exercises set for 2:00 o'clock P. M. tomorrow, be extended to March 27, 2:00 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 861 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 861,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 861, A Joint Resolution memorializing the War Department to discharge certain persons now in the military or naval services of the United States.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 861,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 861, A Joint Resolution memorializing the War Department to discharge certain persons now in the military or naval services of the United States.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Nolan moved to amend S. F. No. 861 by striking out the word "uniformly" where it appears in said Resolution and inserting in lieu thereof the word "authentically."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hammer,	Loonam,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Johnson offered the following resolution—

Whereas, Public confidence in banks and in the management and supervision thereof is essential to public welfare, and

Whereas, Public confidence has been shaken by a number of failures of banks within the State, subject to the jurisdiction, control and supervision of the State Banking Department of Minnesota, therefore be it

Resolved, That a special committee of five members be appointed by the President of the Senate to investigate the State Banking Department, and the means and methods of bank supervision and inspection employed in this state, also as to respects in which said department might be rendered more efficient, and, in that connection, whether the force of bank inspectors or clerical assistance, or both is sufficient, and as to whether the salaries now paid inspectors and clerks are adequate or inadequate, and to frame such recommendations in relation thereto as will best safeguard the mutual interests of the public and the banks.

Resolved, that such committee be and is hereby authorized and empowered to subpoena and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers; to administer oaths to such witnesses and compel them to testify on all matters within the scope of such examination; to employ counsel also stenographer to take down and typewrite testimony and generally to make such expenditures in and about the conduct of such investigation as the committee may deem proper and necessary to accomplish the purposes thereof; but all expenditures incurred by said committee shall in no case exceed the sum of \$1,000.00.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Nolan.

Mr. Denegre moved that—

H. F. No. 6, No. 69 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 6,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hall moved that S. F. No. 419 be recalled from the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 419,

Was recalled from the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Hall then moved that S. F. No. 419 be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 419,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 172, A bill for an act to amend Section 6487 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the formation and validating the acts of co-operative associations.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Guilford moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of offering an amendment to H. F. No. 172.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the Rules,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 10, and nays 50, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Coleman,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Stepan,
Devold,	Guilford,	Palmer,	Ribenack,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,

So the motion to suspend the rules was lost.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Devold, Dwyer, Guilford,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin moved that—

S. F. No. 262, be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 262,

Was taken from the table.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 262, A bill for an act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Baldwin moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Baldwin,	Bessette,	Bonniwell,	Carley,
Anderson,	Benson,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Cashel,

Cliff,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Stepan,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Larson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lee,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Denegre,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Turnham,
Devold,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Reed,	Vibert,
Dwyer,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Erickson,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Fowler,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Wold,
Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Baldwin moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays 22, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	Nord,	Stepan,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cumming,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Swanson,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Carley,	Guilford,	Larson,	Palmer,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Lee,	Rockne,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Loonam,	
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Madigan,	
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Nolan,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 479, A bill for an act relating to the high school board examinations and repealing Sections 2893 and 2894, General Statutes of 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Kuntz,
Anderson,	Carley,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Larson,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Lee,
Benson,	Cliff,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Lindsley,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Madigan,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Naplin,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,

Palmer,	Romberg,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Turnham,	Ward,
Peterson,	Schmechel,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Van Hoven,	Widell,
Reed,	Stepan,	Swanson,	Vibert,	Wold,
Ribenack,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 624, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4476, 4477, 4478, 4479, 4481, 4483, 4489, 4497 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the general supervision of the grain interests of the state and to repeal acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lee,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 108, A bill for an act to regulate the sale of cigarettes and cigarette paper and providing for licensing the manufacture and sale of same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Coleman,	Dwyer,	Erickson,	Palmer,	Ribenack,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 236, A bill for an act creating a board for seed potato inspection and certification, providing penalties for the violation of such provisions and appropriating money for its use.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Erickson, Hall,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 445, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of main sewers.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 457, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public armory building in such city.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Ward,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 446, A bill for an act authorizing the addition and annexation of territory to cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 456, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of extending, and improving the public water works system owned and operated by any such city.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 455, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and installing a water filtration plant for use in connection with the public water works system owned and operated by such city.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 453, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3228 and 3239. G. S. 1913, relating to the office of public examiner.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 160, A bill for an act to amend Section 1488, Revised Laws, 1905, the same being Section 3071, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the settlement of poor persons, so as to provide for the termination of a settlement in this State.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Cosgrove	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Coleman,	Gjerstet.	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 328, A bill for an act to amend Section 3958, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to secretary and other officers of soldiers' home and compensation paid therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg.
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjerstet,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 807, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the

construction or improvement of roads in said county, or in any portion thereof, or in any counties adjoining said county, and to expend the proceeds thereof for said purposes in any one year, regardless of existing limitations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams.	Coleman,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, March 20, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Lee, Kuntz and Sullivan, G. H., were excused for today.

Mr. Gjerset was excused for the forenoon.

Mr. Denegre was excused from 12:00 o'clock noon to 2:00 P. M. today.

Mr. Boylan was excused for the balance of the week.

Messrs. Devold, Benson and Nord were excused for this afternoon.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, March 19, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 712, An act to amend Section 3954, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws 1915, and Chapter 205, Laws 1917, relating to admission of persons to the Minnesota Soldiers' Home.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, March 18, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 23, An act entitled, An act defining the right to membership in any incorporated fire department relief association or police department relief association receiving municipal or state aid of all employees and officers, whether elective or appointive, connected with a fire department or police department, alarm, telegraph or signal system, in all villages or cities in this state now or hereafter which may have a population of fifty thousand inhabitants or more in which a separate bureau or police and fire alarm is provided by law.

S. F. No. 358, An act to amend Section 4146, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws of 1917, relating to admissions to the state schools for the deaf and the blind.

S. F. No. 654, An act fixing the times of holding general terms

of the District Court in the county of Pine, Nineteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 785, An act to amend Section 923, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of Register of Deeds.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 890, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 5 of Section 2a, and subdivision 1 of Section 2c of Chapter 288 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905, entitled, An act providing for taxation of, and fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts, and providing for the manner of payment as well as the manner of enforcing payment thereof, as amended by Chapter 372, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, and Chapter 455, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 891, A bill for an act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 892, A bill for an act providing for the payment of delinquent taxes against freight line companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 893, A bill for an act to amend Section 2917, General Statutes 1913, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Vibert (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 894, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of certain salaries and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 895, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2896 and 2897, General Statutes 1913, relating to payment of school funds to counties by state treasurer and the apportionment thereof by county auditors.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Kuntz introduced—

S. F. No. 896, A bill for an act to appropriate money to compensate Charles Beuch and Mary Beuch for damages sustained by reason of the death of their child, Raymond Beuch, while an inmate of the school for feeble minded.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Ribenack, Adams and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 897, A bill for an act amending Section 53 of Chapter 264 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the municipal court of the City of Duluth and the salaries of the judges and clerks thereof.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 897 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 897

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Anderson introduced—

S. F. No. 898, A bill for an act to authorize the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to prescribe a uniform system of accounting by public local warehousemen receiving and shipping grain;

prescribing proper blanks, books and records to be used and to authorize the revocation of license of any such warehouseman who shall fail to comply with the requirements of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 899, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of certain cities to provide, by resolution, that one of the judges of the municipal court of any such city shall act as a court of conciliation and small debtors' court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Romberg introduced—

S. F. No. 900, A bill for an act providing for the filing of descriptions of real estate with register of deeds in any county, by persons, companies or corporations desiring to sell or purchase such real estate.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 901, A bill for an act providing for the forfeiture to the state of mineral rights upon which taxes are delinquent; fixing the period of such delinquency; and providing for the procedure to be followed to quiet title in the state to such mineral rights.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Turnham introduced—

S. F. No. 902, A bill for an act relating to the taking of fish by nets and seines in certain of the public waters in this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Hopp (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 903, A bill for an act prohibiting the cutting of ice, for the purpose of selling or offering the same for sale in Minnesota, from the Mississippi river at any place in said river south of the south line of the City of South St. Paul and north of the mouth of the St. Croix river, in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Naplin introduced—

S. F. No. 904, A bill for an act providing that counties, operating under the town system of caring for the poor, shall be liable to any town therein, having an assessed valuation of less than \$200,000, for such amount in excess of \$150 paid by such town during any year for the care and relief of the poor therein.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Peterson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 905, A bill for an act proposing to amend Section 5542, General Statutes 1913, being a part of the subdivision entitled: "County Ditches" of Chapter 44, entitled "Drainage", relating to public ditches or drainage of lands and meandered bodies of water, assessment of damages and benefits resulting therefrom.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Peterson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 906, A bill for an act to amend Section 7703, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to limitation of actions in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hall (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 907, A bill for an act to amend Section 5626, of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Cashel introduced—

S. F. No. 908, A bill for an act changing the administration of Part II of the Workmen's Compensation Law; providing for a Workmen's Compensation Board to have original jurisdiction over all matters herein specified in place of the district courts; empowering the Commissioner of Insurance to supervise the licensing and regulating of insurance carriers writing workmen's compensation in this state, empowering the Workmen's Compensation Board to

license adjusters as in this act provided and imposing penalties for the violation thereof; prescribing the powers, duties and manner of procedure of the Workmen's Compensation Board; providing for co-operation of the Workmen's Compensation Board and the State Department of Labor and Industries whenever the work of that department and the Workmen's Compensation Board is interrelated, and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Cashel moved that 250 copies of S. F. No. 908 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 909, A bill for an act limiting the time within which an action may be brought to set aside certain deeds and mortgages made by executors and administrators, and legalizing such deeds and mortgages.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 910, A bill for an act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 911, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 12, Section 294, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 149, Laws 1917, fixing salaries in State Treasurer's office.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S. F. No. 912, A bill for an act creating a State Board of Deposit and repealing Sections 91, 93, 94, 95, 96 and 97, General Statutes 1913, and Chapter 396, Laws of 1917, said sections and chapter being inconsistent with this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 913, A bill for an act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Fowler (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 914, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 517 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in Municipal Courts.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Nord introduced—

S. F. No. 915, A bill for an act prohibiting any person from dealing in disabled horses, mules, or draft animals of any kind.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

Mr. McGarry introduced—

S. F. No. 916, A bill for an act to cure defects in the service of notice of expiration of time of redemption upon tax sale certificates, where notice of expiration of redemption was duly issued within six years after the tax sale but the sixty day limit for redemption did not expire within six years after the date of the tax judgment sale.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 917, A bill for an act to limit the expenditures of certain municipalities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 918, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter to use and dispose of its surplus and unused products and furnish fire protection and use of fire apparatus to

other municipalities and communities outside of such cities and to provide for and permit other municipalities and communities outside of such cities to make connections with and use the sewers and sewer systems of such cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 919, A bill for an act amending Section 2638 of the Revised Statutes for 1913 relating to Board of Automobile Examiners, examining and licensing of chauffeurs.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 600, A bill for an act relating to the organization of banks, and prescribing the duties of the State Securities Commission, and the Superintendent of Banks, in respect thereto.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 396, A bill for an act to amend Section 6360, General Statutes 1913, relating to the percentage of its actual paid in capital and surplus a bank may invest in real estate used by it for the transaction of its business.

S. F. No. 90, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employees in foundries, prescribing standard rules and regulations therefor and providing penalties for violations of the act.

S. F. No. 436, A bill for an act to amend Section 3864, General Statutes of 1913, relating to communication between engine rooms and workrooms; the same being Section 3, Chapter 316, General Laws of 1913, an act to require more adequate protection of employes from accidental injury or death in the course of their occupation, etc.

S. F. No. 437, A bill for an act to amend Section 3879, General Statutes 1913, relating to external fire escapes and fire protection in buildings where persons are employed.

S. F. No. 438, A bill for an act to amend Section 3816, General Statutes 1913, relating to examinations for positions in the Department of Labor and Industries, the same being Section 5, Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, an act creating the Department of Labor and Industries.

S. F. No. 439, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, the same being Section 3819 of the General Statutes of 1913, to empower the employes of the Department of Labor and Industries to enter offices as well as places of employment and to remain while engaged in their official duties.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 547, A bill for an act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

H. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to amend Section 8873, General Statutes 1913, relating to the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or a credit for the payment of the same.

H. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable them for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor, providing for information as to dependents in fatal cases, requiring a supplementary report when an accident previously reported results fatally, fixing a period for the filing of settlements and releases, and prescribing a penalty for failure to file the same.

H. F. No. 114, A bill for an act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after the same are due and owing.

H. F. No. 747, A bill for an act requiring the stock of state banks hereafter organized to be owned by individuals, and making certain transactions relative thereto unlawful.

March 20, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 120, A bill for an act requiring the owner or occupant of premises within this state, on which Mahonia bushes and Barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown, to destroy the same, declaring the same to be a public nuisance; imposing certain powers and duties with reference to the same on the state entomologist; and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

March 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Concurrent Resolution, herewith transmitted:

A Concurrent Resolution requesting the Board of Control and Warden of the State Prison to increase the manufacture and output of farm machinery and binding twine in the State Penitentiary.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 19, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Nolan moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 600, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,

Mr. Johnson voted in the negative.

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 547, A bill for an act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to amend Section 8873, General Statutes 1913, relating to the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or a credit for the payment of the same.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that H. F. No. 467 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 467

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 747, A bill for an act requiring the stock of state banks hereafter organized to be owned by individuals, and making certain transactions relative thereto unlawful.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

H. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable them for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor, providing for information as to dependents in fatal cases, requiring a supplementary report when an accident previously reported results fatally, fixing a period for the filing of settlements and releases, and prescribing a penalty for failure to file the same.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation

H. F. No. 114, A bill for an act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after the same are due and owing.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

A concurrent resolution requesting the Board of Control and warden of the State Prison to increase the manufacture and output of farm machinery and binding twine in the state penitentiary.

Whereas, from the present unusual activities and great interest manifested in all lines of agricultural pursuits, indications are that the farmers of the state will the coming season, in all probability, be called upon to harvest one of the largest crops in the history of the State, and in consequence thereof will have to purchase immense quantities of new farm machinery as well as an immense quantity of binding twine,

Now, Therefore, be it hereby resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the Board of Control and the warden of the State Prison be, and they hereby are, requested to proceed with the greatest possible efforts to increase the manufacture and output of the different kinds of farm machinery, manufactured at the State Prison; and that they be especially requested to use every endeavor to increase the manufacture of binding twine, so as to be able to more fully meet the great demand likely to come for farm machinery and binding twine; and that the said machinery and twine, so manufactured, be furnished to the farmers of the state at the lowest possible price consistent with quality and cost of manufacture.

Which resolution was read and referred to the committee on Towns and Counties.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 135, A bill for an act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 730, A bill for an act to amend Section 5710, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, providing that hereafter all

seals of Notary Public shall contain the name and address of all Notaries Public hereafter commissioned.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 730

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 577, A bill for an act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows: As per amendments hereto:

Strike out the period after the word "Mayor" in line eleven (11) of Section 1 of the original bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: a comma (,) and insert after the comma the following: "which appointments shall be subject to confirmation by the city council."

Amend Section 2 of said printed bill by striking out all of Subdivision 5 reading as follows:

"Provided nothing in this act shall be construed as limiting the present power of the Board of Education of any city to provide for the promotion of health of the public school children."

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Said board shall have and exercise supervision and control of all matters and activities relating to the hygienic conditions, health and welfare of all public and private schools in said city and of all pupils and persons in attendance at such schools, and establish, maintain and conduct dental and medical clinics in the public schools of such city. Provided, that the hygienic education in the public schools shall remain and be under the control and supervision of the school board of such city."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended, that—

S. F. No. 577,

Be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 577,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 325, A bill for an act establishing the Minnesota War Records Commission; Providing for the compilation of records and the collection of materials relating to the participation of the State and its citizens in the World War, and for the preparation, publication and distribution of a memorial record and history of Minnesota's part in the war; and appropriating money for carrying out the provisions of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out Section eight thereof, renumbering Section nine as Section Eight, and that when so amended the bill be printed and placed on General Orders.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 746, A bill for an act to amend Section 6434, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the power of a local building and loan association to deal in real estate.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 808, A bill for an act relating to public school districts

in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to provide that the positions of director of the State Teachers' Employment Bureau and Secretary Board of Trustees of the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement fund may be held by the same person and that his salary may be paid one-half from the department of education maintenance appropriation and one-half from the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement fund.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass:

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 676, A bill for an act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the word "five" and the figures "\$5.00" where they appear in line 3 of Section 2, and insert in lieu thereof the word "three" and figures "\$3.00."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 804, A bill for an act to amend Section 4, Chapter 238, Laws 1915, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 410, Laws 1917, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 716, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 9102, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the period at the end of the title of the bill and in lieu thereof insert a comma, and add the following words, "relating to the summoning of jurors."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 751, A bill for an act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power of eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 799, A bill for an act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power of eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 799,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 788, A bill for an act to legalize conveyances of real property heretofore made by a married man or married woman directed to his or her spouse, and the record of such conveyance.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out the word, "directed" in the second line of the title of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the word, "directly."

2. Strike out the word "directed" in the third line of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the word, "directly."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 625, A bill for an act to amend Section 17, Chapter 35, General Laws of 1915, relating to the recording of conveyances of land assessed for sewer construction.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Turnham, from the Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 253, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate and codify the laws of this State, relating to the preservation, protection and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that said Senate File No. 253 be indefinitely postponed and that there be substituted for said Senate File a bill introduced by the Committee on Game and Fish herewith transmitted, which bill the committee recommends to pass.

Report adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED

The Committee on Game and Fish introduced—

S. F. No. 920, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate and codify the laws of this state relating to the preservation, protection and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Turnham moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No.

920 be given its second reading, placed on General Orders and 500 copies of the bill printed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 920

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Bessette, Gandrud and Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 921, A bill for an act to amend Section 1988, General Statutes 1913, an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the per cent of "full and true value" at which property in each class shall be assessed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Baldwin, Ward, Nord and Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 922, A bill for an act to prohibit compulsory medical examinations and treatment, including dental and physical, of persons residing in this state, except in certain cases, without their consent, and, in case of minors, without the consent of their parents or guardians; and prescribing remedies against, and penalties for, violation thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 923, A bill for an act relating to insurance adjusters.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 924, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3343 and 3344, General Statutes 1913, which said sections as so amended relate to the taxation of insurance companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 325, 746, 808, 809, 676, 804, 716 and 788,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 135, 751 and 625,
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Senator Gillam offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That there be paid to Floyd E. Lindsley out of monies appropriated to defray the expenses of the Legislature, the sum of One Hundred Seventy-Three (\$173.00) Dollars to reimburse him for his expenses and disbursements including attorney's fees paid out and incurred in the contest instituted and prosecuted against him by C. F. Norwood for the office of Senator from the twelfth senatorial district of this state, and that the Secretary of the Senate be and hereby is authorized to draw his warrant on the State Treasury of this state for said sum in favor of said Floyd E. Lindsley payable out of the funds appropriated for said legislative expenses.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 467 be taken from the table, read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 398, No. 11 on Calendar, and that S. F. No. 398 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 467,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 398,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley moved that S. F. No. 825 be recalled from the Committee on Education.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 825,

Was recalled from the Committee on Education.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 825, A bill for an act relating to a Minnesota State Song and to the singing thereof in the various schools of this state.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 825,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 825, A bill for an act relating to a Minnesota State Song and to the singing thereof in the various schools of this state.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Besette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Johnson called up his resolution, introduced March 19, which was printed and appeared on pages 18 and 19 of the Journal for the Forty-Seventh Day, and moved its adoption.

Mr. Nolan moved as a substitute motion that the resolution referred to be referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the amounts set opposite their respective names, in payment for expenses, witness fees, sheriff's fees, court reporter, printing and clerk's fees in the election contest of George H. Sullivan vs. W. W. Wilcox:

Thomas H. Maher, sheriff's fees and witness' fees.....	\$86.44
Warren E. Maunsell, Court Reporter, services and transcript	77.90
Review Publishing Company, printing transcript of testimony	180.75
Easton & Masterman, printing brief.....	120.00
David Connors, clerk's fees.....	2.10

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 878 be recalled from the Committee on Education for correction.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 878,

Was recalled from the Committee on Education.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 808, now on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 808, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota, which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett.	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nord,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hail moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 161, No. 168 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 161, A bill for an act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays one, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nord,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Reed,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Millett,	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

Mr. Devold voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 537, No. 27 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 537, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, Register of Deeds, superintendent of schools, judge of probate, and providing for the number of assistants, deputies, clerks and other help thereon and their compensation, in all counties now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of more than 5,000 square miles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nord,	Turnham,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Anderson was excused for the balance of the week.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 535, No. 23 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 535, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and expense allowance of county commissioners in all counties of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than two hundred and fifty million (\$250,000,000) dollars and an area of more than five thousand (5,000) square miles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Gonroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Handlan moved that H. F. No. 222, No. 18 on Calendar, be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary, retaining its place on the Calendar.

The question being taken on the motion to re-refer H. F. No. 222 to the Judiciary Committee,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 13, and nays 41, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Rask,	Romberg,	Ward,
Cliff,	Handlan,	Ribenack,	Stepan,	
Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Rockne,	Van Hoven,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Cashel,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,
Benson,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Cumming,	Gandrud,
Bessette,	Carley,	Conroy,	Devold,	Gillam,

Gjerset,	Johnson,	Madigan,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Hall,	Larson,	Nolan,	Reed,	Vibert,
Hamer,	Lindsley,	Nord,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Hopp,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Wold,
Jackson,				

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.
Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

Mr. Putnam, President pro tem, called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 925, A bill for an act providing for a combined drainage and sewer system in villages and certain cities of the fourth class.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 305, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 5, Chapter 194 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases, and appropriating money thereto.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 305, Section 2, line 14, by striking out the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 305 by striking out the words "Section 2" where the said words appear before the words "Education of blind children" in line 1 of Section 1.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 305, by striking out all of the printed matter after Section 2, viz: "This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage," and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That Section 5 of Chapter 194 of General Laws of Minnesota for 1915 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:"

"Permission to establish such special classes as may come under the provisions of Sections 3 and 4 of this act, may be granted to districts which have an actual attendance of not less than five children of school age."

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none.
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Stepan,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 401 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 401,

Was indefinitely postponed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 775, A bill for an act to amend Section 4635, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 299, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the fees to be paid for examinations of state banks, trust companies, savings banks, and local and general building and loan associations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 352, A bill for an act to amend Section 9313, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of binding twine manufactured in the Minnesota state prison.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to amend Section 8873, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or a credit for the payment of the same.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 16, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Cosgrove,
Baldwin,	Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Conroy,	Denegre,

Erickson,	Hall,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Turnham,
Fowler,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Van Hoven,
Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Ward.
Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Widell,
Guilford,	Madigan,			

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Carley,	Hamer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Cashel,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Cumming,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 556, A bill for an act validating the appropriation and expenditure of funds for certain purposes by certain political subdivisions of this state.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 604, A bill for an act to extend the period of licenses granted by the Secretary of State for automobiles during the triennial period of 1918, 1919 and 1920, until such time as the legislature of 1921 shall make provisions for the relicensing of the same.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Conroy,	Denegre,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Coleman,	Cumming,	Fowler,

Gillam,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Reed,	Swanson,
Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Turnham,
Hall,	Larson,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Hamer,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Handlan,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Stepan,	Wold,
Jackson,	Madigan,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 599, A bill for an act relating to the appraisal and sale of certain state and trust lands.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 469, A bill for an act authorizing the several counties of this state to reimburse County Agricultural Societies or officers thereof for the cost and expense of making certain improvements on land owned by any county and used for county agricultural fairs.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 562, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 6492 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to membership in the State Agricultural Societies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven.
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward.
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 442, A bill for an act requiring adjoining towns to bear, in equal shares, the expense of constructing and maintaining bridges on roads on the lines between such towns in certain cases, and providing for the award of damages to each such town in drainage proceedings.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham.
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward.
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 538, A bill for an act authorizing the printing of the annual report of the inspector of mines by the county for which he was appointed and ratifying any payments heretofore made for printing such reports.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 572, A bill for an act fixing the salary, compensation, duties and clerk hire of the county coroner and his deputies in counties now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 485, A bill for an act to authorize the county board of certain counties to issue, sell or exchange bonds for the purpose of funding certain floating indebtedness of such county now outstanding.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bessette,	Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,
Baldwin,	Blomgren,	Carley,	Conroy,	Cumming,

Denegre,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Rask,	Swanson,
Erickson,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Reed,	Turnham,
Gandrud,	Johnson,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Hall,	Larson,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Hamer,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 583, A bill for an act authorizing the county boards in any county in this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credit, to appropriate and expend public funds for the purpose of furnishing temporary relief to sufferers from fire or other calamity and aid to townships and school districts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 544, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 378, Laws of 1917, relating to railroads and the delivery of live stock at stock yards.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 115, A bill for an act to amend Section 4256 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to road crossings over railroads.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Besette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 356, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2168, 2174, 2180, 2181 and 2184, Revised Laws of 1905, being part of Chapter 31 thereof, which chapter relates to the inspection of steam vessels and boilers and the licensing of engineers, also amending said Chapter 31 by adding thereto three (3) new sections, said amendments and new sections providing for the appointment of a board of boiler inspectors, a chief boiler inspector and a deputy chief boiler inspector, fixing their salaries, prescribing their power and duties, providing a fund for the payment of their salaries and expenses, providing for the licensing of masters and pilots of steam vessels and boats and gasoline boats and vessels carrying passengers for hire, fixing fees for the inspection of boilers and licensing of engineers; masters and pilots, creating a boiler inspector's fund and imposing certain charges and duties on insurance companies doing a boiler insurance business in this state.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Besette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 128, A bill for an act entitled, An act to legalize certain proceedings in Probate Court.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 587, A bill for an act amending Chapter 103 of the Laws of 1917, amending Chapter 185, Laws of 1911, relating to the acquisition of lands for streets, parks and parkways in cities of the first class and the improvement and government thereof, and government of existing streets and parkways.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 318, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Millett,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 418, A bill for an act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Reed,	Van Hoven
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Millett,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 354, A bill for an act providing for the imprisonment in the State Reformatory for Women of females convicted of any crime, punishable, under the provisions of the statutes prescribing the punishment for such crime, by imprisonment in the State Prison and also providing for the transfer from the State Prison to the State Reformatory for women of females committed to the State Prison prior to the time this act takes effect and providing for the imprisonment of such prisoners so transferred in said State Reformatory for Women during the balance of the unexpired term for which they were originally committed to said State Prison.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain mortgage foreclosure sales by action and certificates thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 42, A bill for an act to prevent the sale or offering for sale of fur garments or articles of apparel under fictitious or misleading names.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 315, A bill for an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections, and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hammer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 200, A bill for an act requiring trust companies conducting a banking business to comply with the Statutes in such case made and provided.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnston,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hammer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 340, A bill for an act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of ab-

sence to serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Millett,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 157, A bill for an act to amend Section 6518, General Statutes 1913, relating to the dates of annual meetings of county agricultural societies and dates on which said societies shall file their reports.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 180, A bill for an act to amend Sub-division 1, Section 6492, of General Statutes 1913, pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 336, A bill for an act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars, providing for approaches thereto, and providing for the levy of taxes and issuance of bonds therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 119, A bill for an act to amend Section 4750, General Statutes 1913, relating to classifications and qualifications of engineers.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 302, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 289 of the Special Laws of Minnesota for 1889, which said Chapter is entitled, An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Winona County to designate a German newspaper in which the official proceedings of the Board of Commissioners may be published in the German language.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FORTY-NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, March 21, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset.	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Baldwin was excused for all of next week.

Mr. Nolan was excused for Monday.

Mr. Benson was excused for today.

Mr. Ribenack was excused for this afternoon.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hamer introduced—

S. F. No. 926, A bill for an act to legalize elections by villages authorizing sales and leases of their municipal electric lighting plants and all action taken pursuant to such authority where notice of such elections has not been given in accordance with law.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 926, A bill for an act to legalize elections by villages authorizing sales and leases of their municipal electric lighting plants and all action taken pursuant to such authority where notice of such elections has not been given in accordance with law.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 926

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 926, A bill for an act to legalize elections by villages authorizing sales and leases of their municipal electric lighting plants and all action taken pursuant to such authority where notice of such elections has not been given in accordance with law.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Ward,
Callahan,	Devold,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 927, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 324, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915, entitled, An act creating and establishing a State Reformatory for Women, authorizing the State Board of Control to select and acquire for the state a suitable tract of land to be used as a site for the purpose, appropriating money therefor, and directing said Board of Control to prepare plans and estimates for the necessary buildings and improvements, for submission to the Legislature of 1917, and providing for an advisory board of women visitors and prescribing their duties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Peterson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 928, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 44, of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to drainage by adding thereto certain sections to be known as Sections 5526-A and 5536-A. And to amend Section 5481 as amended by Section 1, Chapter 441, of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917; Section 5526 as amended by Section 5, Chapter 441, of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917; and Section 5530 as amended by Section 7, Chapter 441, of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, all of said sections relating to public ditches and drainage of lands and defining the duties of the State Drainage Commission, engineer and state and county officials as far as the same relates to drainage and drainage ditches.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Messrs. Cliff, Gandrud, Cumming and Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 929, A bill for an act authorizing the incorporation of co-operative associations and defining their powers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 930, A bill for an act providing for the testing of grain where received at the local elevator or mill and for forwarding a sample of said grain to the Railroad and Warehouse Commission for examination and report and requiring payment for said grain according to the report of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Madigan introduced—

S. F. No. 931, A bill for an act requiring mortgagees to pay mortgage registry taxes and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 694, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 200 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1876, and Chapter 92 of the Special Laws of the year 1881, and acts confirmatory and amendatory thereof, by adding a provision for a department of the Municipal Court of the city of Stillwater to be known as the Court of Conciliation.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 802, A bill for an act fixing the times of holding a general term of the District Court in the County of Isanti, Eighteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 725, A bill for an act legalizing certain appropriations made by county boards to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted.

H. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and county bonds issued in connection therewith.

H. F. No. 941, A bill for an act to authorize the recording of certificates of discharge from the United States Army, Navy and Marine Corps.

H. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 880, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 206, General Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to clerk hire in the county treasurer's office in certain counties of this state.

March 20, 1919.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 526, A bill for an act to amend Section 6393, General Statutes 1913 as amended by Section one of Chapter 88, General Laws 1917, relating to investments of savings banks.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 20, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House of S. F. No. 694, and that the bill be placed on its repassage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 526, A bill for an act to amend Section 6393, General Statutes 1913 as amended by Section one of Chapter 88, General Laws 1917, relating to investments of savings banks.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 526 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 434, No. 98 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 434 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 526

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 434

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings, heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and county bonds issued in connection therewith.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 941, A bill for an act to authorize the recording of certificates of discharge from the United States Army, Navy and Marine Corps.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 941 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 758, No. 162 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 758 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 941,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 758

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 880, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 206, General Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to clerk hire in the county treasurer's office in certain counties of this state.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 880, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 206, General Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to clerk hire in the county treasurer's office in certain counties of this state.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1040

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 880, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 206, General Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to clerk hire in the county treasurer's office in certain counties of this state.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Besette,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 391, A bill for an act providing for sanitation in the operation of railroad cars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 633, A bill for an act to amend Section 255, General Statutes 1913, relating to retirement of district judges.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words, "in a district having seven or more judges" where the same appear in the sixth line of the section numbered 255 of the bill.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 321, A bill for an act providing that where a patent is issued to a deceased patentee, title shall inure to and become vested in the heirs, devisees or assignees of such deceased patentee.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 640, A bill for an act to amend Section 7715 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913 governing actions relating to land.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 640

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 710, A bill for an act legalizing the execution of leases of a part of armory premises by companies of the National Guard in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 766, A bill for an act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes 1913, relating to prejudice or bias of judges of the District Court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 766

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to prescribe the summons in Municipal Courts in villages and cities of the fourth class, however organized.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Insert after the word, "organized" in line 2 of Section 1 of the bill, the following: "except such cities and villages as shall have heretofore established or may hereafter establish a municipal court un-

der the provisions of chapter 229 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1895."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 94, A bill for an act to amend Section 7020, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 285 of the General Laws of 1917, relating to liens for labor and material for improvement of real estate.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out the words, "plowing or similar improvement" where they occur in the 14th and 15th lines of Section 1 of the bill.

2. That a new section be added to be numbered Section 2, reading as follows:

"Section 2. This act shall not affect or apply to any action now pending in any court of this state."

3. That a new section be added to be numbered Section 3, reading as follows:

"Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 708, A bill for an act to amend Section 7662, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, and to authorize justices of the peace to hear and determine the defense of part performance of an oral contract for the renting and leasing of agricultural lands in actions in forcible entry and unlawful detainer.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 708

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 391, 633, 321, 710, 727 and 94

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 399 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary and indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 399,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett moved that S. F. No. 853 be recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 853,

Was recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

S. F. No. 853,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Bonniwell moved that when the Senate do adjourn, it be until 2:00 o'clock P. M. Monday, March 24.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 405, A bill for an act requiring registers of deeds to record and return instruments within thirty days.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Larson moved to amend S. F. No. 405 as follows:

By striking out the last sentence of Section 1 thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“Persistent failure to so record and return instruments entitled to record, upon demand therefor and payment of recording fees, shall constitute nonfeasance in office and be sufficient ground for removal therefrom.”

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 463, A bill for an act entitled, An act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to, all legislation affecting salary increases of state, county, township, city, village, and all other municipal employees in Minnesota.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45, and nays 12, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hopp,	Millett,	Rockne,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Fowler,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Coleman,	Denegre,			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 222, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Ward moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Cashel,	Conroy,
Baldwin,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,
Bessette,	Boylan,	Carley,	Coleman,	Cumming,

Denegre,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Devold,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Rask,	Swanson,
Dwyer,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Reed,	Turnham,
Fowler,	Jackson,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Gandrud,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Ward,
Gjerset,	Larson,	Nord,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Guilford,	Lee,	Palmer,	Stepan,	Wold,
Hall,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Mr. Ward moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49, and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Loonam,	Rask,	Rockne,	Ward,
Dwyer,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 122 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 122 was taken from the table.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend H. F. No. 122 by striking out the word "two" in Section 1, line 4 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "three."

Which amendment was adopted.

REPASSAGE

The question being taken on the repassage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 51, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gierset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Handlan offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the amounts hereinafter set forth in payment for services and attorneys' fees in the election contest of Ernest J. Stiefel against Peter Van Hoven, (see bill hereto attached): T. J. Doyle and Albert Schaller, two hundred seventy-five (\$275.00) dollars.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Fowler in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Fowler reported that the committee had considered S. F. No. 65

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Devold: Amend S. F. No. 65 as follows:

In Section 2, line 3, after the word "house" by inserting the following, "or in any form or agricultural pursuits or as a domestic employed by the day or week."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 131 and 110

Which the committee reports progress.

Mr. Fowler then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that H. F. No. 547 be recalled from the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 547,

Was recalled from the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 432 be recalled from the House.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 547 be read the second time and placed at the head of the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 547,

Was read the second time.

Mr. Putnam moved that S. F. No. 355 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 355,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Kingsbury was excused for this afternoon.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Sullivan, J. D., in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the Committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Sullivan, J. D., reported that the committee had considered

S. F. Nos. 422, 169 and 3.

Also

H. F. Nos. 255, 159, 213 and 174,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 214, 126, 263, 421, 229, 606, 415, 563, 413, 510, 591, 585, 516, 598 and 12.

Also,

H. F. Nos. 19, 427, 60 and 307,

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 450,

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Fowler:

Amend S. F. No. 450 by adding after the word "teeth" in line three (3) of Section 2 of the printed bill, the following: "and administer gas, ether and anesthesia, as applied to dentistry."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 294,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Millett:

Amend S. F. No. 294, by striking out the word "twenty" where it appears in line 3 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 466,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Fowler:

Amend S. F. No. 466 as follows—

1. Strike out the period at the end of the title of the bill and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following words:

"and providing for the manner of taking appeals from orders made by the Board of Dental Examiners."

2. By adding after the word "character" in line 42 of the printed bill the following:

"Provided, however, if any person is aggrieved by any order of said Board he may appeal from any such order to the district court of the county in which he resides within thirty days after notice from the Board of the filing of said order. The notice of appeal shall state that he appeals to the district court of the county wherein he resides and said notice shall be signed by the person appealing or his attorney, a copy of which notice shall be mailed to the Secretary

of said Board at St. Paul, Minnesota, by registered mail at the usual post office of the person appealing or his attorney. Said notice of appeal, with proof of mailing of a copy thereof to the Secretary of said Board, registered as aforesaid, shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of said county within ten days after mailing thereof, and such appeal shall suspend operation of the order appealed from until the appeal is finally determined. The trial of all issues on such appeal shall be de novo by the court and such appeal shall be heard and tried in the same manner as other issues of law and fact are heard and tried in such court, and the order appealed from shall have no force or effect in the determination of such appeal. The district court shall hear and determine the appeal within ten days or as soon thereafter as possible from the date of the filing of the proof of mailing of said notice of appeal, at any place in the judicial district to be designated by any of the judges of said court. Upon the trial of said appeal the court may confirm, reverse or modify any order of said Board appealed from."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Nord:

Amend S. F. No. 466 as follows:

Amend Section 3 under sub-division 4 by adding thereto sub-division F, which shall read as follows:

F. "Shall not apply to any person who ministers to or treats the sick or suffering by mental or spiritual means, whether gratuitously or for compensation, without the use of any drug or material remedy."

Which amendments were adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 492,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Rask:

Amend S. F. No. 492 as follows:

By striking out of the printed bill all of Section 4, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 4. That Section 20 of Chapter 152 of the laws of 1915 be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 20. It shall be unlawful for any telephone company subject to the provisions of this act to purchase or acquire the property, capital stock, bonds, securities or other obligations, or the franchises, rights, privileges and immunities of any other telephone company

doing business within the state without first obtaining the consent of the Commission thereto, and telephone companies are hereby given the right with the consent of the Commission to purchase and acquire the property, capital stock, bonds, securities or other obligations, together with all franchises, rights, privileges and immunities owned or enjoyed by said companies. The owner and the proposed purchaser of said property shall both join in the application filed with the Commission for the approval of such transfer, and in the case of a corporation desiring to sell all of its property it shall require a vote of a majority of its stockholders to ratify the sale. Provided, however, that telephone companies may sell and dispose of any property not used by said telephone companies in the conduct of their business at the time of the sale without the consent of the Commission. Nothing herein shall be deemed to prevent the holding of stock heretofore lawfully acquired or to prevent the acquisition of additional stock by any telephone company owning a majority of the stock of any telephone company.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 596,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Swanson—

Amend S. F. No. 596 by adding at the end of Section 1 and in line 18 and after the word "work" the following words: "This act shall not apply to counties which may now or hereafter have a population of 150,000 or over.

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 156,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment and privilege to amend on the Calendar.

Offered by Mr. Sullivan, J. D.—

Amend S. F. No. 156 by striking out in line 9 of Section 1 of the printed bill the words where they appear in parentheses "not to exceed 7%."

And further to amend by striking out after the word "any" where said word appears in line 1 of Section 1 of the printed bill the words "city of the fourth class" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "cities of the third and fourth classes."

Further by amending the title of said S. F. No. 156 by striking out after the word "any" where said word appears in the first line

of the title of the printed bill the following words "city of the fourth class" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "cities of the third and fourth classes."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. Nos. 426 and 568,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

S. F. No. 515,

Which the committee recommends to be referred to the Judiciary Committee for the purpose of determining its constitutionality, retaining its place on General Orders.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 926, A bill for an act to legalize elections by villages authorizing sales and leases of their municipal electric lighting plants and all action taken pursuant to such authority where notice of such elections has not been given in accordance with law.

S. F. No. 808, A bill for an act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000, inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

March 21, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 861, A Joint Resolution memorializing the War Department to discharge certain persons now in the Military or Naval services of the United States.

March 21, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for the return of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 432, A bill for an act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

OSCAR ARNESON,
March 21, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 432 be indefinitely postponed.
Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 432,
Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Cummings moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate

FIFTIETH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, March 24, 1919.

The Senate met at 2 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset.	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry.	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Anderson was excused for an indefinite time on account of sickness.

Mr. Palmer was excused for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Messrs. Cosgrove and Hegnes were excused for today

Mr. Madigan was excused for today and tomorrow.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

St. Paul, March 21, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
Lieut Governor,
State Capitol,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

My Dear Sir: I take great pleasure in extending to all of the members of the State Senate a most cordial invitation to attend a reception at the St. Paul Public Library on Monday evening next.

St. Paul is proud of its magnificent library building, and Dr. Johnston, the librarian, and I would feel highly honored to have all the members of your body inspect the building on the above occasion.

Very truly yours,
ALBERT WUNDERLICH,
Commissioner of Education.

Which letter was read and ordered printed in the Journal.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, March 22, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 725, An act legalizing certain appropriations made by county boards to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.

S. F. No. 802, An act fixing the times of holding a general term of the District Court in the County of Isanti, Eighteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 600, An act relating to the organization of banks, and prescribing the duties of the State Securities Commission, and the Superintendent of Banks, in respect thereto.

S. F. No. 90, An act to promote the health and safety of employes in foundries, prescribing standard rules and regula-

tions therefor and providing penalties for violations of the act.

S. F. No. 396, An act to amend Section 6360, General Statutes 1913, relating to the percentage of its actual paid in capital and surplus a bank may invest in real estate used by it for the transaction of its business.

St. Paul, March 21, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 120, An act requiring the owner or occupant of premises within this state, on which mahonia bushes and barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown, to destroy the same, declaring the same to be a public nuisance; imposing certain powers and duties with reference to the same on the state entomologist; and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 932, A bill for an act to amend Section 4272, General Statutes of 1913, the same being Section 1, Chapter 307, General Laws of 1913, an act to promote the safety of employees and travelers on railroads by requiring common carriers engaged in operating railroads in the State of Minnesota to establish and maintain a safe and sufficient clearance between structures located on and over their roadways and cars passing over their lines, and for other purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Vibert (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 933, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. G. Vader on account of the death of George Vader in the fire stricken district.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Vibert (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 934, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of John H. Paulzine on account of the death of Francis Henry Paulzine in the fire stricken district.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Vibert (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 935, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Gertrude Colles on account of the death of Thomas Colles in the fire stricken district.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Vibert (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 936, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the relief of Martin Larson on account of total disability from injuries while in service in the fire stricken district.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Denegre introduced—

S. F. No. 937, A bill for an act to amend Section 1720, Revised Laws 1905 (Section 3611, Statutes 1913) which Section prescribes penalties for the failure of insurance companies to comply with the law with reference to the filing of their annual statement.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 938, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 209, Laws of Minnesota 1915, relating to procedure in case of dispute under said Workmen's Compensation Act in said chapter, and providing for the filing of papers with the clerk of the District Court.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Adams, Stepan and Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 939, A bill for an act providing for certain state aid to school districts whose assessed valuation of taxable real and personal property, exclusive of money and credits, is less than thirty-

five per cent of the entire amount of real and personal property, exclusive of money and credits, located within such school district.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Millett introduced—

S. F. No. 940, A bill for an act relating to the taking and withholding by town or county boards, of lands for road purposes, and actions or proceedings to assess or recover damages for such taking and withholding, in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Committee on Public Welfare and Health introduced—

S. F. No. 941, A bill for an act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, and restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, clubs, drug stores, Young Men's Christian Associations, Young Women's Christian Association, or similar institutions, and places of refreshment, defining the same and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Chapter 343 of the General Laws of 1905, and Chapter 206 of the General Laws of 1911 and Chapter 569 of the General Laws of 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 942, A bill for an act to amend Section 7055 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, relating to liens on motor vehicles and the method of foreclosing the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Widell introduced—

S. F. No. 943, A bill for an act requiring counties to construct and maintain all highway bridges costing more than one thousand dollars.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 944, A bill for an act relating to the formation and powers of consumers' leagues.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Ward introduced—

S. F. No. 945, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Adams (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 946, A bill for an act fixing the amount which may be paid for the publication of delinquent tax lists in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 211; A bill for an act providing for the appointment of a fire marshal by the Commissioner of Insurance and fixing his salary; abolishing the offices of Assistant Fire Marshal, Deputy Fire Marshals and special deputies as now authorized by law; providing for the appointment of Deputy Fire Marshals by the Commissioner of Insurance and devolving on and transferring to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshals appointed under this act, the duties, powers and privileges now imposed on and granted to the Fire Marshal and the Deputy Fire Marshal and repealing Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 564, Laws of Minnesota, 1913.

S. F. No. 296, A bill for an act amending the title and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 15 and 17 of Chapter 429, General Laws, 1917, being An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof, and creating a state securities commission.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 291, A bill for an act to amend Section 6358, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to State Banks.

S. F. No. 193, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties.

S. F. No. 295, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 385, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, being an act entitled, "An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of insurance and certain other companies."

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 143, A bill for an act requiring railroads, car shops, and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car trucks, and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise, and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow, and other inclement weather.

March 21, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 825, A bill for an act relating to a Minnesota State Song and to the singing thereof in the various schools of this state.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1195, A bill for an act authorizing certain cities to issue bonds for the purpose of funding indebtedness.

H. F. No. 965, A bill for an act legalizing certain affidavits of publication heretofore filed and the record thereof, wherein certain facts which should have been stated were omitted.

March 24, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the house of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 440, A bill for an act relating to the payment of persons receiving compensation from the State of Minnesota.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 21, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 211, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,
Benson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Orr,	Widell,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 296, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 143, A bill for an act requiring railroad car shops, and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car tracks, and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise,

and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow, and other inclement weather.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. F. No. 440, A bill for an act relating to the payment of persons receiving compensation from the State of Minnesota.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dwyer moved that H. F. No. 440 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 440,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 965, A bill for an act legalizing certain affidavits of publication heretofore filed and the record thereof, wherein certain facts which should have been stated were omitted.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 1195, A bill for an act authorizing cities to issue bonds for the purpose of funding indebtedness.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1195, A bill for an act authorizing cities to issue bonds for the purpose of funding indebtedness.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1195,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1195, A bill for an act authorizing cities to issue bonds for the purpose of funding indebtedness.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none. as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 882, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Special Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year 1869 providing for the incorporation of the village of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota, and all acts and parts of acts supplementary or amendatory thereof, and to restore the territory included in said village to the township of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 914, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 517 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in Municipal Courts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Report adopted.

S. F. No 914,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 903, A bill for an act prohibiting the cutting of ice, for the purpose of selling or offering the same for sale in Minne-

sota from the Mississippi river at any place in said river south of the south line of the city of South St. Paul and north of the mouth of the St. Croix river, in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 846, A bill for an act amending Chapter 122 Laws 1917 "authorizing and empowering any city of this state having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants to provide for a heating plant, the same to be of municipal or private ownership," and further providing for the purchase of such plants and the issue of bonds therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 389, A bill for an act to authorize cities of the first class to levy taxes for defraying the current expenses of such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 918, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter to use and dispose of its surplus and unused products and furnish fire protection and use of fire apparatus to other municipalities and communities outside of such cities and to provide for and permit other municipalities and communities outside of such cities to make connections with and use the sewers and sewer systems of such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of Section 1 of said act and substituting in place thereof a new section reading as follows:

"Section 1. Each city of this state of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4, of the state constitution, in addition to all other powers possessed by the city, is hereby authorized and empowered to sell and dispose of to municipal corporations, municipalities and villages outside the corporate limits of such city any or all of the surplus or unused water of such city, and to furnish to such outside municipal corporations, municipalities and villages fire protection and use of the fire apparatus of such city, and to make contracts for the sale of any such surplus or unused water and fire protection, on such terms and for such price and compensation as such city acting through its city council or other proper governing authorities shall deem best and for the best interests of the city, such price and compensation not to be less than the actual cost and expense to the city of furnishing and maintaining any such surplus or unused water and fire protection. No such city shall establish or maintain any permanent fire engine house or stations outside of the corporate limits of such city."

Further amending by striking out all of Section 2 of said act and substituting in place thereof a new section reading as follows:

"Section 2. Each and every municipal corporation, municipality or village outside of such city, is hereby authorized and empowered to make arrangements and contracts with each such city for furnishing surplus or unused water and fire protection and the use of fire apparatus."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 877, A bill for an act to legalize notices of claims filed against cities of the first class, not having a home rule charter, during February, 1918, pursuant to Section 1 of Chapter 1 of Chapter 391, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting in line 4 of Section 1 of the original bill after the figures "1918" the following words:

“for damages claimed to have been suffered within two years prior to the time of serving said notice.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 635, A bill for an act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 635,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 698, A bill for an act relating to lost, stolen and unclaimed property in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by a home rule charter

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words “the finder or recoverer of such lost or unclaimed property” in lines 5 and 6 of Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“and said property shall come into the possession of the city municipality within the said city through its proper officials.”

Further amending by striking out the following words in line 11 of Section 1 “finder or recoverer of such lost or stolen or unclaimed property” and inserting in lieu thereof the following: “said city through its proper officers.”

Further amend by striking out the words “finder or recoverer thereof or” in line 4 of Section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the words “said city.”

By striking out the word “his” in line 4 of Section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the word “its.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 365, A bill for an act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4 of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 365,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 614, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 230, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, an act relating to government of cities of the first class and authorizing the levy of taxes for play ground purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "one-half" where the same appear in line 1 of Section 1 of the original bill of said act, also in line 7 of Section 1 of said act, and substitute in place thereof the words "one-quarter."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 319, A bill for an act to authorize and empower cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the state constitution, to acquire, construct, equip, own, maintain and operate street railways, and to issue bonds of the city therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 319,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 566, A bill for an act to repeal certain acts authorizing cities of the first class not governed by Home Rule Charter framed pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the state constitution to issue the bonds of any such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of the title of said act the words "not governed by home rule charter framed pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the State Constitution" where those words appear in lines 2 and 3 of the title of said act.

By striking out the words and figures where they appear in line 3 of Section 1 of said act, as follows: "Chapter 452 Laws of 1907."

By striking out the words and figures where they appear in lines 8 and 9 of Section 1 of said act, as follows: "Chapter 310 Laws of 1913."

By striking out the words and figures where they appear in line 12 of Section 1 of said act, as follows: "Chapter 219 Laws of 1917."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 86, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this State of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of constructing bridges across navigable streams running through such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "four" where it appears in line 6 of Section 1 of the original bill, and substitute in place thereof the word "one."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 494, A bill for an act to amend Section 5794, General Statutes of 1913, relating to weights and measures.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 494,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 924, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3343 and 3344, General Statutes 1913, which said sections as so amended relate to the taxation of insurance companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gandrud, from the Committee on Markets and Marketing, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 603, A bill for an act to regulate the sale of garden and farm seeds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of the title the words "and farm." Further amend by striking out the words "or farm" where the same appear in line 3, Section 1, of the original bill.

Further amend by inserting the word "or" after the word "kind" where the same appears in line 12, Section 2 of the original bill.

Further amend by striking out the words "or quality" where the same appear in line 12, Section 2 of the original bill.

Further amend by striking out in Section 2 the figures "\$10,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000."

Further amend S. F. No. 603 by striking out in the last line of Section 6 the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may."

Amend Section 7 by striking out the period after the last word in the section and insert the following "nor shall anything in this act be so construed so as to amend or affect in any way the present farm seed law."

Amend Section 8 by striking out the words "its passage" and insert in lieu thereof "January 1, 1920."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 603, 882, 903, 846, 389, 918, 877, 698, 614, 566, 86 and 924.

Were read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Widell moved that the rules be suspended, and that S. F. No. 772, No. 97 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 772, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Laws of 1913, entitled an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts, and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Nord gave notice of his intention that he would move to make S. F. Nos. 467 and 483 Special Orders.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, and that S. F. No. 710, No. 166 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 710, A bill for an act legalizing the execution of leases of a part of armory premises by companies of the National Guard in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended, and that S. F. Nos. 566, '86, 614, 698, 877, 918 and 389 be advanced to the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 547, A bill for an act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Nord,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 541, A bill for an act fixing the salary of county auditors in certain counties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 472, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 456 of Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salary of County Surveyors in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles, and having an assessed valuation of more than 20 million dollars and less than 50 million dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1014, A bill for an act to amend Section 6592 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the election of trustees for religious corporations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Rockne.
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 574, A bill for an act creating a board of estimate and taxation in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution, and defining its powers and duties and regulating taxation, finance and indebtedness therein.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Millett,	Stepan,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 872, A bill for an act providing for the payment of loss or damage by fire or tornado to state property, requiring same to be kept safe from fire loss, and repealing certain laws inconsistent herewith.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there wer yeas 49, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 897, A bill for an act amending Section 53 of Chapter 264 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Duluth and the salaries of the judges and clerks thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Stepan,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the Whole, with Mr. Jackson in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Jackson reported that the committee had considered S. F. Nos. 591 and 585.

Also

H. F. No. 266,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 131, 110, 214, 126, 12, 263, 421, 229, 606, 415, 563, 515 413, 510, 516, 598, 564 and 681.

Also,

H. F. Nos. 19, 307, 60 and 58.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 450,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

H. F. No. 427,

Which the committee recommends to be printed.

Mr. Jackson then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, March 25, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 947, A bill for an act to amend Section 4139 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the State Board of Visitors for public institutions in the State of Minnesota and providing for the appointment of at least one woman member thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Madigan introduced—

S. F. No. 948, A bill for an act to amend Section 3995, General Statutes 1913, relating to the pensioning of citizen-soldiers of Minnesota, who participated in the Indian massacre of 1862.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 165, A bill for an act to authorize the chief executive officers of state institutions to execute bonds in favor of the Federal Government in certain cases.

S. F. No. 354, A bill for an act providing for the imprisonment in the State Reformatory for women of females convicted of any crime, punishable, under the provisions of the Statutes prescribing the punishment for such crime, by imprisonment in the State Prison and also providing for the transfer from the state prison to the state reformatory for women of females committed to the state prison prior to the time this act takes effect and providing for the imprisonment of such prisoners so transferred in said state reformatory for women during the balance of the unexpired term for which they were originally committed to said state prison.

S. F. No. 166, A bill for an act providing an official designation for the several state asylums and state hospitals for the insane and the hospital farm for inebriates.

S. F. No. 181, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 311, Laws 1911, relating to salaries of state inspector of apiaries and deputy inspectors.

S. F. No. 5, A bill for an act amending Section 118, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Supreme Court, and the terms thereof to be held by the justices each year and imposing upon the senior associate justice the duties of the chief justice in certain cases.

S. F. No. 7, A bill for an act to amend the last paragraph of Section (1) one of Chapter 66, General Laws 1917, relating to appeals in civil and criminal actions, and the fees and charges in the Supreme Court thereon.

S. F. No. 4, A bill for an act to amend Section 9248, G. S. 1913, relating to recognizances on appeals or writs of error to the Supreme Court in criminal cases.

S. F. No. 468, A bill for an act to amend Subsection one of Section 6147, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the contents of the certificate required to be subscribed and acknowledged by persons desiring to form a corporation, with regard to the name of such corporation, the general nature of its business and the principal place of transacting the same.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 341, A bill for an act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on county road work under the provisions of Chapter 182, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, in any county of this state now or hereafter having an area of over 5,000 square miles.

H. F. No. 330, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

H. F. No. 26, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209 General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employees sustaining personal injury.

H. F. No. 730, A bill for an act to amend Section 6373, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the consolidation or merger of banks.

H. F. No. 191, A bill for an act to amend Section 7018 General Statutes 1913, relating to the sale of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 24, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 26, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209 General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employees sustaining personal injury.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 191, A bill for an act to amend Section 7018 General Statutes 1913, relating to the sale of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

H. F. No. 330, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 341, A bill for an act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on county road work under the provisions of Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, in any county of this state now or hereafter having an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 730, A bill for an act to amend Section 6373 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the consolidation or merger of banks.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 696, A bill for an act abolishing the Minnesota State Board of Immigration and repealing Sections 3947, 3948, 3949, 3950, 3951 and 3952 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Chapter 23A of said General Statutes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 838, A bill for an act to define the qualifications for the

practice of architecture in the State of Minnesota; to provide for the examination and registration of architects and to provide for the violation of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation* that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 838

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 692, A concurrent resolution creating a commission for the codification and revision of the laws relative to legal publications in newspapers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 651, A bill for an act to provide for safety to life and property in this state in the construction and use of steam boilers; creating a board of boiler rules to prescribe rules and regulations for boilers used in this state, which will be uniform with other State rules now in existence, in order to provide for the free interchange of boilers between states to define the power of the board of boiler rules; to provide penalties for the violation of this act and rules and regulations of the board of boiler rules.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 651

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 883, A bill for an act to amend Section 5571 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 16, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 883

Was re-referred to the committee on Drainage.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 817, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 128, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, "An act authorizing the cities of the first class to designate and establish restricted residence districts and to prohibit the erection, alteration and repair of buildings thereon for certain prohibited purposes."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 210 of the Laws of 1915 of Minnesota, known as the act for the regulation of warehousemen in cities of the first class other than grain and cold storage warehousemen.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 36, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 105 of General Laws of 1913, as amended by Chapter 63 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act to improve the public service, to create a civil service commission and define its powers and duties, in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of Section 2 of said act and substituting in place thereof the following:

"No officer or employee after six months continuous employment shall be removed or discharged except for cause, upon written charges and after an opportunity to be heard in his own defense,

except members of the police department of such city, who may be removed or discharged at will by the head of such police department, but such removal or discharge shall forthwith be reported in writing together with the cause thereof to the civil service commission and the city comptroller. Such charges shall be investigated by or before said civil service commission or by or before some officer or board appointed by said commission to conduct such investigation. The finding and decision of such commission or investigating officer or board, when approved by said commission, shall be certified to the appointing officer, and shall be forthwith enforced by such officer. Nothing in this act shall limit the power of any officer to suspend a subordinate for a reasonable period, not exceeding ninety days for purposes of discipline. In the course of an investigation of charges, each member of the commission and of any board so appointed by it or any officer so appointed shall have the power to administer oaths and shall have power to secure by its subpoena both the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers relevant to such investigation.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bonniwell, from the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 884, A bill for an act defining and regulating public stock yards, placing them under the supervision and control of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission and providing penalties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bonniwell, from the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 915, A bill for an act prohibiting any person from dealing in disabled horses, mules, or draft animals of any kind.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 696, 692, 817, 706, 36, 884 and 915,
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fowler moved that S. F. No. 36 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 36 was laid on the table.

Mr. Jackson moved that 500 copies of H. F. No. 20 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 466, A bill for an act to amend Sections 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020 and 5021, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Dental Examiners and the licensing of dentists and the practicing of dentistry and fixing the fees to be charged therefor in the State of Minnesota, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Rask,	Woid,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 422, A bill for an act to amend Section 1016, General Statutes 1913, relating to the traveling expenses of county superintendents.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,
Benson,	Boylan,	Carley,	Coleman,	Cumming,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Cashel,	Conroy,	Denegre,

Devold,	Hamer,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Dwyer,	Handlan,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Erickson,	Hopp,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Fowler,	Jackson,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Gandrud,	Johnson,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Hall,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 426, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390, General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their deputies and clerks in certain counties of this state.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

Mr. Denegre moved to amend Senate File No. 426 as follows:

Strike out the words and figures "three thousand dollars (\$3000)" where the same appear in line 12 of Section 1 of the printed bill and in lieu thereof insert the words and figures "Twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2200)".

Further amend said bill by striking out the words and figures "twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2100)" where the same appear in lines 13 and 14 of Section 1 of the printed bill and in lieu thereof insert the words and figures "eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800)".

Further amend said bill by striking out the words and figures "fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500)" where the same appear in lines 15 and 16 of the printed bill and in lieu thereof insert the words and figures "twelve hundred dollars (\$1200)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "twelve hundred dollars (\$1200)" where same appear in lines 17 and 18 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1000)".

Further amend said bill by striking out all of the words "The Chief Probation Officer may also appoint a stenographer at a salary of not to exceed twelve hundred dollars (\$1200) per annum" where said words appear in lines 20 and 21 of Section 1 of the printed bill.

Further amend said bill by striking out the words "twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2400) per annum, and all deputy probation officers shall receive the same compensation as is now allowed by law" where said words appear in lines 23 and 24 and 25 of Section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The same compensation as is now allowed by law."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 39, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Cumming,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Widell,
Cashel,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Wold,
Cliff,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 156, A bill for an act to empower any city of the fourth class in the State of Minnesota, whether existing under a special or general law, or under a home rule charter, to prescribe reasonable rates under which public service corporations supplying gas or current for electric lighting or power purposes and occupying the streets and public places of any such city may operate within any such city.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 596, A bill for an act amending section 981 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation of county surveyors in certain counties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Nord,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 347, Laws 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to Agricultural Societies and Farm Improvement Associations.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hall moved to amend H. F. No. 255 by inserting after the word "dollars" where said word appears in line six of the printed bill thereof the word "each".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Conroy,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 213, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915 relating to the prescription by physicians, surgeons, and dentists of certain narcotics, for habitual users of the same so as to prohibit such prescriptions.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	

Mr. Gjerset voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 174, A bill for an act to amend Section 4200 of Revised Laws and Section 7830 General Statutes 1913, relating to errors and exceptions at the trial of civil actions.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lee,	Rockne,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Millett,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 3, A bill for an act to establish a branch school of agriculture at Waseca, as a Department of the University of Minnesota.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays 1, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Callahan,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Hegnes,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Devold,	Gjerset,	Hopp,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Dwyer,	Hall,	Kingsbury,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Kuntz,
Brooks,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Handlan,	Larson,

Lindsley,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Swanson,	Vibert,
Millett,	Rockne,	Stepan,	Turnham,	Widell,
Nord,	Romberg,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Van Hoven,	Wold,
Putnam,				

Mr. Loonam voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 568, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in adjoining counties, to expend the proceeds thereof for said purpose in any one year regardless of existing limitations; and to authorize such board to act jointly or concurrently with the county board of such adjoining county, or the governing body of any municipality therein in the matter of constructing or improving of any such road or roads.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Fowler,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cumming,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Hamer,	Lee,	Loonam,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, with Mr. Hopp in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Hopp reported that the committee had considered S. F. Nos. 792, 793, 800, 477, 539, 649, 548, 616 and 612,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 131, 110, 214, 126, 12, 263, 421, 229, 606, 415, 563, 515, 413, 510, 516, 598, 681, 521, 546 and 549.

Also H. F. Nos. 19, 307, 60, 58 and 427.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 564

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Nord:

Amend S. F. 564, as follows:

By inserting in Section 1, Line 4 of the printed bill, after the words "or by", the words "a competent person" and by striking out, in Section 1, Lines 11 and 12 of the printed bill, the words "a bonded employee of the state auditor" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "employed by the state auditor and bonded in a sum of not less than \$10,000."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 271,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Widell, that line seven of the printed bill, S. F. No. 271, be amended by striking out the figures \$1,200 and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures: "who shall also be Clerk of the Pardon Board, \$2,000".

That section two of said printed bill be amended by adding thereto the words: "and all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Hall: Amend S. F. No. 271 by striking out the words and figures "stenographer \$1200" where the same appears in line eight of said printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Notary clerk and stenographer \$1800".

Which amendments were adopted.

S. F. No. 559

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendments, and further recommends that the bill be reprinted as amended.

Mr. Vibert offered the following amendment to Senate File No. 559:

In the title of the bill, after the word "ore" insert the words "and other ores."

In Section 2, line 8 strike out the word "oil" and insert instead the word "ore".

In Section 2, line 9, strike out the semicolon after the word "hereafter" and substitute therefor a comma.

In Section 2, line 14, correct the spelling of the word "plainty" to "plainly".

In Section 2, line 25, place a period after the word "out" and begin the new sentence with a capital "t" in the word "the" following.

In Section 2, line 26, strike out the word "as" where it follows the word "accepted" and insert the word "at".

In Section 6, line 9, strike out the word "ounty" and insert therefor the word "county".

In Section 6, line 19, strike out the word "necessarily" and insert therefor the word "unnecessarily."

In Section 6, line 71, correct the spelling of the word "phosphorur" by striking off the final "r" and adding an "s".

In Section 6, line 101, change the letter "i" in the word "analysis" to the letter "e," making the word plural.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Vibert offered the following amendment to Senate File No. 559:

In Section 5, at the end thereof, add the following: "Provided that the holder of any permit to prospect for iron ore on lands five miles or more from a known deposit of merchantable ore as provided for in Section 4 hereof, shall be entitled to a lease in the form set out in Section 6 except that until five years after a railroad has been built within two miles of such demised premises the annual rental when no ore is shipped, shall be \$500.00 per year payable quarterly in advance, and at the close of such period of five years the annual rental shall be \$5000.00 as provided in said section 6."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Vibert offered the following amendment to Senate File No. 559:

In Section 4, at the end thereof, add the following: "Provided that for the purpose of encouraging the search for iron ore in localities five miles or more from known tonnages of merchantable

iron ore, the permit above provided for shall be for a period of two years and the holder thereof shall be required to begin the work of drilling, sinking testpits or shafts within six months from date thereof; and shall be required to do not less than thirty days' work of eight hours each during the first year of said permit and not less than ninety days of eight hours each during the second year, provided however, that all work herein provided for may be completed earlier, and provided further that drilling with diamond or other core drill shall count as one day for each foot of solid formation and drilling with a so-called churn drill shall count as one-half day for each foot thus drilled."

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Hopp then moved that the report of the committee of the whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Jackson was excused for the rest of the day.

Mr. Peterson was excused for today.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, with Mr. Hopp in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Hopp reported that the committee had considered—

S. F. Nos. 520, 255, 452, 621, 529, 362, 461, 433, 403, 557 and 602

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 483, 467, 523, 665 and 178,

Also H. F. Nos. 6, 226, 655 and 207

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 576

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Naplin:

Amend Senate File No. 576 by inserting after the period in line 18 of the printed bill, the following: "provided, however, that in counties having an assessed valuation of less than (\$6,000,000) six million dollars, where the salary, fees and emoluments have not equaled fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00), the auditor shall issue a warrant for a sufficient amount to make all returns from said office equal the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00).

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 363

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Brooks:

Amend Section 1 of the printed bill of Senate File No. 363 as follows: By striking out the word "fire" where it occurs in line one (1) of Section 1.

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 636

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment, and further privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Offered by Mr. Callahan:

Amend Senate File No. 636 by adding at the end of Section 2, the following:

"Provided, that this act shall not apply to railroad companies engaged in interstate commerce."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hopp then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Erickson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, March 26, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names: -

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rask,	
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hopp,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES

Several petitions from employers of labor in the Sixth Senatorial District opposing changes in the administration of the Workmen's Compensation System were read, ordered not printed and referred to the committee on workmen's compensation.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, March 25, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 808, An act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

S. F. No. 926, An act to legalize elections by villages authorizing sales and leases of their municipal electric lighting plants and all action taken pursuant to such authority where notice of such elections has not been given in accordance with law.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 949, A bill for an act relating to leather and to the manufacture, purchase and sale thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Messrs. Putnam and Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 950, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 10, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act authorizing all public service corporations to give mortgages or deeds of trust covering all their property or franchises, including after-acquired property, and legalizing such mortgages or deeds of trust heretofore given.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 950, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 10, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act authorizing all public service corporations to give mortgages or deeds of trust covering

all their property or franchises, including after-acquired property, and legalizing such mortgages or deeds of trust heretofore given.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 950

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 950, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 10, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act authorizing all public service corporations to give mortgages or deeds of trust covering all their property or franchises, including after-acquired property, and legalizing such mortgages or deeds of trust heretofore given.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Rask,	Widell,
Conroy,	Johnson,	Millett,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Coleman (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 951, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 324, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915, entitled "An act creating and establishing a State Reformatory for Women" authorizing the State Board of Control to select and acquire for the state a suitable tract of land to be used as a site for the purpose, appropriating money therefor, and directing said Board of Control to prepare plans and estimates for the necessary buildings and improvements, for submission to the Legislature of 1921, and providing for an advisory board of women visitors and prescribing their duties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 952, A bill for an act entitled "An act to provide for the relief and assistance of soldiers, sailors and marines, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

S. F. No. 953, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 467, Session Laws of Minnesota of 1917, entitled "An act forbidding the drawing by state officers and other state employees of salary or compensation upon more than one voucher or warrant, providing for the form of pay voucher, and fixing penalties for the violation of the act."

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Erickson introduced—

S. F. No. 954, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 9 of the General Laws of 1912 and Sections 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2237 and 2238 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of steam railroads within the State of Minnesota, and to provide for a system of taxation of such steam railroads.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 114, A bill for an act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after the same are due and owing.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 813, A bill for an act to amend Section 3840, General Statute of 1913, relating to the regulations of labor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 360, A bill for an act relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Health in the sanitation of labor camps and provisions for the enforcement thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 858, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in all places of employment, both inside and outside, by requiring the owners of such places, and, in certain cases, the owners of buildings and grounds in or on which such places are located, to keep them in good sanitary condition; to require proper and adequate ventilation in such places; to require toilet facilities in such places; to require pure drinking water in such places; to require dressing rooms, locker rooms and washing facilities in certain of such places; to require a reasonable temperature to be maintained in such places; to prevent overcrowding in such places; to prohibit employees in such places from doing certain acts that are a menace to the health and safety of others; to require seats for women employes in such places; and providing penalties for violations of the act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Ward, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 545, A bill for an act to amend Section 2376 and 2377, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws 1917, which sections relate to noxious weeds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Senate File 545 as follows: Amend the title of said bill so as to read as follows: "A bill for an act to amend Section 2375, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 394, Laws of 1917; Sections 2376 and 2377 Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws of 1917 and Section 2377, Revised Laws of 1905, which said sections relate to "noxious weeds."

Further amend said bill by striking out all thereof after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That section 2375, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 394, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 2375. Each of the plants mentioned in this section is hereby declared to be a noxious weed and a common nuisance. For the purposes of this chapter noxious weeds and grasses are divided into two classes. Class 1 shall include the following, to-wit: Canada thistle (*cirsium arvense*), perennial sow thistle (*sonchus arvensis*). Class 2 shall include the following, to-wit: Wild mustard (*brassica arvense*), French weed (*thalapsi arvense*), quack grass (*agropyron repens*)."

Section 2. That section 2376, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 2376. For all purposes of this chapter the half of any road, street, or alley lying next to the lands abutting thereon shall be considered a part of such land. No person or corporation owning, occupying or controlling land shall permit any noxious weed or grass specified in Class 1 to produce seed upon any land so owned, occupied or controlled by him or it. No person or corporation owning, occupying or controlling land adjoining any road, street or alley shall permit any noxious weed specified in Classes 1 and 2 to grow or be upon the half of any road, street or alley adjoining land so owned or controlled by him.

"It shall be unlawful for any person or corporation owning, occupying or controlling land to permit or allow any noxious weed specified in Class 1 to produce seed upon any land so owned, occupied or controlled by him or it."

Section 3. That section 2377, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"2377. The chairman of each town board and the mayor, or president of the council of each municipal corporation is hereby empowered and required to give the notices required by this chapter and cause the provisions hereof to be enforced. It shall be the duty of each of said officials to annually inspect or cause to be inspected at the expense of their respective municipalities, between the first day of July and the 20th day of July of each year all roads, streets and alleys and lands within their respective jurisdiction for the

purpose of ascertaining whether any of the noxious weeds and grasses specified in Classes 1 and 2 aforesaid are growing thereon in violation of law and if he finds any such noxious weeds or grasses growing on any such lands or in any such streets, roads or alleys, he shall give written notice to the person owning, occupying or controlling the same to forthwith destroy the same and to comply with the provisions of this chapter in respect thereto within six days after the service of such notice. It shall be the duty of the county auditor to lay such duplicate copy of such notice so mailed to him before the board of county commissioners at their next regular or special meeting and it shall be the duty of the county board and its several members to see to it that the chairman of each town and the mayor or president of the council of each municipal corporation within the county performs their duties under the provisions of this Chapter and in case of failure of any such official to so perform his duty, they shall notify the county attorney to prosecute him or other persons who violate the provisions of this act.

It shall be the duty of the county auditor to mail a copy of this section to the chairman of each town board and to the mayor or president of the council of every municipality within his county each year between the first of June and the first day of July.

Section 4. That Section 2379, Revised Laws 1905, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"2379. If the notice be not obeyed within six days the chairman of the town board or the mayor or president of the council of each municipality, as the case may be, shall direct the overseer of roads or the official in charge of streets in municipalities, as the case may be, to, and it shall be the duty of such officials to forthwith destroy such weeds or grasses and make report thereof to the town or municipal clerk with an itemized account of his expense in so doing. Such overseer or such official in charge of streets in any municipality shall be allowed not to exceed five dollars per day for the time of his necessary employment, and for men and teams employed he may allow the rates paid for labor upon roads or streets. Such expense shall be paid by the town or municipality out of the road or street funds, and unless the sum be repaid by the owner or occupant before October 1st next ensuing, the clerk shall certify the amount thereof, with a description of the premises to be charged, to the county auditor who shall extend the same upon the tax list, as an additional tax upon said land. But if the land for any reason be exempt from general taxation, the amount of such

charge may be recovered of the owner in a civil action, with costs.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Ward, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 876, A bill for an act to amend Section 5167, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 394, Laws of 1917, relative to noxious weeds and also to provide for a county weed inspector and prescribing his duties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 660, A bill for an act to provide for County Boards of Health of five members in the several counties of the state and to authorize the employment of physicians, dentists and nurses for such boards.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of the title of said bill, the following words: "physicians, dentists and nurses for such boards", and inserting in lieu thereof, the following words: "a county health officer and other employes for such boards".

Further, to amend by striking out Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of said bill and substituting in lieu thereof, the following:

"Section 1. The board of county commissioners of any county in the state, when requested to do so by a majority of the town boards within the county, shall establish a county board of health which shall consist of a member of the board of county commissioners to be selected by them from their own number; the county superintendent of schools; a member of the county child welfare board, to be delegated by such board, and two citizens of the county, at least one of whom shall be a licensed physician. Where no child welfare board has been established in the county, the judge of probate of the county shall be a member of the county board of health. The county board of health shall select one of its members as chairman and shall meet subject to his call.

"The members of the county board of health provided for in this act may be appointed by the board of county commissioners at any meeting. The county superintendent of schools shall continue to be a member of such board during his term of office. All other members shall serve for one year.

"Section 2. The county board of health shall choose a health officer who shall be a licensed physician and who shall be the secretary and executive officer of such board and who shall serve during its pleasure. He shall be required to give his entire time to the duties of his office. The health officer and the physician member of the county board of health shall be chosen with reference to their special fitness for such offices.

"Section 3. The jurisdiction of the county board of health, where such a board has been established under the provisions of this act, shall extend to all townships in the county and to all villages which have not established a board of health as provided in Section 4643, General Statutes, 1913, and to any city, which, by a majority vote of the members of its governing body, shall so determine; and the powers and duties heretofore exercised by local boards within such towns, villages and cities are hereby transferred to the county board of health, and the duties of local health officers in such towns, villages and cities are hereby transferred to the county health officer.

"Section 4. The county board of health may appoint and employ assistant health officers, nurses, and such other employes as they deem necessary. The county board of health shall fix and pay, subject to the approval of the board of county commissioners, the salaries and expenses of the health officer, assistant health officer, and other employes."

To further amend by adding after the words "county board of health", where they occur in lines 12 and 13 of Section 6 of the type-written bill, the following:

"upon the properly authenticated voucher of the county board of health."

To further amend Section 9 by striking out the words "after August 1, 1919", and inserting in lieu thereof the words "after passage".

To further amend by renumbering Sections 6, 8 and 9 to read Sections 5, 6 and 7.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 862, A bill for an act to amend Section 3631, General Statutes 1913, relating to oil inspection fees and the collection thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 862

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 337, A bill for an act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a state expert printer, and defining their duties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Senate File No. 337 by striking out the words "thirty-six" where they appear in line 9 of page 2 of the typewritten bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "thirty-two."

Further amend line 2 of Section 3 by striking out the word "of" where it appears in said line, and insert in lieu thereof the words "not to exceed."

Further amend by inserting after the word "board" where it appears in line 28 of Section 4 the words "the expense of publishing," and by striking out in said line 28 the words "are payable," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "shall be paid."

Further amend by adding a new class after the paragraph Class six as follows:

"Class seven.—Election ballots required by law to be printed by the state, together with tally sheets, abstracts of returns and all other blanks necessary to carry out the provisions of the law pertaining to the state primary and general election."

Further amend by striking out all of Section 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 6. In the first week of May, annually, said Printing Commission shall advertise in one newspaper in each of the five largest cities of the state, that at the time and place named, which shall not be earlier than thirty days after the date of publishing said advertisement, it will open all bids theretofore received for the

state printing and binding to be done during the year beginning with the fiscal year next ensuing. Said advertisement shall also give notice that blank forms for bids, with specifications and rules for the guidance of bidders and contractors may be obtained from the State Expert Printer. The Printing Commission shall receive bids for yearly contracts of classes of printing herein designated one, two, three, four and five and subdivisions thereof, except in cases where no printing shall be required in any such classing during any fiscal year, and except as otherwise provided herein. On class six said Commission may, as deemed advisable, receive bids for yearly contract or may authorize the State Expert Printer to obtain advance prices from time to time for separate jobs under said class.

The Printing Commission shall meet in due time previous to any primary or general election, at which meeting it shall determine the number of election ballots and other blank forms necessary to be printed for use at such primary or general election and take whatever steps it may deem necessary to advertise for and receive bids from responsible printing concerns for the printing and furnishing of said election ballots and blank forms. It shall be the duty of the secretary of state to prepare the copy for the election ballots and other blanks for which bids are to be received by the Printing Commission for printing, and it shall be the duty of the State Expert Printer to give the orders for and superintend the printing of the said election ballots and blank forms as prescribed in Class Seven of this Act, as the Printing Commission may direct; he shall check in the said election ballots and blank forms as they are delivered by the contractor, and obtain from the secretary of state a receipt therefor as in other cases made and provided in this Act."

Further amend by striking out the word "yearly" where it appears in line 4 of Section 7 of the typewritten bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 151, A bill for an act to amend sub-section 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1913, which Chapter 400 is entitled "An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees," so far as the same relates to the salaries and compensation of the officers and employes of the Department of Labor and Industries, and authorizing the transfer of certain funds from the

contingent fund of said department to the maintenance fund thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend the engrossed copy of Senate File No. 151 by striking out of Section 1 all of the section following the word "follows" where it appears in line 2 of said section, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"21. Office of (bureau of labor) department of labor and industries. Commissioner of labor, (three thousand) thirty-six hundred dollars; assistant commissioner of labor, (two thousand) twenty-four hundred dollars; chief statistician, twenty-four hundred dollars; statistician, seventeen hundred dollars; assistant statistician, (seventeen) twelve hundred dollars; superintendent, bureau of women and children, eighteen hundred dollars; (three) two deputy labor commissioners, not to exceed (forty-two hundred) thirty-seven hundred and twenty dollars; one elevator inspector, not to exceed (fifteen hundred) eighteen hundred and sixty dollars; (five) seven male factory inspectors, not to exceed (sixty-five hundred) eleven thousand six hundred dollars; one railroad inspector, not to exceed seventeen hundred dollars; (four male assistant factory inspectors, not to exceed forty-four hundred dollars); (three) four female inspectors not to exceed (thirty-six hundred) five thousand six hundred dollars; three local managers of employment offices, not to exceed (thirty-four) four thousand three hundred dollars; four assistant managers of employment offices, not to exceed (thirty-eight) four thousand dollars; three special agents, compensation division, not to exceed five thousand five hundred and eighty dollars; one special agent, statistical division, fifteen hundred dollars; one secretary, not to exceed twelve hundred dollars; (two) three stenographers, not to exceed (eighteen hundred and sixty) three thousand and eighty dollars; (three) four clerks, not to exceed (twenty-five hundred and twenty) four thousand dollars; one chief file clerk, not to exceed twelve hundred dollars."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 454, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of the public examiner and of the several employes in his office.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out of Section 1 all after the word "follows" in line 3 of said bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Public Examiner, \$4500.00; Deputy public examiner, \$3300.00; One assistant public examiner, \$3200.00; One assistant public examiner, \$2700.00; Twelve assistant public examiners at salaries ranging from \$1500.00 to \$2400.00 each, but not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of \$27,000.00; One executive clerk, \$1800.00, and such other clerks and stenographers as may be necessary, but the salaries for such shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of \$5800.00, which said sum of \$5800.00 shall be paid from the maintenance fund."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 679, A bill for an act abolishing the office of state oil inspector and transferring his powers to the dairy and food commissioner, providing for appointment of a chief oil inspector and deputy oil inspectors, amending Sections 3622, 3625, 3623, 3626, 3627, 3628, 3630 and 3631, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 271, Session Laws Minnesota, 1915, and Chapter 331, Session Laws Minnesota, 1917, all relating to gasoline and illuminating oils, and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Insert after the word "Governor" where it appears in line 3 of Section 2 the words "with the approval of the Senate".

Further amend by inserting after the word "appoint" in line 2 of Section 3 the words "with the consent of the Governor".

And strike out the word "inspector" in line 3 of Section 3, and insert in lieu thereof the word "inspection".

Amend Section 4 by striking out the word "economics" where it appears in line 9 of said section, and insert in lieu thereof the word "economies".

Further amend Section 4 by striking out the words "Two Hundred" in lines 13 and 14 of said section, and insert in lieu thereof the words "One Hundred and Seventy-five".

Amend Section 7 by striking out of sub-division 2 in the fourteenth line of said section the words "more than a trace of any sulphur compound" and insert in lieu thereof "glue or suspended matter".

And in sub-division 3 of said section strike out the words "nor tar-like matter".

And from sub-division 4 of said section strike out the words "by weight", and change the figures "580" where they appear in the third line of said sub-division to "600".

Amend Section 10 by striking out the word "same" where it appears at the beginning of line 9 of said section, and add after the word "as" in the same line the word "herein", and strike out the words after the word "for" in the same line, "in this act for illuminating oils".

Further amend by striking out after the word "impurities" in line 20 of Section 10 the words "and have a gravity of not less than 57° Beaume Scale". Also strike out the word "acceptance" where it appears in line 23, and insert in lieu thereof the words "being sold or offered for sale".

Amend sub-division "(a)" of Section 10 by striking out the figures and words "lower than 95° Fahrenheit, nor".

Amend sub-division "(c)" by striking out the figures "275°" and insert in lieu thereof "300°."

Amend sub-division "(d)" by striking out the figures "356°", and insert in lieu thereof "430°".

Strike out of sub-division "(f)" the following: "Not less than 97% of the liquid will be recovered from the distillation", and insert in lieu thereof "After complete distillation, the residue shall not be over 3%".

Further amend by striking out all of Section 10 after sub-division "(f)", commencing with the words "All gasoline", and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"All gasoline, benzine and naptha shall be tested as to 'end point' and shall be branded 'Unsafe for Illuminating Purposes' and every barrel, cask, or package which contains gasoline, naptha or benzine shall be labeled or branded with the word 'Gasoline', 'Naptha' or 'Benzine' as the case may be, in large letters at least two inches in size, and 'end point' thereof shall be printed or stenciled on each barrel, can, cask, tank or other vessel covering deliveries of such gasoline, naptha or benzine the following:

'This is to certify that the..... (gasoline, naphtha or benzine, as the case may be, shall be inserted in this blank) covered by this sale has an 'end point' of..... (the actual 'end point' test to be inserted in this blank) and has been inspected and approved by the chief (state) oil inspector..... (Name or corporation or person selling or furnishing same shall be signed, printed or stenciled on the above line.)

Provided, however, that any person or corporation selling or delivering gasoline, benzine or naphtha in bulk by tanks shall, in lieu of the stamp or brand herein provided for, furnish and deliver to the purchaser a certificate as above set forth.

Provided, however, that it shall be deemed a full compliance with this act if the said label or tank wagon (sale ticket) shows a distillation 'end point' not higher than 450° Fahrenheit.

All visible containers and all devices used for drawing gasoline from underground containers at filling stations, garages, and other places, where gasoline is sold or offered for sale, shall be stamped or labeled in a visible place with two inch figures showing the 'end point' of the contents of such containers and the retail price of same contents.' "

Amend Section 11 by inserting after the word "water" in line 12 the words "dirt or solid matter", and insert after the word "water" in line 14 of Section 11, the words "dirt or solid matter".

Amend Section 12 by striking out lines 3 and 4 after the figures "3627".

Amend Section 15 by striking out after the word "as" in line 6 the words "inspection fees, and it is hereby made the duty of the state auditor to collect such fees and pay them into the state treasury", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "inspection fees, and the auditor shall forthwith issue his drafts for such amounts and deliver the same to the state treasurer for collection. If any such corporation, firm or individual shall fail to pay such inspection fees within sixty days after the date of the state auditor's draft, the fact of such non-payment shall be certified by the treasurer to the chief inspector, and thereafter no inspections shall be made for such delinquent corporation, firm or individual until said draft is paid".

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

A concurrent resolution requesting the board of control and warden of the state prison to increase the manufacture and output of farm machinery and binding twine in the state penitentiary.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resolution do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Widell moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 841, A bill for an act authorizing certain counties to make use of a part of the poorhouse for hospital purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 854, A bill for an act relating to the compensation of members of county boards in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 874, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 193 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 412 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and fixing the compensation of county surveyors, their deputies, employees and clerks, in counties having a population of not less than 220,000 inhabitants and not over 330,000 inhabitants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 845, A bill for an act fixing salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor and the county treasurer in counties now and hereafter having not less than fifty or more than seventy full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not more than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 793, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 870, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of probation officers in certain counties of this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 870

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 848, A bill for an act to fix the salary of county auditors in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Turnham, from the Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 902, A bill for an act relating to the taking of fish by nets and seines in certain of the public waters in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Turnham, from the Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 470, A bill for an act relating to state fishing operations, appropriating money for a revolving fund to be used in such operations, conferring certain powers on the Game and Fish Commissioner, and regulating the removal of fish from public waters in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 2 thereof by adding at the end of the section the following:

“Provided that no fish shall be taken under the provisions of this act from any lake of less area than two hundred square miles.”

Strike out all of Section 3 and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 3. Fish so taken and removed shall be sold by the commissioner at not more than the prevailing market price, and the proceeds of such sales shall be paid by the commissioner into the state treasury and by the treasurer credited to the revolving fund aforesaid. Fish so taken and sold shall not be shipped to points without the state, except that carp, buffalofish, sheepshead, tullibees, bullheads, dogfish, garfish, burbot, suckers and goldeyes so taken and sold by the commissioner may be shipped either within or without the state. Any person shipping fish in violation of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 622, A bill for an act to promote the health and welfare of female employes by limiting the hours of employment, by prescribing time for rest and by establishing certain standards of working conditions; and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in line nine (9) of Section 1 the word "nurses" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nursing."

Further amending by striking out the word "allowed" in line thirteen (13) of Section 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "compelled."

Further amending by adding at the end of Section 3 the following: Provided, further that when the employment of any such employe shall begin after the hour of 7 P. M. and end at the hour of nine o'clock A. M. such sixty minute rest period shall not be required."

By adding a new section at the end of Section 8 to be known as Section 9.

"Section 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1st, 1919."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 639, A bill for an act to promote the safety of employes and the general public by requiring owners of certain buildings in which elevators are used jointly by two or more tenants to provide operators to run such elevators; also requiring such owner to provide locking devices on such elevators, and forbidding the use of such elevators under certain conditions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "two" where it appears in the third line of the title and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three."

Further amending by striking out the word "two" in line two (2) of Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 937, A bill for an act to amend Section 1720, Revised

Laws 1905 (Section 3611, Statutes 1913), which Section prescribes penalties for the failure of insurance companies to comply with the law with reference to the filing of their annual statement.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 2 of Section 3313, General Statutes 1913, regulating investment of the funds of domestic insurance companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author, at author's request.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 260

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 806, A bill for an act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of mutual automobile insurance companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the following words in the 4th line of Section 1, viz.: "and other perils of operation" and insert in lieu thereof "and by windstorm or tornado."

Further amend by striking out in lines 7, 8 and 9 of Section 1 the following words: "and to insure against loss or hazard incident to the ownership, operation or use of motor or other vehicles."

Strike out all of Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 2. (a) No policies shall be issued by any company or association now or hereafter organized under the provisions of this act until not less than \$200,000 of insurance upon not less than 200 separate automobiles located in this state has been subscribed for and entered upon the books of the company or association and the premiums thereon for one year have been paid in cash, which premiums shall aggregate not less than \$2,500.

(b) Every such company shall provide in its by-laws and specify

in its policies the maximum contingent mutual liability of its members for the payment of losses and expenses not provided for by its cash fund. Such contingent liability of a member shall not be less than a sum equal to and in addition to one annual premium nor more than a sum equal to five times the amount of such annual premium, but in case of a policy written for less than one year the contingent liability shall not exceed the amount of the premium written in the policy. The total amount of the liability of the policyholder shall be plainly and legibly stated upon each policy as follows: "The maximum contingent liability of a policyholder under this policy is \$——."

Further amend by inserting after the word "of" where it appears in the 4th line of Section 4, the following words: "not more than" and by striking out all of Section 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 5. Any such company may, if a majority of its members so elect, at any annual meeting or special meeting called for that purpose, amend its articles of incorporation so as to provide for a guaranty reserve fund in an amount not exceeding \$100,000, said guaranty reserve fund to be used only in the payment of losses and expenses in the event the total liabilities of the company, including its statutory reserves and such guaranty reserve fund, are in excess of its total admitted assets and that the total contingent liability of the policyholders has been exhausted. The guaranty reserve fund may be created from the profits or surplus of the company, also by the levying of assessments, but no policyholder shall be liable for an assessment for any purpose whatsoever for an amount greater than as specified in his policy contract.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 786, A bill for an act to provide funds for carrying into effect Chapter 491, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and defining the duties of the high school board in the distribution of such funds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 895, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2896 and 2897, General Statutes 1913, relating to payment of school funds to counties by State Treasurer and the apportionment thereof by county auditors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of line 3 in Section 1.

Further amend by striking out the figures "2897" and the words "county apportionment" in line 3 of Section 2.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 893, A bill for an act to amend Section 2917, General Statutes 1913, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 464, A bill for an act to provide for the Americanization of illiterates and of persons not speaking the American language; to provide and maintain evening schools and to provide an appropriation therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 464

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 527, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 194 of the laws of 1915 entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf chil-

dren, blind children, defective speech children and mentally sub-normal children in such school districts in certain cases and appropriating money therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 527

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 844, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of education for unorganized territory, containing 75 or more townships or fractions thereof, in counties of this State, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding floating indebtedness.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 341, A bill for an act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on County Road work under the provisions of Chapter 182 General Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, in any county of this state now or hereafter having an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 720, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of any city to provide, by resolution, for the exercise by one of the judges of the Municipal Court of any such city of like powers and duties as are granted to and imposed on the conciliation judge of the Municipal Court of the city of Minneapolis by the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 720

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 899, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of certain cities to provide, by resolution, that one of the judges of the municipal court of any such city shall act as a court of conciliation and small debtors' court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 965, A bill for an act legalizing certain affidavits of publication heretofore filed and the record thereof, wherein certain facts which should have been stated were omitted.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

"Section 1. That all affidavits of the fact of the publication of any and all legal notices in any newspaper in this state heretofore made which omit to set forth that said newspaper has been circulated in and near its place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers, such affidavits being in other respects in the form required by statute, are hereby declared to be legal and valid and the record of any such affidavits heretofore or hereafter actually recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the proper county shall be in all respects legal and valid and such record shall have the same force and effect in all respects for the purpose of legal notice and evidence and otherwise as may be provided by law in other cases."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 381, A bill for an act defining gambling contracts as applied to sales of wheat and other food products, declaring same illegal, and providing penalty for violation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Amend line 2 of Section 3 as follows:

By inserting between the words "in" and "dealing" the words "growing or."

2. In the 4th line of said section strike out the first "or" where it occurs after the word "purchases" and insert between the words "sales" and "made" the words "or storage contracts."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 813, 360, 858, 545, 876, 660, 337, 151, 454, 679, 841, 854, 874, 845, 848, 902, 470, 622, 639, 937, 806, 786, 895, 893, 844, 899 and 381,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 114, 793, 341 and 965,

Were read the second time.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Nord moved that S. F. Nos. 467 and 483 be made a Special Order for Tuesday, April 1, 2:30 P. M."

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved that S. F. No. 142 be recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation and re-referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 142,

Was recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

S. F. No. 142,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Fowler moved that S. F. No. 36 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fowler moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Mr. Fowler moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 36 be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47, and nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boylan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Lee,	Stepan,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Loonam,	Van Hoven,
Conroy,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	

So the motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 36, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 105 of General Laws of 1913 as amended by Chapter 63, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act to improve the public service, to create a Civil Service Commission and define its powers and duties, in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42, and nays 15, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Loonam,	Palmer,
Cailahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Devold,	Handlan,	Lee,	Orr,	Van Hoven,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended and that H. F. No. 751, No. 132 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 751, A bill for an act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power or eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven.
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord moved that S. F. No. 480 No. 39 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 480,

Was re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Putnam moved that S. F. No. 846, No. 141 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 577, A bill for an act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Fowler moved to amend S. F. No. 577 by striking out of the first engrossed copy thereof the semicolon after the word "city" at the end of the fourth subdivision of Section 2, and inserting in lieu thereof a period.

Further amend by striking out all of subdivision 5 of said Section 2 reading as follows:

"(5) Said board shall have and exercise supervision and control of all matters and activities relating to the hygienic conditions, health and welfare of all public and private schools in such

city and of all pupils and persons in attendance at such schools, and establish, maintain and conduct dental and medical clinics in the public schools of such city. Provided that the hygienic condition in the public schools shall remain and be under the control and supervision of the school board of such city."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Guilford moved to amend S. F. No. 577 as follows:

By striking out the period where the same appears after the word "amount" in line 17 of Section 8 of the first engrossed copy of the bill and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon, and by adding after the said word, "amount" the following words, "Provided, that the aggregate annual levy of such tax shall never exceed in any one year three and three-fourths ($3\frac{3}{4}$) mills on the dollar upon the assessed valuation of any such city."

Which amendment was adopted.

(Final passage deferred pending amendments.)

S. F. No. 50. A bill for an act to amend Sections 4958, 4959, 4960 and 4961 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings for removal, suspension or censure of attorneys at law for misconduct and to the investigation of charges of such misconduct.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 159, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hopp moved to amend H. F. No. 159 as follows:

Insert after the figures "1913" in line 2 of the printed bill the following:

"As amended by Chapter 243, Laws 1915."

Also insert after the word "amend" in the title of said printed bill the following:

"Section 6516 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, as amended by."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Widell,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nord,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 458, A bill for an act regulating the crossing of railroad tracks by persons operating or driving motor vehicles and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Erickson moved to amend S. F. No. 458, as follows:

Strike out the word "and" in the second line of Section 2 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the word "or."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 19, and nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were.

Adams,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nord,	Ward,
Boylan,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill failed to pass.

S. F. No. 169, A bill for an act to provide the place and method of assessing the personal property of electric light and power companies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 450, A bill for an act to provide for the licensing of dental nurses, and providing the duties and rights of dental nurses.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hamer,	Millett,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Wold,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 86, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of constructing bridges across navigable streams running through such cities.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 614, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 230, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, an act relating to government of cities of the first class and authorizing the levy of taxes for play ground purposes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Bessette,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 698, A bill for an act relating to lost, stolen and unclaimed property in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by a home rule charter.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called there were yeas 41, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 877, A bill for an act to legalize notices of claims filed against cities of the first class, not having a home rule charter, during February, 1918, pursuant to Section 1 of Chapter 391, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 918, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter to use and dispose of its surplus and unused products and furnish fire protection and use of fire apparatus to other municipalities and communities outside of such cities and to provide for and permit other municipalities and communities outside of such cities to make connections with and use the sewers and sewer systems of such cities.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Millett was excused for the rest of the day.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 591, A bill for an act to amend Section 1020, General Statutes 1913, relating to teachers' institutes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 585, A bill for an act to amend Section 1011 General Statutes 1913, relating to expenses incurred by County Superintendents of Schools, for postage, teachers' examinations and other purposes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Leonam,	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 389, A bill for an act to authorize cities of the first class to levy taxes for defraying the current expenses of such cities.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cogrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Coleman moved that the Memorial exercises set for tomorrow be extended to Thursday, April 3, 2:00 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, March 27, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Besette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Adams was excused beginning with 2:00 P. M. today for the rest of the week.

Mr. Millett was excused for today.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Boylan and Besette introduced—

S. F. No. 955, A bill for an act establishing additional terms of the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District in and for St.

Louis county at the City of Virginia, at the village of Hibbing, and at the City of Ely in said county; providing for the officers of said court and the salaries of certain of such officers; the manner of conducting and powers of said court, the furnishing of accommodations for said court and its officers, and care of prisoners, for grand and petit jurors for said court, for place of trial of appeals from municipal courts and justices of the peace, for determining the place of trial of all civil and criminal actions and the hearing of all proceedings of whatsoever kind; for filing of papers, entry of judgments, docketing of judgments, issuing of executions thereon at the City of Virginia and the village of Hibbing; for the division of business of said courts and joint sessions by the judges thereof, for a juvenile court, and for repealing all laws inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Committee on Civil Administration introduced—

S. F. No. 956, A bill for an act abolishing the department of weights and measures, including the office of Commissioner of Weights and Measures, and transferring to the Dairy and Food Commissioner all the powers and duties now possessed by the said commissioner and the said department.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 956 be given its second reading, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 956

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Cumming, Peterson and Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 957, A bill for an act authorizing the payment from the allotment of the state road and bridge fund made to any county of aid on account of cost of construction by any such county of a bridge over waters constituting a state boundary.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Handlan introduced—

S. F. No. 958, A bill for an act to define the qualifications for the practice of architecture in the State of Minnesota; to provide for the examination and registration of architects and to provide for the violation of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 849, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right, title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.

H. F. No. 55, A concurrent resolution to request the State Board of Investment to invest not to exceed \$500,000 in United States Victory Loan Bonds.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, buildings and improvements at state institutions and for other purposes.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 26, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 849, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right, title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 55, A concurrent resolution to request the State Board

of Investment to invest not to exceed \$500,000 in United States Victory Loan Bonds.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, building and improvements at state institutions and for other purposes.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

MAJORITY REPORT.

H. F. No. 20, A bill for an act creating a State Industrial Accident Compensation Board of the State of Minnesota; creating an industrial accident compensation fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board, and of compensation, as provided by part two, Chapter 467, General Law 1913, as amended, to injured employes and to the dependents of employes who may be killed in the course of their employment, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

J. A. JACKSON,
E. M. ERICKSON,
A. O. DEVOLD,
MICHAEL BOYLAN,
HILDING SWANSON.

MINORITY REPORT.

We, the undersigned members of the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, disagreeing with the majority members of said committee, beg leave to submit the following minority report on House File No. 20:

1. We recommend that said House File No. 20 be indefinitely postponed.

2. That Senate File No. 908 be amended as per proposed amendments hereto attached.

3. That such amendments be adopted so that said Senate File No. 908 may be re-engrossed and printed.

4. That said Senate File No. 908 be then substituted for House File No. 20, and that it do pass.

5. That the minority and majority reports be printed in the journal and a time fixed for hearing both of the bills and reports on a special order.

Respectfully submitted,

A. J. ROCKNE,

C. R. FOWLER,

J. A. CASHEL.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED BY THE MINORITY REPORT TO
SENATE FILE NO. 908.

1. Amend by striking out the letter "d" in the word "engaged" in line 26, Section 5.

2. Amend by striking out the letters "GL" wherever they occur in said bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "Laws".

3. Amend by striking out the word "the" preceding the word "business" in the second line of Section 6.

4. Amend by striking out the word "by" following the words "in place of" in the sixth line of Section 6.

5. Amend by inserting the words "and amendatory acts" after the figures "1913" in the tenth line of Section 6.

6. Amend by striking out the word "with" in line 16 of Section 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and".

7. Amend by striking out the words "signed and filed with" in line 17 of Section 6 and insert in lieu thereof the words "approved by".

8. Amend by striking out paragraph "A" in lines 6 and 7 in Section 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Any person aggrieved by any final award of the Board made under the provisions of this act may appeal therefrom to the District Court of the county in which the injury occurred, upon questions of law only, by serving written notice of appeal upon the Board, or the secretary, within thirty (30) days after the date of the award, which notice of appeal shall designate the grounds upon which a review is sought. The Board shall thereupon, and within twenty (20) days after the date of the service of said notice, file with the Clerk of the Court designated in said notice a certified copy of said award and

the findings of fact upon which the same was based, which shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated. Thereupon the Court shall summarily hear and determine the questions of law involved in said appeal.

"An appeal from the determination of the District Court may be taken to the Supreme Court as in civil actions."

9. Amend by striking out all of Section 9 except the caption thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Upon the application directed to the Board alleging fraud, mistake or coercion the Board shall review the agreement for compensation and shall notify all parties interested therein and shall hold a hearing at which the parties in interest shall be heard and thereafter the Board may modify, reform or terminate any agreement or award previously made or approved whenever it shall appear to the satisfaction of the Board that the original agreement or award was entered into or procured by fraud, mistake or coercion. The Board may modify, reform or terminate any agreement or award at any time by supplemental agreement of the parties approved by the Board on the ground that the incapacity of the injured party has increased, decreased or terminated or the status of any dependent has changed."

10. Amend by striking out the word "document" in the 18th and 19th lines of Section 10 and insert in lieu thereof the words "files and records in his possession".

11. Amend by striking out the words "to the parties of any petition" in line 5 of Section 11.

12. Amend by inserting the word "or" after the word "Board" in line 10 of Section 11 and by striking out of said line 10 of Section 11 "or authorized representative".

13. Amend by inserting the word "or" after the word "Board" in line 11 of Section 11 and by striking out of said line 11 of Section 11 "or authorized representative".

14. Amend Section 12 by striking out all thereof, except the caption and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"If an injured employee is mentally incompetent or is a minor at the time when any right or privilege accrues to him under this act or under the provisions of Chapter 467, Laws 1913, and amendatory acts, the board may in its discretion require the appointment of a guardian to make settlement for such incompetent or minor and to receive moneys thereunder or under an award."

15. Amend Section 13 by striking out paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 contained in lines 4 to 13, both inclusive.

16. Amend Section 14 by striking out all thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following :

“Accidents to be reported to board. On and after August 1, 1919, every employer subject to the provisions of Part II, Chapter 467, Laws 1913 and amendatory acts, or his insurer on his behalf, shall make to the Board such reports of accidents as are now required by the provisions of Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 416, Laws 1913, to be made to the Department of Labor and Industries and for failure so to do shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Every employer so reporting to the Board shall be relieved of making a report to the Department of Labor and Industries concerning any accident so reported to the Board.”

17. Amend Section 17 by striking out all thereof, except the caption and insert in lieu thereof the following :

“This act shall take effect and be in force from and after August 1st, 1919, except such parts thereof which authorizes the appointment of the members of the board, the employment by the board or a secretary and other clerical assistants and matters relating to the organization of the Workmen’s Compensation Board and the payment of their respective salaries and expenses as to which last specified matters this act shall take effect on June 1st, 1919.”

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 908 and H. F. No. 20 together with the Majority and Minority reports thereon, be given their second reading and made a Special Order for Wednesday, April 2, 2:00 o’clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rockne moved that S. F. No. 908 be engrossed with the proposed amendments and 500 copies printed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 24, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 105 of the

Laws of 1913, and Chapter 63 of the Laws of 1917, relating to civil service in cities of the first class.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 836, A bill for an act authorizing cemetery associations to re-invest themselves with title to the unused portions of cemetery lots, for failure to pay lot care thereon, and relating to cemeteries.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 931, A bill for an act requiring mortgagees to pay mortgage registry taxes and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 931,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 374, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 131 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to conveyances by husband and wife of insane or incompetent persons.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following section to be known as Section 1:

Section 1. That Section 1, of Chapter 131 of the General Laws of 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The husband or wife of any person who has been or may be adjudged, by a court of competent jurisdiction, to be insane or incompetent to transact his or her business or manage his or her estate, and of whose person or estate, or both, a

guardian has been or may be appointed by a probate court of this state, may with such guardian's approval, by separate deed convey any real estate, the title to which is or may be in such husband or wife, as fully as he or she could do if unmarried; provide that in any such case, a duly certified copy of the letters of guardianship of such guardian shall be recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the county in which such real estate is situated and the approval of such conveyance by such guardian shall be in writing, after being first authorized to do so by an order of such probate court, and shall be endorsed on the instrument of such conveyance. Without such approval of such guardian, a conveyance by such husband or wife shall not affect the rights of the insane or incompetent spouse.

Provided, further, that in any case where no guardian has been appointed of the person or estate of such insane or incompetent spouse and such insanity or incompetency has existed or may exist for three years subsequent to the adjudication of the insanity or incompetency of such insane or incompetent spouse, then and in such event, the husband or wife of such insane or incompetent person may convey any real estate, the title to which is in such husband or wife, as fully as he or she could do if unmarried.

Provided further, that this section shall not authorize the conveyance of a homestead unless the guardian of the person or estate of such insane or incompetent person has been or shall be appointed by the probate court of the proper county and such guardian shall consent in writing to such conveyance, by endorsement thereon, after being first authorized so to do, by order of such probate court.

Provided further, that the provisions of the foregoing provisos shall not apply to a non-resident insane or incompetent person.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 648, A bill for an act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, and restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses and places of refreshment, defining the same, and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for viola-

tions of the provisions of this act, and repealing Chapter 343 of the General Laws of 1905 and Chapter 206 of the General Laws of 1911 and Chapter 569 of the General Laws of 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 648

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 832, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913, entitled, An act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 831, A bill for an act to amend Section 2330 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws 1907, being Section 5032, General Statutes 1913, relating to qualifications entitling pharmacists to registration.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 812, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 156, of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, being Chapter 28a of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, to abolish the Department of Weights and Measures.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 812

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 862, A bill for an act authorizing the issue and sale of county bonds for the purpose of permanently improving certain state roads.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Amend Section 1 of said typewritten bill by striking out all of said Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. The county board of any county in this state is hereby authorized to issue and sell from time to time the bonds of said county to such an amount as in the board's judgment may be necessary for the purpose of paying the expense incurred or to be incurred in permanently improving a state road, or state roads, within such county, but the aggregate net indebtedness of any county, inclusive of the bonds issued hereunder, shall not at any time exceed fifteen (15) per cent of the assessed valuation of the county's taxable real property.

Provided, that no bonds shall be issued without the previous approval thereof by the voters of the county, except upon a four-fifths ($4/5$) vote of the county board when the amount of said bonds does not exceed one hundred and twenty-five thousand (\$125,000) dollars; and upon the unanimous vote of the county board when the amount of said bonds exceeds one one hundred and twenty-five thousands (\$125,000) dollars and does not exceed two hundred and fifty thousand (\$250,000) dollars; and provided, further, that no bonds in excess of two hundred and fifty thousand (\$250,000) dollars shall be issued by any county board unless the question of issuing such bonds, in which shall be specified the termini and general direction of the proposed road, or roads, and the amount of the bonds to be issued shall be first submitted to the voters of the county and approved by a majority voting upon the question. The method of submission of said question shall be that provided by Section 1854, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913; any bonds issued hereunder shall be sold conformably to the provisions of Section 1856 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913. The words "state road" as used herein means a state road as defined by Chapter 235, Section 1, Laws of 1913 or any part or section of such road within said county, and for which the Commissioner of Highways shall apportion Federal aid under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 11, 1916, being an Act entitled "An Act to provide that the United States shall aid the states in the construction of rural post roads and for other purposes".

and the acts of Congress amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto. "Permanently improve" as used herein includes any work approved by the Commissioner of Highways, as herein-after specified, which is essential or preparatory to the pavement of such roads, with a proper, durable, hard surfaced type of pavement.

Before any bonds shall be issued under the provisions hereof the route and termini of the road, or roads, proposed to be permanently improved, and plans and specifications for their permanent improvement shall be first approved by the Commission of Highways. Such approval and that the road is one for the permanent improvement of which bonds may be issued hereunder, shall be conclusively evidenced by a certificate to that effect signed by the Commissioner of Highways in which the proposed road, or roads, shall be designated by appropriate description or reference.

2. By striking out the word "twenty" in line four of Section 2 of the typewritten bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten".

3. Strike out the words "said bonds shall contain the option authorizing the county board to redeem the same at the end of five years from date of issue or on any interest payment date thereafter", where said words appear in lines five, six, seven and eight of Section 2 of the typewritten bill and insert in lieu of said words, so stricken out the following words: "said bonds may contain an option authorizing the county board to redeem the same on any interest date."

4. Strike out all of Section 3 of the typewritten bill beginning with the words "Provided" in the fourth line of said Section 3 and including the word "authorized" in the last line of said Section 3.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 860, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section relates to the salary and expenses of the Commissioner of Highways, the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, the several assistant engineers, the cleri-

cal and technical assistants of the Highway Department and the expense of maintaining the offices of the Highway Department.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the period at end of Section 1 of said bill and insert the following:

“, provided furthermore than the expense of maintaining the office of said highway department, including the salary of the commissioner of highways and that of the deputy commissioner of highways and the necessary clerical and technical assistants and employes employed in such office, but exclusive of the salaries and necessary expenses of the assistant engineers employed by the commission outside of said office, shall in no year exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00).”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 941, A bill for an act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels and restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, clubs, drug-stores, Young Men's Christian Associations, Young Women's Christian Associations, or similar institutions, and places of refreshment, defining the same and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Chapter 343 of the General Laws of 1905, and Chapter 206 of the General Laws of 1911 and Chapter 569 of the General Laws of 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 26, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209 General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employees sustaining personal injury.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor, providing for information as to dependents in fatal cases, requiring a supplementary report when an accident previously reported results fatally, fixing a period for the filing of settlements and releases, and prescribing a penalty for failure to file the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 638, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor, providing for information as to dependents in fatal cases, requiring a supplementary report when an accident previously reported results fatally, fixing a period for the filing of settlements and releases, and prescribing a penalty for failure to file the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 638

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 637, A bill for an act to amend Section 8209, General Statutes of 1913, to provide for the payment of total permanent compensation out of a special fund in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 885, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the Workmen's Compensation Act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 179, A bill for an act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to compensate the dependents of employees in all cases where death results to an employe, caused by injury arising out of and in the course of employment, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 59, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, the same being Section 8213, of the General Statutes of 1913, and as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, so as to allow the employe to make selection of his physician or surgeon and hospital and further allowing the employe medical treatment and supplies during the period of disability of said injured employe.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 59

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 747, A bill for an act requiring the stock of state banks hereafter organized to be owned by individuals, and making certain transactions relative thereto unlawful.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 667, A bill for an act authorizing trust companies to be designated depositories of state, county and municipal funds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 667

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 400, A bill for an act entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of state banks having a capital of not less than fifty thousand dollars; authorizing such state banks to act as agent, attorney in fact, depositee of trust and other funds, assignee, receiver, representative of estates and trustee, and to transact other business; authorizing such state banks to use the words "trust" or "trust company," "saving" or "savings bank" in their corporate names; and prescribing the conditions on which such powers and privileges may be exercised.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 400

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 223, A bill for an act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to State, County and City depositories.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 223,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 787, A bill for an act requiring the stock of state banks hereafter organized to be owned by individuals, and making certain transactions relative thereto unlawful.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 787

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 24, 836, 908, 374, 832, 831, 941, 637, 885 and 179,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 20, 747, 809, 26, 860 and 862,
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Turnham moved that S. F. No. 308 be taken from the table.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Turnham then moved that S. F. No. 308 be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 308, A bill for an act to amend Section 83, Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor, and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes, as amended by Chapter 43 of the General Laws of 1917.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Gjerset moved to amend the first engrossed copy of Senate File No. 308 by striking from the 8th line of Section 1 the words "any navigable stream constituting a boundary thereof" and by in-

serting in lieu thereof the following words: "Minnesota River between the borough of Belle Plaine and the confluence of Minnesota River with the Mississippi River."

Further amend by striking from line 14 of said section the words "over the Minnesota or the Mississippi River".

Further amend by striking from the first line of the second page the words "Le Sueur" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Belle Plaine".

Further amend by striking from the sixth line of the third page the word "two-fifths" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "one-fifth".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Reed,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Larson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Lee,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Peterson gave notice of his intention that he would move to make a special order of S. F. No. 381, No. 170 on General Orders.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that S. F. No. 170, No. 103 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 394, A bill for an act permitting the forwarding of a check direct to payor.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 394 as follows:

Amend Section 1 of the printed bill so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. Any bank, banker or trust company, hereinafter called bank, organized under the laws of, or doing business in this State, receiving for collection or deposit any check, note or other negotiable instrument drawn upon or payable at any other bank located in another village, town or city, whether within or without this State, such bank being the only bank in such village, town or city, may forward such instrument for collection directly to the bank on which it is drawn or at which it is made payable, and such method of forwarding direct to the payor bank shall not render the forwarding bank liable, if such payer bank, because of its insolvency or other default, fails to account for the proceeds thereof; provided, however, that such forwarding bank shall have used due diligence in all other respects in connection with the collection of such instrument".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Gjerstet,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 577, A bill for an act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36. Article 4, of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Dwyer moved that Section 1 of Senate File No. 577 be amended by striking out all of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 1. There is hereby created and established an executive department in the municipal government of each city of

this state now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4 of the State Constitution, to be known and designated as the Department of Public Welfare. The powers and duties of such department shall be exercised and performed by an executive board to be known and designated as the Board of Public Welfare. Said board shall consist of the mayor, or other chief executive officer of the city, three (3) members of the city council, or other chief governing body of the city to be appointed by the city council or other chief governing body of the city, and three (3) appointive members to be appointed by the mayor or other chief executive officer of the city as herein provided. The three (3) members of said board to be appointed by the city council or other chief governing body of the city from among its members shall be first appointed for the term beginning July 1, 1919, and expiring on the first Monday of January, 1921 and thereafter such three members of said board shall be appointed biennially by the city council or other chief governing body of the city for the term of three years commencing with the first Monday of January, 1921, and on the first Monday in January of every second year thereafter. At least two of such appointive members, to be appointed by the mayor or other chief executive officer of the city, shall be duly licensed and practicing physicians. The appointment of all appointive members of said board by the mayor or other chief executive officer of the city before becoming effective shall be confirmed by the city council. Such appointive members of said board shall hold office for the term of three years, except as herein otherwise provided. The three appointive members of said board appointed, by mayor or other chief executive officer of the city, shall first be so appointed after the passage of this act for terms beginning July 1st, 1919, and expiring respectively in the first Monday of January, 1920, and on the first Monday of January, 1921, and on the first Monday of January 1922. One member of said board shall be so appointed for the term of three years commencing with and including the first Monday of January, 1920, and annually thereafter one member of such board shall be appointed for the term of three years commencing with the first Monday of January of the year in which such appointment is made. Any vacancy occurring for any cause in the office of any such appointive members, appointed by the mayor, or other chief executive

officer of the city, of the board shall be filled for the unexpired term of appointment by the mayor, or other chief executive officer of the city of a member to fill such vacancy. Each member of said board shall continue in office until his successor has been duly appointed and has qualified. Before entering upon the discharge of the duties of his office each member of the board shall make and file with the city clerk an oath that he will faithfully discharge the duties of his office. Said board shall meet and organize and enter upon the discharge of its duties on July 1st, 1919, at which meeting it shall elect from its members a president of the board. The salary of each member of said board, except those holding some other public salaried office shall be and is hereby fixed at five hundred dollars per annum to be paid in equal monthly installments.

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 266, A bill for an act authorizing the abatement of penalties, interest and costs which have accrued or may hereafter accrue on taxes levied on lands owned by persons who have served in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States during the present war.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,
Benson,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Coleman,	Devold,
Bessette,	Boylan,	Cashel,	Conroy,	Erickson,

Gandrud,	Johnson,	McGarry,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Reed,	Turnham,
Guilford,	Larson,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Van Hoven,
Hamer,	Lee,	Nord,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Handlan,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Hegnes,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Stepan,	Wold,
Hopp,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 564, A bill for an act amending Section 5224, General Statutes 1913, relating to sales of state land and land sales manager.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	Wold,

Mr. Lee voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 477, A bill for an act to repeal Section 113, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to salaries of state officers and employees.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Colman,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 539, A bill for an act entitled, An act requiring persons appointed as deputy sheriffs, by the sheriffs of the counties of the State of Minnesota to be residents of the State of Minnesota and citizens of the United States of America.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Guilford,	Larson,	Orr,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	Lee,	Peterson,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 649, A bill for an act providing for the reimbursement of county auditors for expenses incurred in attending meetings called by the Tax Commission to confer in regard to assessments and taxation.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 612, A bill for an act relating to legislative contests in case of persons declared elected to the State Legislature, and to the issuing of certificate of election to the one found to receive the highest number of votes, and to the taking and returning of evidence to the legislature.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 520, A bill for an act authorizing any county of this state which now is or hereafter may be so located with reference to another state, that it is desirable and necessary for the public interests to construct a highway across a portion of such adjoining state, to appropriate and expend county road funds of such county in acquiring a road right of way across such state and constructing and maintaining thereon a highway leading therefrom into this state.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Lee,	Putnam,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1 of Section 1 of Chapter 138, Laws of 1915, relating to insurance corporations, describing the kind of business such corporations may transact and repealing Chapter 276, Laws of 1917.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 363, A bill for an act to authorize the publication of the summary of the annual statements of insurance companies in certain insurance trade journals.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 616, A bill for an act authorizing the Register of Deeds in any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 50 nor more than 70 full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of not more than \$3,000,000, to engage in the abstract business in said county.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 452, A bill for an act to amend Section 3255, General Statutes of 1913, relating to insurance.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Fowler,	Lee,	Peterson,
Benson,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 621, A bill for an act relating to fire insurance policies on motor vehicles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Larson,	Peterson,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Lee,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 529, A bill for an act relating to life or casualty insurance upon the co-operative or assessment plan.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Larson	Putnam,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 362, A bill for an act relating to reinsurance by insurers authorized to issue policies in this state.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Putnam,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Lee,	Reed,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 461, A bill for an act requiring fraternal benefit societies collecting from members in this state different rates for like risks and benefits to keep separate accounts and funds, and prescribing the purposes for which such funds may be used.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 636, A bill for an act to require employers who make deductions from the wages of employes for benefit funds, to have a license from the Commissioner of Insurance and providing a penalty.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Callahan offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 636:

By striking out the following words in line 5 of Section 1: "Or assist in the operation of" and inserting in line 5 of Section 1 after the word "he" and before the word "proposes" the words "operates or".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Benson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Swanson,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Hall,	Lee,	Palmer,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Putnam,	
Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 433, A bill for an act authorizing the sale and disposition of that certain frame dwelling owned by the state in connection with the experiment station for the Dairy and Food Department, within one mile of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota, and providing for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Blomgren	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Ward,
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,	
Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 403, A bill for an act providing for changing the location of farm crossing and the payment of the cost thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Larson,	Romberg,	Ward,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lee,	Schmechel,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Carley,	Dwyer,	Guilford,	Kuntz,
Blomgren,	Cashel,	Erickson,	Hall,	Larson,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hamer,	Lindsley,
Boylan,	Cosgrove,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,	McGarry,
Brooks,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Callahan,	Devold,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,

Orr,
Palmer,
Peterson,

Putnam,
Schmechel,

Stepan,
Sullivan, G. H.,

Sullivan, J. D.,
Swanson,

Van Hoven,
Vibert,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Johnson,

Lee,

Loonam,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 792, A bill for an act to legalize defective mortgage or mechanics lien foreclosure sales heretofore made and the record thereof.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Vibert moved to amend S. F. No. 792 as follows:

1. By adding a new paragraph to be known as sub-section 7 of Section 1 of the printed bill and to read as follows:

“That the book designation or the page thereof of the record of the mortgage was incorrectly stated in the Power of Attorney to foreclose such mortgage, notice of sale, affidavits, or other foreclosure papers and instruments, but the sale was duly and regularly made at the time and place specified and appointed in such notice of sale as shown by said notice and the sheriff’s certificate of such sale.”

2. By adding a new paragraph to be known as sub-section 8 of Section 1 of the printed bill and to read as follows:

“That any mechanics lien foreclosure sale heretofore made under the terms and provisions of the final judgment of the District Court in this State wherein the order of the District Court confirming the report of sale by the sheriff was not made within ten days after the date of sale, or said sheriff’s certificate of sale was not recorded in the register of deeds office of the county in which the premises are situated, until after the expiration of the period of one year from the date of the order confirming such sale is hereby declared legal, with the same effect as if such certificate had been executed and acknowledged subsequent to the confirmation of the sale by the court and recorded as provided by law.”

Which amendment was adopted.

(Final passage deferred pending amendments.)

S. F. No. 793, A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgments taken by Notaries Public who were or are members of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, at the time of taking such acknowledgments, and acknowledgments taken by Military Officers within this State, together with the record of any and all instruments bearing any such acknowledgments.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Rockne,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lee,	Putnam,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 846, No. 35 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 846, A bill for an act amending Chapter 122, Laws 1917, "authorizing and empowering any city of this state having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants to provide for a heating plant, the same to be of municipal or private ownership," and further providing for the purchase of such plants and the issue of bonds therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Hall in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Hall reported that the committee had considered.

S. F. Nos. 521 and 546;

Also

H. F. Nos. 226, 655 and 207,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 131, 110, 126, 12, 263, 421, 229, 606, 415, 563, 515, 413, 510, 598, 681, 549, 559, 665, 178 and 480,

Also

H. F. Nos. 19, 307, 427, 60, 58 and 6.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 516.

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 214,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Guilford—

Amend S. F. No. 214 by striking out all of Section 1 of said act and substituting in place thereof the following:

Section 1. Any person who obtains any food, medical care, medicine, special service or accommodation at any hospital or sanitarium in the state, whether public or private, without paying therefor, with any intent to defraud the proprietor, owner or manager thereof, or who obtains credit at any hospital or sanitarium, public or private, by or through any false pretense, or who after obtaining credit or accommodation at any hospital or sanitarium, public or private, absconds and surreptitiously removes his baggage or effects therefrom without paying for such food, medical care, medicine, special service or accommodation, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and the proprietor or manager

of any such hospital or sanitarium shall have a lien upon any baggage, personal property or effects of any such person in his possession for the amount due and unpaid for food, medical care, medicine, special service or accommodation so fraudulently obtained; provided, however, that this act shall not apply to any person admitted to such hospital or sanitarium, public, or private, who shall, prior to his being received thereat inform the proprietor, owner, manager or other duly authorized agents of such hospital or sanitarium, that he desires to be received at such institution as a charity patient, or that he is unable to pay for such food, medical care, medicine special service or accommodation, or who makes provision for paying for such food, medical care, medicine, special service or accommodation at a date later than that when he is to be discharged from such hospital or sanitarium.

Which amendments were adopted.

Offered by Mr. Guilford—

Amend S. F. No. 214 by striking out of the title as amended everything therein after the word "Act" and substituting in place thereof the following words: "to provide against fraud on hospitals and sanitariums, providing a penalty for the violation thereof and giving a lien upon baggage, personal property and effects of any person defrauding such hospital or sanitarium."

Which amendments were adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 576,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Blomgren—

Amend S. F. No. 576 as follows:

By striking out all of the amendment adopted by the Senate in Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, March 25, 1919, as said amendment appears on page 17 of the Journal of the Senate for the 51st day, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

By inserting after the period in line 18 of the printed bill, the following: "provided, however, that in counties having an assessed valuation of less than seven million (\$7,000,000) dollars, where the salary, fees and emoluments have not equaled fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) the auditor shall issue a warrant for a

sufficient amount to make all returns from said office equal the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500)."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 523,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Palmer—

Amend S. F. No. 523 as follows:

By inserting after the word "associations" where it appears in the 13th line of Section 1 the following words: "inter-insurance exchanges."

Further amend by striking out the following words where they appear in lines 21 and 22 of Section 2 of the printed bill: "two dollars (\$2.00), in the case of a foreign insurer, and one dollar (\$1.00) in the case of a domestic insurer," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five dollars (\$5.00) in the case of a foreign insurer, and two dollars (\$2.00) in the case of a domestic insurer."

Further amend by striking out the words "two dollars" where they appear in line 65 of Section 4 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five dollars."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 256,

Which the committee recommended to pass with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Carley—

Amend S. F. No. 256 by striking out of line 11 of the printed bill the words "eighteen hundred," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two thousand."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hall then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, March 28, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Johnson was excused for the afternoon.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A letter from The Lutheran Minnesota Conference of the Augustana Synod urging the Senate to take concurrent action on the Putnam-Moen bill for the enforcement of the National Prohibition Law, was read and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

A letter from the League of Protestant Women of St. Paul, urging the passage of H. F. No. 516, a bill relating to the conducting of Public Pool and Billiard Halls or Rooms, or Public Bowling Alleys, was read and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, March 26, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

Special Municipal Judge: Morris J. Owen, Winona County, City of Winona, for the term ending when his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Member Live Stock Sanitary Board: W. S. Moscrip, Washington County, for the term of five years ending the first Monday in January, 1924.

Member of the Board of Automobile Examiners: W. H. Healy, St. Louis County, for the term ending the first Tuesday in January, 1921.

L. O. Larson, Ramsey County, for the term ending the first Tuesday in January, 1921.

Director of the Normal School Board: A. P. White, Beltrami County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

E. J. Jones, Stevens County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

Ell Torrance, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

Leslie Welter, Clay County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1923.

Member State Board of Osteopathy: E. C. Pickler, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1924.

Inspector of Steam Vessels and Boilers: W. H. Waller, Norman County, for the 64th Senatorial District, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

John C. Johnson, Pope County, for the 47th Senatorial District, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

Charles C. Olson, St. Louis County, for the 57-61 Senatorial District, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

J. Blaine Montgomery, Winona County, for Senatorial District No. 2, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

V. E. Patnaude, Ramsey County, for Senatorial District No. 37-42, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

Joseph Loula, Le Sueur County, for Senatorial District No. 17, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

E. G. Hagquist, Renville County, for Senatorial District No. 23, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved the Senate, having advised with, do now consent to and confirm the appointments of His Excellency the Governor, above transmitted, with the exception of the appointments made for the 47 and 57 to 61 Senatorial Districts to which there were objections raised.

Which motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, March 27, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: S. F. No. 825 is herewith returned for the following reasons:

No song should be designated as a state song without thorough consideration and discussion of its merits and a comparison of it with the many others that have been written on the same subject. The song described herein has been in existence for only a few months and the people of our state are not familiar with it and have had no opportunity to form an opinion as to the advisability of its adoption.

Before a measure, such as is herewith returned, is enacted into law and the pupils of our schools are compelled to sing the song as therein provided, it should have the recommendation of our best literary and musical critics and its popularity should be fully established throughout the state.

Upon a study of the proposed state song it will be found that it is grammatically incorrect and portions thereof so worded that it is impossible to comprehend its meaning.

Under these circumstances I do not feel that I can approve the bill and do, therefore, return it without my signature.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Carley moved that S. F. No. 825 together with the communication from the Governor be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The Committee on Finance introduced—

S. F. No. 959, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the State government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of certain portions thereof.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 959 be given its second reading, printed and placed at the head of the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 959

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 960, A bill for an act appropriating fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) for the aid of school district No. 158, Fillmore county, Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 961, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 118, of the Laws of 1915, relating to appropriations for armories or organizations of the Minnesota National Guard.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Callahan (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 962, A bill for an act to regulate the moving of buildings or structures upon, along or across the roads, streets, alleys, and highways, in cities now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants and not having a Home Rule Charter.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Rask, for Committee on Military Affairs, introduced—

S. F. No. 963, A bill for an act to amend Sections 37, 43, 53, 60 and 62 of chapter 400; Session Laws 1917, entitled: An act to conform the organization, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the Federal law relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 963 be given its second reading, printed and substituted for S. F. No. 606, No. 13 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 606 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 963

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 606

Was indefinitely postponed

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

S. F. No. 964, A bill for an act to amend Section 5030, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, in relation to compensation of members of the State Board of Pharmacy.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Messrs. Erickson, Devold and Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 965, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of paying bonuses to red cross nurses registered from the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nolan (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 966, A bill for an act to amend Section 5029, General Statutes 1913, relating to the creation of State Board of Pharmacy, employment of attorney, and when violators shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Messrs. Guilford, Fowler and Palmer introduced—

S. F. No. 967, A bill for an act amending Sections two (2), five (5) and six (6) of Chapter 194, Laws 1913, being An act to enable municipalities to establish and acquire building line easements along streets, highways, parks and parkways, and defining the nature of such easements.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Turnham (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 968, A bill for an act providing for the incorporation of villages from out of the territory of certain villages already incorporated or attempted to be incorporated in this State.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

The Ramsey County Delegation introduced—

S. F. No. 969, A bill for an act to amend Section 824, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of Minnesota, for 1917, Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 472, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 of Chapter 366, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 376, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 2, 3 and 4, Chapter 361, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1909, as amended by Chapter 203, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 137, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapters 510 and 481, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 129, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 1, Chapter 142, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 434, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2, Chapter 193, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amend-

ed by Section 1, Chapter 412, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 80, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Chapter 190, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 83, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 3 of Chapter 122 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 3, Chapter 191 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, Section 1008, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, regulating salaries of certain county officers, their assistants, deputies and clerks in all counties in this state having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and less than three hundred and thirty thousand (330,000) inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 969, A bill for an act to amend Section 824, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of Minnesota, for 1917, Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 472, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 of Chapter 366, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 376, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 2, 3 and 4, Chapter 361, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1909, as amended by Chapter 203, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 137, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapters 510 and 481, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 129, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 1, Chapter 142, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 434, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2, Chapter 193, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 412, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 80, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Chapter 190, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 83, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 3 of Chapter 122 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 3, Chapter 191 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, Section 1008, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, regulating salaries of certain county officers,

their assistants, deputies and clerks in all counties in this state having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and less than three hundred and thirty thousand (330,000) inhabitants

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 969,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 969, A bill for an act to amend Section 824, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of Minnesota, for 1917, Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 472, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 of Chapter 366, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 376, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 2, 3 and 4, Chapter 361, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1909, as amended by Chapter 203, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 137, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapters 510 and 481, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 129, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 1, Chapter 142, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 434, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2, Chapter 193, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 412, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 80, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Chapter 190, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 83, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 3 of Chapter 122 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 3, Chapter 191 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, Section 1008, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, regulating salaries of certain county officers, their assistants, deputies and clerks in all counties in this state having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and less than three hundred and thirty thousand (330,000) inhabitants

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Larson,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Carley,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Nord,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files as amended by the House in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested:

S. F. No. 286, A bill for an act providing for the appointment of court reporters in the thirteenth and seventeenth judicial districts of this state defining the duties and fixing the compensation of such reporters.

S. F. No. 63, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 1427 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Section 6, of Chapter 343, of the General Laws of the year 1909, relating to the teacher's retirement fund in cities of the first class, as amended by Chapter 300 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 722, A bill for an act to legalize Mechanic's Lien Foreclosure sale heretofore made.

H. F. No. 592, A bill for an act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

H. F. No. 634, A bill for an act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.

March 27, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 877, A bill for an act to legalize notices of claims filed against cities of the first class, not having a home rule charter, during February 1918 pursuant to Section 1 of Chapter 391, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.

S. F. No. 160, A bill for an act to amend Section 1488, Revised Laws, 1905, the same being Section 3071, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the settlement of poor persons, so as to provide for the termination of a settlement in this State.

S. F. No. 710, A bill for an act legalizing the execution of leases of a part of armory premises by companies of the National Guard in certain cases.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 30, General Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.

March 27, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 469, A bill for an act authorizing the several counties of this state to reimburse county agricultural societies or officers thereof for the cost and expense of making certain improvements on land owned by any county and used for county agricultural fairs.

S. F. No. 950, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 10. Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act authorizing all public service corporations to give mortgages or deeds of trust covering all their property or franchises, including after-acquired property, and legalizing such mortgages or deeds of trust heretofore given.

S. F. No. 499, A bill for an act to amend Section 3957 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 188 of the General Laws of 1917 relating to trustees for Soldiers' Home and Compensation for attending meetings of its board.

S. F. No. 583, A bill for an act authorizing the county boards in any county in this State now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and

credit to appropriate and expend public funds for the purpose of furnishing temporary relief to sufferers from fire or other calamity and aid to townships and school districts.

S. F. No. 536, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof in acquiring a site, constructing and equipping a city hall.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 577, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and towns, having a population of not less than five thousand, and an assessed valuation of not less than ten million and not governed by any special charter adopted by such village, pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, State Constitution.

H. F. No. 452, A bill for an act relative to the distribution of state aid to county and district agricultural societies and associations.

H. F. No. 369, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 446, Section 3, of the General Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix and provide for the salaries of the Deputy Coroner, Secretary, Morgue-Keeper, and Assistant Morgue-Keeper of counties in the State of Minnesota, now or hereafter having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) and less than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.

H. F. No. 1113, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 216, General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Chapter 141, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the salaries of county superintendents of schools in certain counties.

H. F. No. 359, A bill for an act, entitled An act to amend Section 4436, General Statutes 1913, having reference to the licensing of Public Terminal Warehouses.

H. F. No. 632, A bill for an act entitled an act to amend Section 981 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of county surveyors.

H. F. No. 1182. A bill for an act to amend Section 6016 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to viewers of partition fences.

March 27, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 305, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 5, Chapter 194 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases, and appropriating money thereto.

S. F. No. 775, A bill for an act to amend Section 4635, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 299, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the fees to be paid for examinations of state banks, trust companies, savings banks, and local and general building and loan associations.

S. F. No. 236, A bill for an act creating a board for seed potato inspection and certification, providing penalties for the violation of such provisions and appropriating money for its use.

S. F. No. 604, A bill for an act to extend the period of licenses granted by the Secretary of State for automobiles during the triennial period of 1918, 1919 and 1920, until such time as the legislature of 1921 shall make provisions for the relicensing of the same.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 94, A bill for an act relating to the furnishing of samples of grain by the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, to the fees for such service, and to the breaking of seals on cars of grain.

H. F. No. 693, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 89, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to an act fixing the clerk hire for County Treasurer in certain counties.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 28, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 286, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Gjerset.	Lindsley,	Stepan,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Erickson moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 63, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gjerset.	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 359, A bill for an act, entitled An act to amend Section 4436, General Statutes 1913, having reference to the licensing of Public Terminal Warehouses.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

H. F. No. 369, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 446, Section 3, of the General Laws of 1913, entitled. An act to fix and provide for the salaries of the Deputy Coroner, Secretary, Morgue-Keeper,

and Assistant Morgue-Keeper of counties in the State of Minnesota, now or hereafter having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) and less than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 452, A bill for an act relative to the distribution of state aid to county and district agricultural societies and associations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

H. F. No. 577, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and towns, having a population of not less than five thousand, and an assessed valuation of not less than ten million and not governed by any special charter adopted by such village, pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, State Constitution.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 577 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 462, No. 59 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 462 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 577

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 462

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 722, A bill for an act to legalize Mechanics' Lien Foreclosure sale heretofore made.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended and that, H. F. No. 722, A bill for an act to legalize Mechanics' Lien Foreclosure sale heretofore made.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 722

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 722, A bill for an act to legalize Mechanics' Lien Foreclosure sale heretofore made.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 592, A bill for an act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 632, A bill for an act entitled an act to amend Section 981 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of county surveyors.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 634, A bill for an act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 30, General Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock.

H. F. No. 1182, A bill for an act to amend Section 6016 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to viewers of partition fences.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 1113, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 216, General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Chapter 141, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the salaries of county superintendents of schools in certain counties.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 94, A bill for an act relating to the furnishing of samples of grain by the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, to the fees for such service, and to the breaking of seals on cars of grain.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

H. F. No. 693, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 89, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to an act fixing the clerk hire for County Treasurer in certain counties.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 693 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 548, No. 9 on Calendar, and that S. F. No. 548 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 693

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 548

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred--

S. F. No. 514, A bill for an act to amend Section 2621, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to licensed chauffeurs and drivers of motor vehicles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 919, A bill for an act amending Section 638 of the Revised Statutes for 1913 relating to Board of Automobile Examiners, examining and licensing of chauffeurs.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 386, A bill for an act requiring the display of a motor number on motor vehicles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 386

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 238, A bill for an act amending Section 2632, General Statutes 1913, relating to headlights on motor vehicles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 238

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 48, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 48

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 15, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2624, 2625, 2627 and 2628 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 33, Section 7, of the Laws of 1915, relating to the licensing of motor vehicles, and determining the horse power of the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 15

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 779, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2623 and 2626 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to tags of registration on motor vehicles and prescribing the manner in which such tags shall be displayed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 779

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 424, A bill for an act to amend Section 2628, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to motor vehicles, certificates of registration therefor; providing for the issuance of identification cards to owners of motor vehicles and requiring persons in charge of motor-vehicles to have and exhibit such identification cards; requiring owners or persons in charge of motor vehicles to register when stopping at any public garage or place where motor-vehicles are repaired, stored or kept for hire, and forbidding alteration, imitation or substitution of such identification cards and providing a penalty.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 424

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 942, A bill for an act to amend Section 7055, General Statutes of Minnesota, relating to liens on motor vehicles and the method of foreclosing the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By adding after the word, "Minnesota" in the second line of the title of the bill the figures, "1913".

2. Strike out all of the new matter where the same occur in lines five, six and seven of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "At the time of the commencement of said action, or at any time during the pendency thereof, the lien claimant may in said action take possession of said automobile in the manner provided for taking possession in an action in replevin."

3. By adding a new section to the bill to be known as Section 2, and to read as follows: "Section 2. This lien shall be subordinate to the lien of any prior mortgage or conditional sales contract duly filed for record prior to the accruing of the charges constituting the lien provided for in this act."

4. Renumber Section 2 of the bill so as to read "Section 3."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 6, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of the bill after the enacting clause, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 1. That from and after the time when this act shall take effect, no motor vehicle shall be transferred or licensed unless the title to the same has been duly registered in the manner herein provided.

Section 2. The owner or the vendee under a conditional sales contract registering a motor vehicle under the provisions of this act shall make application in writing to the Register of Deeds of the county of his residence, or if a non-resident owning a motor

vehicle in the state, to the Register of Deeds of the county where such motor vehicle is kept, stating the motor number, the model and make of such motor vehicle, the name of the person from whom it was purchased or obtained, and the date of such purchase, and requesting the title thereto to be registered in the name of the applicant. There shall be paid to the Register of Deeds a registration fee of fifty cents upon filing of the original application or any assignment of certificate of title or sheriff's certificate under execution or foreclosure sale.

Section 3. Said application shall be executed and acknowledged and shall be filed with the Register of Deeds.

Section 4. Thereupon the Register of Deeds, unless it appears from such application that the applicant is unlawfully in possession of such motor vehicle, shall execute a certificate of title, in triplicate, in the following form, two of which shall be given to the applicant, and one shall be filed with said Register of Deeds:

FORM OF CERTIFICATE.

Register of Deeds Office

.....County.

State of Minnesota.

CERTIFICATE OF TITLE.

No.....

State of Minnesota)
County of.....) ss.

This is to certify that....., height, weight, color of hair....., age, residing at....., in the city of....., County of....., and State of Minnesota, has duly made application for registration of title to motor vehicle hereinafter described; that it appears that said is the owner of the following motor vehicle, Motor Number, Make....., Model, and that he purchased the same from, on the day of 19...

It Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this.....day of.....19...

(Seal)
Register of Deeds in and for the County
of....., State of Minnesota.
.....
Signature of Applicant.

Section 5. A form of assignment of title shall be printed upon the back of said certificate, as follows:

ASSIGNMENT OF TITLE TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTERED UNDER CERTIFICATE NUMBER.....

State of Minnesota }
County of } ss.

On thisday of, 19..... I,, of the County of, State of Minnesota, for value received, do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over all my right, title and interest in and to the motor vehicle, as designated by Certificate of Title Number, and hereby authorize the Register of Deeds of..... County to issue a certificate of title to.....
.....

Signature of Vendor.

and also the form provided by law for the taking of acknowledgments.

Section 6. Upon the surrender of such certificate of title and assignment, properly executed, or of said certificate of title together with duly executed and acknowledged conditional sales contract, or a Sheriff's certificate under execution or foreclosure sale, and upon filing the same with the Register of Deeds of the proper county, such Register of Deeds shall issue a certificate of title to such assignee and cancel the original of the surrendered triplicate.

Section 7. All sales, assignments or attempted sales or transfers of motor vehicles in this state, title to which has not been registered or assigned, as herein provided for, shall be voidable and shall be a violation of this act.

Section 8. No bill of sale or other instrument in writing purporting to assign any interest in a motor vehicle shall be evidence of a sale or assignment, save and except the bill of sale from the factory, or its duly authorized agent or representative and conditional sales contract, together with the assignment of certificate herein provided for, or a Sheriff's certificate under execution or foreclosure sale.

Section 9. The Register of Deeds in the several counties of this state shall be furnished by the county with proper books and files for indexing and filing applications for registration, and with a sufficient number of blank forms for certificates of title and triplicates, with assignments thereon, bound in book form and consecutively numbered. Each certificate of title shall be executed in triplicate,

and the original shall be retained by the Register of Deeds issuing the same. The duplicate and triplicate shall be delivered to the applicant, who shall present one of the same to the Secretary of State before a license is issued to him, and which triplicate shall be retained by the Secretary of State.

Section 10. Any constable, sheriff, police officer or other peace officer of any town, village, county or city of this state shall have the right at any time to enter any public garage or building for the purpose of inspection of any motor vehicle therein contained to ascertain if any provision of this act is being violated, and the person in charge of any such public garage or building shall, upon demand, permit the entry of such officer and the inspection of such vehicle or vehicles.

Section 11. Motor vehicles within this state for temporary purposes only shall not be subject to the provisions of this chapter. Motor vehicles within this state for more than thirty days shall not be deemed to be here for temporary purposes, but the owners thereof shall register title thereto as provided herein.

Section 12. Any person, who with intent to defraud, shall make or attempt to make any material alteration of any certificate of title or who shall make, exhibit or have in his possession any substitute therefor, not issued by the proper authorities, or imitation or attempted imitation thereof, or who shall alter, change or obliterate the motor or identification numbers or change the license number of any such motor vehicle registered under this act, shall be deemed guilty of a felony and shall be punished by imprisonment in the state's prison for not more than ten years. Any persons who violate any other provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days.

Section 13. All acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed. If any section, part or portion of this act shall be declared invalid, it shall not be construed to invalidate the remainder thereof.

Section 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of July, 1919.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Boylan, from the Committee on Commerce, Manufacture and Trade, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 503, A bill for an act to prohibit unlawful discrimination in the sale of certain commodities, and providing penalties for violations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 503,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 402, A bill for an act to amend Section 9012, General Statutes 1913, relating to desecration of the flag.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be printed and placed on General Orders.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 945, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 70, A bill for an act to amend Section 2232 of General Statutes of 1913, relating to a division of 25% of the gross earnings tax paid by railroad companies, excepting street railways, and the apportionment of said taxes to the taxing district wherein the property of said railroads are located.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved as a substitute motion for the recommendation of the committee, that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 70 be printed and placed on General Orders.

Mr. Gjerset moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Mr. Gjerset moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 11 and nays 46, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Boylan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Jackson,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Van Hoven,
Conroy,				

Those who voted in the negative were :

Benson,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hopp,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the motion did not prevail.

Mr. Gjerset then moved that the report of the committee on S. F. No. 70 be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 70,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 921, A bill for an act to amend Section 1988, General

Statutes 1913, an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the per cent of "full and true value" at which property in each class shall be assessed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 921,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:00 P. M.
Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:00 P. M.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Lee was excused for tomorrow.

Mr. Loonam was excused until 2:00 o'clock P. M., Monday.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 702, A bill for an act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that H. F. No. 702 be laid on the table.
Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 702,

Was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Fowler, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 320, A bill for an act prohibiting railroad common carriers from demanding or collecting from transient merchants demurrage charges in certain cases, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 320,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Fowler, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 767, A bill for an act relating to dangerous railroad crossings over streets and public highways.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 718, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Schmechel moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 718 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 718,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Wideil, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 864, A bill for an act to amend Section 845, General Statutes 1913, relating to receipts and payments of money by County Treasurer.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 757, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty-four million dollars and an area of more than two thousand five hundred square miles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 904, A bill for an act providing that counties, operating under the town system of caring for the poor, shall be liable to any town therein, having an assessed valuation of less than \$200,000, for such amount in excess of \$150 paid by such town during any year for the care and relief of the poor therein.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, building and improvements at State Institutions and for other purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of said bill all the words and figures after the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Appropriations for State Charitable Institutions—The sums hereinafter named, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated to be expended by the state board of control for the purposes specified in the following sections of this act, to be available at the time designated opposite each item.

Section 2. Anoka State Asylum:

	Available for Year Ending	
Reconstruction of north wing of main building	July 31, 1921	\$75,000
Administration building	July 31, 1919	25,000
Completion of administration building....	July 31, 1920	50,000
Electric wiring and water supply, farm buildings	July 31, 1920	5,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1920	2,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1921	2,000
Repairs and betterments	July 31, 1920	2,500
Repairs and betterments	July 31, 1921	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	2,500
Enlargement dairy herd	July 31, 1920	2,500
Current expense	July 31, 1920	164,500
Current expense	July 31, 1921	175,000

Section 3. Hastings State Asylum:

	Available for Year Ending	
New power plant	July 31, 1919	\$25,000
Completion of new power plant.....	July 31, 1920	125,000
Cottage for engineer	July 31, 1921	4,000
Dairy barn	July 31, 1921	10,000
Building for employes and equipment ...	July 31, 1919	10,000
Completion of building for employes and equipment	July 31, 1920	40,000
Screens and storm sash for west wing of main building	July 31, 1920	3,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1920	1,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1921	1,000
Power plant repairs.....	July 31, 1919	5,000
Slating roofs of cottages.....	July 31, 1920	3,000
Renewing old plumbing.....	July 31, 1921	3,000
Replanking and painting bridge.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	3,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	3,000
Special repairs.....	July 31, 1920	4,000
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	4,000
Laundry equipment.....	July 31, 1921	5,000

Available for
Year Ending

Service building equipment.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Furniture for wards.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Current expense	July 31, 1920	181,500
Current expense	July 31, 1921	193,000

Section 4. Willmar State Asylum:

Available for
Year Ending

Three cottages for insane.....	July 31, 1920	\$110,000
Completion of three cottages for insane.	July 31, 1921	100,000
Service building and assembly hall.....	July 31, 1920	85,000
Barn for young stock.....	July 31, 1921	3,500
Milk house.....	July 31, 1921	1,500
Equipment for cow barn.....	July 31, 1920	1,200
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	1,000
Repairs and betterments	July 31, 1921	1,000
Special repairs.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Special repairs.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Current expense.....	July 31, 1920	83,500
Current expense	July 31, 1921	106,000

Section 5. Fergus Falls State Hospital:

Available for
Year Ending

Building for tuberculous patients.....	July 31, 1921	\$35,000
Building for employes and equipment... ..	July 31, 1919	10,000
Completion of building for employes and equipment	July 31, 1920	40,000
Enlargement dairy barn.....	July 31, 1920	6,000
Improvements old dairy barn.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Fireproofing and tile floors.....	July 31, 1920	5,500
Fireproofing and tile floors.....	July 31, 1921	5,500
Additional porches.....	July 31, 1921	4,000
Radiator guards	July 31, 1920	2,000
Window guards	July 31, 1920	1,000
Insulating refrigerating space.....	July 31, 1920	7,500
Improving grounds.....	July 31, 1920	750
Improving grounds.....	July 31, 1921	750
Repairs and betterments	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and betterments	July 31, 1921	5,000
Special repairs.....	July 31, 1920	5,000

	Available for Year Ending	
Special repairs.....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Milk room and equipment.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Furniture for wards	July 31, 1920	1,250
Furniture for wards	July 31, 1921	1,250
Current expense	July 31, 1920	352,500
Current expense	July 31, 1921	365,000

Section 6. Rochester State Hospital:

	Available for Year Ending	
Building for employes and equipment....	July 31, 1919	\$10,000
Completion of building for employes and equipment	July 31, 1920	40,000
Refrigerating plant	July 31, 1920	15,000
Fire protection apparatus	July 31, 1920	3,500
Fireproofing and new floors	July 31, 1921	11,000
Extension vacuum system.....	July 31, 1921	6,000
Repairs farm buildings.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Renewing plumbing.....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Painting walls of ward buildings.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and betterments	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Special repairs.....	July 31, 1920	5,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	5,500
Laundry equipment	July 31, 1921	5,000
Kitchen equipment	July 31, 1920	2,000
Quarry equipment	July 31, 1920	5,000
Current expense	July 31, 1920	275,500
Current expense.....	July 31, 1921	286,000

Sec. 7. St. Peter State Hospital:

	Available for Year Ending	
Building for employes and equipment.....	July 31, 1919	\$10,000
Completion of building for employes and equipment	July 31, 1920	40,000
Cottage for women.....	July 31, 1921	75,000
Water softener	July 31, 1920	10,000
Fireproofing quarters for married employes and chapel	July 31, 1921	10,000
Two ward porches.....	July 31, 1920	10,000

	Available for Year Ending	
Tile floor in wards.....	July 31, 1921	10,000
Improvements heating system.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	3,000
Equipment men's dormitory.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Current expense	July 31, 1920	307,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	319,000

Section 8. School for Feeble-Minded: Available for
Year Ending

Colonies for feeble-minded and epileptics....	July 31, 1920	\$75,000
Colonies for feeble-minded and epileptics....	July 31, 1921	75,000
Building for employes and equipment.....	July 31, 1919	25,000
Completion of building for employes and equipment	July 31, 1920	50,000
Cottage for school and working boys.....	July 31, 1920	80,000
Cottage for dairy boys.....	July 31, 1920	25,000
Cottage for steward.....	July 31, 1921	4,000
Farm buildings	July 31, 1921	11,000
Blacksmith shop	July 31, 1921	3,000
Ice house, Walcott colony.....	July 31, 1920	800
Remodeling old house, Springdale.....	July 31, 1920	2,000
Extension of tunnels.....	July 31, 1921	5,400
Water supply for dairy farm.....	July 31, 1920	3,500
Electric line, Grandview to Walcott.....	July 31, 1920	3,500
Thermostatic control valves.....	July 31, 1920	3,200
Grounds and fencing.....	July 31, 1920	1,250
Grounds and Fencing.....	July 31, 1921	1,250
Repairs and improvements, hospital.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and Improvements, hospital.....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Repairs and improvements, Sunnyside.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and improvements, Sunnyside....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Repairs and improvements, Skinner Hall....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and Improvements, Skinner Hall....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Repairs and improvements, epileptic colony.	July 31, 1920	2,800
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	10,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	10,000
Sterilizer for tuberculosis hospital.....	July 31, 1920	1,000
Current expense	July 31, 1920	320,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	350,000

Section 9. School for the Blind:

	Available for Year Ending	
Reconstruction and fireproofing boiler house and new coal bunker.....	July 31, 1921	\$10,000
Refrigerating plant	July 31, 1920	3,000
Extension vacuum heating system (addi- tional)	July 31, 1920	1,500
Fire protection (additional).....	July 31, 1920	1,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Furniture and bedding.....	July 31, 1920	1,000
Furniture and bedding.....	July 31, 1921	1,000
Musical supplies	July 31, 1920	500
Musical supplies	July 31, 1921	500
Library and printing.....	July 31, 1920	1,000
Library and printing.....	July 31, 1921	1,000
Field and employment agency.....	July 31, 1920	4,000
Field and employment agency.....	July 31, 1921	4,000
Higher education	July 31, 1920	500
Higher education	July 31, 1921	500
Summer school	July 31, 1920	2,500
Summer school	July 31, 1921	2,500
Current expense	July 31, 1920	48,500
Current expense	July 31, 1921	52,000

Section 10. School for the Deaf:

	Available for Year Ending	
Completion Tate Hall	July 31, 1921	\$85,000
Remodeling greenhouse	July 31, 1920	1,200
Improving grounds	July 31, 1920	500
Improving grounds	July 31, 1921	500
New tunnel floor.....	July 31, 1921	1,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	4,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	4,000
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	3,000
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	3,000
Equipping trades	July 31, 1920	3,000
Equipping trades	July 31, 1921	3,000
School appliances	July 31, 1920	250
School appliances	July 31, 1921	250
Library	July 31, 1920	250

	Available for Year Ending	
Library	July 31, 1921	250
Gallaudet students	July 31, 1920	250
Gallaudet students	July 31, 1921	250
Current expense	July 31, 1920	92,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	93,500

Section 11. State Public School:

	Available for Year Ending	
Building for employes and equipment.....	July 31, 1919	\$5,000
Completion of building for employes and equipment	July 31, 1920	20,000
Hospital building	July 31, 1920	45,000
Reconstruction old hospital.....	July 31, 1921	10,000
Laundry building and engineer's workshop.	July 31, 1921	25,000
Silo and dairy house.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Reconstruction horse barn.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Water tower and tank.....	July 31, 1920	10,000
Draining land	July 31, 1920	1,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1920	1,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1921	1,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	4,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	4,000
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	2,500
Furniture	July 31, 1920	1,000
Furniture	July 31, 1921	1,000
Library	July 31, 1920	500
Library	July 31, 1921	500
Current expense	July 31, 1920	121,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	129,000

Section 12. State Training School:

	Available for Year Ending	
Cottage for feeble-minded boys.....	July 31, 1921	\$65,000
Dairy barn, silo and milk room.....	July 31, 1920	8,000
Building alterations	July 31, 1920	2,500
Dining room partitions.....	July 31, 1920	3,000
Additional land	July 31, 1920	12,000

	Available for Year Ending	
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	7,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	7,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	5,000
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	5,000
Laundry machinery	July 31, 1920	4,500
Current expense	July 31, 1920	123,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	131,000

Section 13. Home School for Girls:

	Available for Year Ending	
Three family cottages.....	July 31, 1920	\$69,000
School building	July 31, 1921	75,000
Farm industry building.....	July 31, 1920	3,500
Buildings for new farm.....	July 31, 1921	6,000
Storeroom	July 31, 1920	1,000
Completion of dairy barn.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Enlargement ice house.....	July 31, 1920	1,200
Improving grounds	July 31, 1920	1,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1921	1,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	2,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	2,000
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	2,500
Library	July 31, 1920	300
Library	July 31, 1921	300
Current expense	July 31, 1920	113,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	132,000

Section 14. State Reformatory:

	Available for Year Ending	
Cell House E.....	July 31, 1920	\$10,000
Coal bunkers	July 31, 1920	2,400
Cottages for farmer and engineer.....	July 31, 1921	7,500
Outside wall and towers.....	July 31, 1920	7,000
Outside wall and towers.....	July 31, 1921	7,000
Remodeling cottages	July 31, 1921	5,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	5,000

Available for
Year Ending

Special repairs	July 31, 1920	2,000
Printing equipment	July 31, 1921	5,000
Industrial equipment	July 31, 1920	5,000
Maintenance rock crushing plant.....	July 31, 1920	15,000
Maintenance rock crushing plant.....	July 31, 1921	15,000
Current expense	July 31, 1920	161,500
Current expense	July 31, 1921	166,000

Section 15. State Reformatory for Women:

Available for
Year Ending

Cottage	July 31, 1920	\$45,000
Farm buildings	July 31, 1920	5,000
Farm buildings	July 31, 1921	5,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1920	1,000
Farm stock, implements and equipment...	July 31, 1920	5,000
Farm stock, implements and equipment...	July 31, 1921	5,000
Equipment main building.....	July 31, 1920	10,000
Current expense	July 31, 1920	25,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	25,000

Provided, That the state board of control is hereby authorized to expend the sum of \$50,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the state prison revolving fund for the erection of a building for inmates at the state reformatory for women, and

Provided, Further, That the authority heretofore granted to the state board of control by the provision of Section 18, Chapter 376, Laws of 1915, to expend the sum of \$40,000 from the state prison revolving fund for the erection of a women's prison in connection with the state prison at Stillwater (such expenditure not having been heretofore made), be and the same is hereby revoked.

Section 16. State Prison:

The state board of control is hereby authorized to expend the sums hereinafter named, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the state prison revolving fund, for the purpose specified in this section:

Available for
Year Ending

Horse barn (additional).....	July 31, 1920	\$6,000
Root cellar	July 31, 1920	7,500

	Available for Year Ending	
Additional land	July 31, 1920	44,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	2,500
Printing equipment	July 31, 1920	6,000

Section 17. Sanatorium for Consumptives:

	Available for Year Ending	
Infirmary building	July 31, 1920	\$25,000
Completion of infirmary building.....	July 31, 1921	75,000
Greenhouse (additional)	July 31, 1920	1,200
Stokers for boilers.....	July 31, 1920	5,000
Steam distribution system.....	July 31, 1920	10,000
Water supply	July 31, 1920	25,000
Sewerage system	July 31, 1920	7,000
Electrification of elevators (additional)	July 31, 1920	2,000
Tile floors	July 31, 1921	7,000
Clearing land	July 31, 1920	1,500
Clearing land	July 31, 1921	1,500
Grounds and fencing.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Grounds and fencing.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1920	2,500
Special repairs	July 31, 1921	2,500
Power plant equipment.....	July 31, 1920	2,000
Current expense	July 31, 1920	65,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	74,000

Section 18. Hospital for Crippled Children:

	Available for Year Ending	
Additions to main building.....	July 31, 1920	\$80,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1920	1,000
Improving grounds	July 31, 1921	1,000
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Repairs and betterments.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Library	July 31, 1920	250

	Available for Year Ending	
Library	July 31, 1921	250
Special appliances for patients.....	July 31, 1920	2,500
Special appliances for patients.....	July 31, 1921	2,500
Instruction and amusement.....	July 31, 1920	1,500
Instruction and amusement.....	July 31, 1921	1,500
Care of indigent blind babies.....	July 31, 1920	2,000
Care of indigent blind babies.....	July 31, 1921	2,000
Current expense	July 31, 1920	69,000
Current expense	July 31, 1921	79,000

Section 19. General and Miscellaneous:

	Available for Year Ending	
Additional lands	July 31, 1920	\$20,000
Additional lands	July 31, 1921	20,000
Plans and specifications.....	July 31, 1921	500
Detention hospital expense.....	July 31, 1920	2,000
Detention hospital expense.....	July 31, 1921	2,000
Conference of charities and corrections..	July 31, 1920	1,000
Conference of charities and corrections..	July 31, 1921	1,000
Deporting insane	July 31, 1920	7,000
Deporting insane	July 31, 1921	7,000
Contingent fund for use at any or all in- stitutions under the management of the state board of control.....	July 31, 1920	100,000

Provided, That the state board of control is hereby authorized and empowered to set aside a portion of said contingent fund, not exceeding the sum of \$5,000, in addition to the sum authorized by Section 18, Chapter 436, Laws of 1917, to be used as a store revolving fund for the purchase of supplies in quantities or state departments or institutions, said store revolving fund to be reimbursed for such expenditures from the funds of the several departments or institutions for which such purchases are made.

	Available for Year Ending	
Clinical and scientific work.....	July 31, 1920	\$5,000
Clinical and scientific work.....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Care of feeble-minded	July 31, 1920	5,000

	Available for Year Ending	
Care of feeble-minded.....	July 31, 1921	5,000
Current expense for use at any or all institutions under the management of the state board of control.....	July 31, 1919	190,000

Provided, That for the years ending July 31, 1920 and 1921, respectively, the state board of control is authorized by and with the approval of the state auditor, to transfer in cases of necessity a portion of the funds appropriated for the current expense of any one of the following institutions, namely: The Anoka state asylum, the Hastings state asylum, the Willmar state asylum, the Fergus Falls state hospital, the Rochester state hospital, the St. Peter state hospital, the school for feeble-minded, the school for the blind, the school for the deaf, the state public school, the state training school, the home school for girls, the state reformatory, the sanatorium for consumptives, the hospital for crippled children, the state reformatory for women, to the use of any other of the aforesaid institutions; and it is further authorized, by and with the approval of the auditor, to use the sums not exceeding in the aggregate five thousand (5,000) dollars, where necessary, to supplement the appropriations for current expenses of any of the above named institutions, and

Provided, Further, That said board may, without such consent and approval of the auditor, use the balance of any appropriation made for a specific purpose at any institution for any other specific purpose in and about such institution, after the purpose for which such appropriation was made has been accomplished; and

Provided, Further, That said board is hereby authorized and empowered to set aside a portion of the current expense fund of any such institution to be used as a diversified labor fund for the introduction and encouragement of such industries as in its judgment may be beneficial to the inmates of such institution; and

Provided, Further, That in case of the damage or destruction of any insured buildings belonging to the state, all moneys derived from the insurance thereon shall be paid into the state treasury to the credit of the institution at which such damage occurred, and the board having the control of such institution shall have the right to expend such insurance money upon the

repair of such building, if repairable; otherwise such money shall be used, with such sums as may be specially appropriated therefor by the legislature, for reconstruction of the buildings so destroyed.

Section 20. Whenever it becomes necessary, in order to meet the current demands upon the revenue fund for the payment of appropriations, the governor, auditor, and treasurer, may, at any time prior to July 31, 1921, make such agreement with banks or other corporations or persons as they may deem advisable or necessary to pay warrants issued against said revenue fund pursuant to any such appropriation prior to the time when the money to meet such appropriation comes into the state treasury, and whenever any warrants so issued are paid for the accommodation of the state the money necessary to pay interest upon the amounts of such warrants from the time when such payment was made until the money to redeem such warrants comes into the state treasury, at the rate agreed upon by the said governor, auditor and treasurer, is hereby appropriated.

Section 21. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, building and improvements at state institutions and for other purposes.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1010,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, building and improvements at state institutions and for other purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Carley,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Denegre,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Boylan, from the Committee on Commerce, Manufacture and Trade, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 191, A bill for an act to amend Section 7018, General Statutes 1913 relating to the sale of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Boylan, from the Committee on Commerce, Manufacture and Trade, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 949, A bill for an act relating to leather and to the manufacture, purchase and sale thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 834, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the county auditor and county treasurer in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants, to pay claims against the county for labor and for the use of teams engaged in day labor for such county, without the same having been first audited and allowed by the County Board.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No.

834, be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 834,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 99, A bill for an act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the period at the end of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“relating to the practice in and fixing the compensation of judges, clerks and stenographic reporter of the municipal court of the City of St. Paul.”

Further amend by inserting after the word “powers” on the third line of the second page of said bill the following:

“of constables at common law.”

Further amend by inserting after the word “authority” in the third line of the third page of the bill the following: “and powers.”

Further amend by striking out the words “forty-three hundred dollars” as the same appear in the ninth and eighth line from the bottom of page three (3) of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures “Four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00).”

Further amend by striking out the words “Twenty-one hundred dollars” as the same appear in the sixth line from the last line page three (3) of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures “Nineteen hundred dollars (\$1,900.00).”

Further amend by striking out the words “eighteen hundred dollars” where the same appear in the fifth and fourth lines from the bottom of page three (3) of said bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures “Sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600.00).”

Further amend by striking out the words “fifteen hundred dollars” where the same appear in the fourth and third lines from the bottom of page three (3) of said bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures “Fourteen hundred dollars (\$1,400.00).”

Further amend by striking out the words "eighteen hundred dollars" where the same appear in the next to the last line page three (3) of said bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600.00)."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 99 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 99,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 917, A bill for an act to limit the expenditures of certain municipalities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 606, A bill for an act to conform the organization, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the Federal Law, relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 606,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 917, 949, 904, 757, 864, 767, 945, 942, 919 and 514.

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 191, 402 and 6,
Were read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 965, No. 163 on General Orders, be substituted for S. F. No. 800, No. 12 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 800 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 800,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 26, No. 176 on General Orders, be substituted for S. F. No. 178, No. 27 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 178 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 178,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that H. F. No. 702 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 702,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 702 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 702,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford moved that S. F. No. 214 be printed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 776, No. 102 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Boylan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 114, No. 160 on General Orders, be substituted for S. F. No. 154, No. 50 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 154 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 154,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Coleman moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 759, No. 91 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. Nos. 859, 860, 861 and 862 be made a Special Order for Friday, April 4, 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

S. F. No. 970, A bill for an act legalizing the foreclosure or cancellation of contracts for the purchase or sale of real estate and the records thereof where the mortgage registration tax on such contracts had not been paid prior to the commencement of the foreclosure or cancellation thereof or subsequent thereto.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 970, be given its second reading, printed and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 970,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that S. F. No. 778 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 778,

Was indefinitely postponed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 792, A bill for an act to legalize defective mortgage or mechanics lien foreclosure sales heretofore made and the record thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 965, A bill for an act legalizing certain affidavits of publication heretofore filed and the record thereof, wherein certain facts which should have been stated were omitted.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Benson in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Benson reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 553, 498, 481, 617, 690, 628, 309, 525, 475, 722, 454, 663 and 673.

Also

H. F. No 114,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 131, 110, 126, 12, 263, 421, 229, 963, 415, 563, 515, 413, 510, 598, 681, 549, 559, 665, 480, 618, 448, 733, 763, 734, 762, 761, 760, 247, 465, 768, 677, 688, 726, 345 and 697.

Also

H. F. Nos. 19, 307, 427, 60, 58, 6, 26, 298 and 577.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 132,

Which the committee recommends to progress, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Cliff—

Amend Sections 5 and 16 of S. F. No. 132 as follows:

1. Amend Section 5 of the printed bill by inserting in line 3 after the word "thereafter" the following: "if it shall appear necessary, appoint an engineer to make the necessary investigations and report as to the boundaries of the proposed district and upon the filing of such report."

2. Amend Section 16 of the printed bill by striking out the period at the end of line 16 and add the following: "provided, that, with the exception of improvements that may be found necessary to construct by reason of said emergency, before proceeding to the construction of any improvement under this act, the Chief Engineer of said district shall within ten days of the awarding of any contract or contracts as provided for in this act, file with the State Drainage Commission a complete copy of maps, plans, profiles, specifications, estimates of cost of construction and contract prices."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 151,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following

amendments and further privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Offered by Mr. Carley—

Amend S. F. No. 151 by adding after the word “thousand” where it appears in line 15 of the printed bill the words “four hundred and forty.”

Which amendment was adopted.

H. F. No. 526,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

S. F. No. 682,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Guilford—

Amend S. F. No. 682 by striking out the words “students of the law” in line 3 of Section 1 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 307,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Dwyer—

Amend S. F. No. 307 as follows:

Strike out the word “twelve,” where it appears after the words “general clerk” in line five of said printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word “fifteen.”

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 664,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Handlan—

Amend S. F. No. 664 by striking out the words “twenty-five dollars,” in line twelve of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: “Fifteen dollars.”

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Benson then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, SATURDAY, March 29, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Reed, Cosgrove, Ribenack and Hall were excused for Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Messrs. Benson, Romberg and Blomgren were excused for to-day.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, March 28, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 950, An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 10, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act authorizing all public service corporations to give mortgages or deeds of trust covering all their property or franchises, including after-acquired property, and legalizing such mortgages or deeds of trust heretofore given.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, March 27, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 4, An act to amend Section 9248, General Statutes, 1913, relating to recognizances on appeals or writs of error to the Supreme Court in criminal cases.

S. F. No. 5, An act amending Section 118, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Supreme Court, and the terms thereof to be held by the Justices each year and imposing upon the Senior Associate Justice the duties of the Chief Justice in certain cases.

S. F. No. 7, An act to amend the last paragraph of Section (1) one of Chapter 66, General Laws 1917, relating to appeals in civil and criminal actions, and the fees and charges in the Supreme Court thereon.

S. F. No. 165, An act to authorize the chief executive officers of state institutions to execute bonds in favor of the federal government in certain cases.

S. F. No. 166, An act providing an official designation for the several state asylums and state hospitals for the insane and the hospital farm for inebriates.

S. F. No. 181, An act to amend Chapter 311, Laws 1911, relating to salaries of state inspector of apiaries and deputy inspectors.

S. F. No. 193, An act fixing the salary and compensation of county commissioners in certain counties.

S. F. No. 211, An act providing for the appointment of a fire marshal by the Commissioner of Insurance and fixing his salary; abolishing the offices of assistant fire marshal, deputy fire marshals and special deputies as now authorized by law; providing for the appointment of deputy fire marshals by the Commissioner of Insurance, and devolving on and transferring to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshals appointed under this act, the duties, powers and privileges now imposed on and granted to the fire marshal and the deputy fire marshal and repealing Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 564, Laws of Minnesota, 1913.

S. F. No. 291, An act to amend Section 6358 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to state banks.

S. F. No. 295, An act to repeal Chapter 385, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, being an act entitled, An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of insurance and certain other companies.

S. F. No. 296, An act amending the title and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 15 and 17 of Chapter 429, General Laws 1917, being, An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds, or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof, and creating a state securities commission.

S. F. No. 354, An act providing for the imprisonment in the State Reformatory for Women of females convicted of any crime, punishable, under the provisions of the Statutes prescribing the punishment for such crime, by imprisonment in the

State Prison and also providing for the transfer from the State Prison to the State Reformatory for Women of females committed to the State Prison prior to the time this act takes effect and providing for the imprisonment of such prisoners so transferred in said State Reformatory for Women during the balance of the unexpired term for which they were originally committed to said State Prison.

S. F. No. 436, An act to amend Section 3864, General Statutes of 1913, relating to communications between engine rooms and workrooms the same being Section 3, Chapter 316, General Laws of 1913, an act to require more adequate protection of employes from accidental injury or death in the course of their occupation. etc.

S. F. No. 437, An act to amend Section 3879, General Statutes 1913, relating to external fire escapes and fire protection in buildings where persons are employed.

S. F. No. 438, An act to amend Section 3816, General Statutes 1913, relating to examinations for positions in the Department of Labor and Industries, the same being Section 5, Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, an act creating the Department of Labor and Industries.

S. F. No. 439, An act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, the same being Section 3819, of the General Statutes of 1913, to empower the employes of the Department of Labor and Industries to enter offices as well as places of employment and to remain while engaged in their official duties.

S. F. No. 468, An act to amend subsection 1 of Section 6147, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the contents of the certificate required to be subscribed and acknowledged by persons desiring to form a corporation, with regard to the name of such corporation, the general nature of its business and the principal place of transacting the same.

S. F. No. 694, An act to amend Chapter 200 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1876, and Chapter 92 of the Special Laws of the year 1881, and acts confirmatory and amendatory thereof, by adding a provision for a department of the municipal court of the city of Stillwater to be known as the Court of Conciliation.

S. F. No. 861, A Joint Resolution memorializing the War De-

partment to discharge certain persons now in the military or naval services of the United States.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Dwyer and Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 971, A bill for an act relating to the discharge and removal of deputies, assistants and employes in certain cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 972, A bill for an act defining and providing for the punishment of bank robbery.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Callahan (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 973, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, which subdivision fixes the annual salary of the chief justice, justices, clerk, reporter and their respective stenographers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 974, A bill for an act to provide for safety to life and property in this state in the construction and use of steam boilers; prescribing rules for the safe and proper construction of state boilers used in this state: to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Stepan (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 975, A bill for an act to provide for the assessment of lands benefited in drainage proceedings and the payment of moneys so collected to contractors where ditches have been constructed and not paid for in full where engineers have been mistaken in their estimate of the cost of construction of said ditches.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 976, A bill for an act to legalize mortgages or deeds of trust executed by public service corporations in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 976, A bill for an act to legalize mortgages or deeds of trust executed by public service corporations in certain cases.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 976,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 976, A bill for an act to legalize mortgages or deeds of trust executed by public service corporations in certain cases.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Rask,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Reed,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Millett,	Stepan,
Carley,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Ward,
Conroy,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 977, A bill for an act to amend Section 3142, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in certain places, and prescribing a penalty therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Cashel (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 978, A bill for an act amending Section 1079 of the

General Statutes of Minnesota for 1894, relating to the designation of a newspaper for official publications in certain cities of the state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Cashel (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 979, A bill for an act to amend Section 720, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the establishment and maintenance of tuberculosis sanatoria in counties of the state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 980, A bill for an act to provide for the taxation of freight line companies, and repealing Chapter 377, Laws 1911.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 981, A bill for an act to amend Section 5, Chapter 442 of the General Laws of 1917, relating to drainage on boundary waters and formation of drainage and flood control districts and co-operation with drainage authorities in the adjoining states.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Putnam, for Judiciary Committee, introduced—

S. F. No. 982, A bill for an act to amend Section 573, Revised Laws 1905, as amended, being Section 974, General Statutes 1913, relating to salary of county attorneys in counties whose population is less than seventy-five thousand; and repealing Section 5 of Chapter 424, Special Laws 1891; that portion of Section 1, Chapter 363, Special Laws 1891 relating to salary of county attorney; and Chapter 114, Laws 1903; Chapter 110, Laws 1911; and Chapter 81, Laws 1917.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 983, A bill for an act to amend Section 8, Chapter 199, General Statutes 1915, relating to a State Teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Fowler, Palmer, Callahan, Turnham and Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 984, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public markets in such cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 985, A bill for an act to provide for bringing on for immediate trial certain cases where the wages of the defendant has been garnisheed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 986, A bill for an act to amend Section 1252, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to annual village elections.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 986, A bill for an act to amend Section 1252, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to annual village elections.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 986,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 986, A bill for an act to amend Section 1252, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to annual village elections.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Besette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Callahan introduced—

S. F. No. 987, A bill for an act to regulate common carriers of passengers by buses, taxicabs, motor vehicles and omnibuses in cities of the first class in this state, including all such carriers not operating upon specially constructed or fixed tracks but operating solely upon the streets of said cities, and providing for the licensing of the same.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the **Committee on Motor Vehicles.**

Mr. Van Hoven (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 988, A bill for an act reimbursing any person, firm, association or corporation who has heretofore entered into a contract with the State of Minnesota, or any board, department or agency thereof, for the actual loss sustained by him in the performance of such contract, in case such loss is due to increase in the cost of labor or material due to the existence of a state of war between the United States of America and the Imperial German government; creating a cause of action in favor of such person, firm, association or corporation, and against the State of Minnesota for such loss; vesting the District Court with jurisdiction to entertain an action thereon and to determine the amount of such loss and enter judgment therefor against the State of Minnesota, and prescribing the procedure.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary.**

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to.

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, building and improvements at State Institutions and for other purposes,

And requests a Conference Committee of five to serve with a like committee appointed by the House for the purpose of a conference.

The following members have been appointed on the part of the House:

Messrs. Christianson, T., Jacobson, Teigen, Adams, Pattison.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 29, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rockne moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The President announced the following Committee on Conference on H. F. No. 1010—

Messrs. Rockne, Sullivan, J. D., Nolan, Widell and Hopp

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

S. F. No. 426, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390 General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their deputies and clerks in certain counties of this state.

March 28, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to authorize the county board in any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 150,000 nor more than 220,000 inhabitants, and an area of over 5,000

square miles to establish by purchase or lease an industrial home school for girls; and to provide for the maintenance of the same.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act to amend the title and Sections 1, 2, 4, and 13 of Chapter 272, Laws 1915 which Chapter is entitled, An act relating to the duties of coroners and prescribing the manner and procedure of holding examinations and inquests by coroners in counties having a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.

March 28, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 513, A bill for an act to provide for the examination of the books and accounts of co-operative corporations or associations.

March 28, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 541, A bill for an act fixing the salary of county auditors in certain counties.

S. F. No. 575, A bill for an act creating pensions for disabled and retired policemen in cities now or hereafter having a population of 20,000 and not over 50,000 inhabitants, and providing for a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid, and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and disbursement of such fund.

S. F. No. 535, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and expense allowance of county commissioners in all counties of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than two hundred and fifty million (\$250,000,000) dollars and an area of more than five thousand (5,000) square miles.

S. F. No. 230, A bill for an act relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed by a board of

tax levy, or other corresponding body, and requiring that the estimate of the county board for said fund shall be allowed in full and included in the tax levy.

S. F. No. 246, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 273 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1917 relating to the levying of a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainment in public buildings or upon public grounds in incorporated villages.

S. F. No. 822, A bill for an act to amend Section 826, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 82, Laws 1917, relating to compensation of county auditor in certain counties.

S. F. No. 537, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, Register of Deeds, Superintendent of Schools, Judge of Probate, Clerk of District Court and providing for the number of assistants, deputies, clerks and other help thereon and their compensation, in all counties now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of more than 5,000 square miles.

S. F. No. 315, A bill for an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution, and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections, and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections.

OSCAR ARNESON,

March 29, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 426 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 426,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 513, A bill for an act to provide for the examination of the books and accounts of co-operative corporations or associations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

H. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act to amend the title and Sections 1, 2, 4, and 13 of Chapter 272, Laws 1915 which Chapter is entitled, An act relating to the duties of coroners and prescribing the manner and procedure of holding examinations and inquests by coroners in counties having a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and county bonds issued in connection therewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 419, A bill for an act authorizing cities and villages to license and regulate the sale of non-alcoholic beverages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out the word, "non-alcoholic" where the same occurs in the second line of the title of the bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following word, "non-intoxicating."

2. Strike out all of Section 1 of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the following section, to be known as Section 1 of the bill:

"Section 1. There is hereby conferred upon each city and village in the state the authority by ordinance to license and regulate the business of vendors at retail in non-intoxicating beverages, to impose such reasonable license fee therefor as may be prescribed by such ordinance, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of any such ordinance to the extent that a misdemeanor is now punished by the laws of the state."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 280, A bill for an act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 392, A bill for an act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 392,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 957, A bill for an act authorizing the payment from the State Road and Bridge fund made to any county of aid on account of cost of construction by any county of a bridge over waters constituting a state boundary.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 957 and 419,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 280 and 561,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Reed moved that S. F. No. 413, No. 18 on General Orders,

be re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 413,

Was re-referred to the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Guilford moved that H. F. No. 6 be printed as amended by the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peterson moved that S. F. No. 381 be made a Special Order for Thursday, April 3, 3:00 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hamer moved that S. F. No. 917, No. 160 on General Orders, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 917,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Reed moved that when the Senate do adjourn it be until Tuesday, April 1, 2 P. M.

Mr. Carley moved as an amendment to this motion that when the Senate do adjourn it be until Monday, 2 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., offered the following resolution—

Resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer out of the legislative expense fund, payable to the following persons in the several sums set opposite their respective names:

Albert Schaller	\$500
Wilson & Thoreen.....	\$500

in payment for services as attorneys in the election contest of George H. Sullivan v. W. W. Wilcox.

Which resolution was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 952 be recalled from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 952,

Was recalled from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.
S. F. No. 952,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Johnson in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Johnson reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 263, 618, 762, 247, 768, 726, 476, 551, 669, 744, 745, 550, 739, 611, 798, 719, 647, 412, 707, 487, 508, 780 and 425.

Also

H. F. Nos. 298, 148, 457, 147, 454, 478 and 5

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 232, 131, 110, 126, 12, 421, 229, 963, 415, 563, 515, 413, 510, 598, 681, 549, 559, 665, 480, 448, 733, 763, 734, 761, 465, 132, 677, 688, 345, 697, 675, 747, 627, 742, 666, 818, 748 and 672.

Also

H. F. Nos. 19, 307, 427, 60, 58, 6, 26, 577, 829, 353, 757 and 941.

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. No. 760,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments and further privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Offered by Mr. Vibert:

Amend S. F. No. 760 as follows:

1. By striking out all of paragraph 2 of Section 5 of the printed bill, and inserting a new paragraph in lieu thereof, as follows:

"Any moneys appropriated for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act shall be used for the purpose of administering the duties of the surveyor general, checking and superintending the scaling, clerical help, and purchasing supplies and stationery: provided, however, that the auditor shall credit to the forest service fund from the moneys appropriated \$2,684.33., to cover the expenditures from said fund for salaries and expenses incurred during the fiscal year ending July 31, 1919."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. Nos. 264 and 805,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

H. F. No. 366,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Hall:

Amend H. F. No. 366 by striking out all of the sentence after the word "contain" where the same occurs in lines 12 and 13 of Section 1 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Johnson then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, March 31, 1919.

The Senate met at 2 P. M. and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Handlan was excused for today and tomorrow.

Mr. Millett was excused for tomorrow.

OATH ADMINISTERED.

A. C. Gooding, Senator elect from the 4th district, Olmsted county, appeared and presented his certificate of election and took the oath of office which was administered by Justice Hallam of the Supreme Court.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, March 31, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 160, An act to amend Section 1488, Revised Laws 1905, the same being Section No. 3071, General Statutes 1913, relating to the settlement of poor persons, so as to provide for the termination of a settlement in this state.

S. F. No. 305, An act to amend Sections 2 and 5, Chapter 194 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915 entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases, and appropriating money therefor.

S. F. No. 469, An act authorizing the several counties of this state to reimburse county agricultural societies or officers thereof for the cost and expense of making certain improvements on land owned by any county and used for county agricultural fairs.

S. F. No. 499, An act to amend Section 3957 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 188 of the General Laws for 1917, relating to trustees for Soldiers' Home and compensation for attending meetings of its board.

S. F. No. 536, An act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof in acquiring a site, constructing and equipping a City Hall.

S. F. No. 583, An act authorizing the county boards in any county in this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credit to appropriate and expend public funds for the purpose of furnishing temporary relief to sufferers from fire or other calamity and aid to townships and school districts.

S. F. No. 604, An act to extend the period of licenses granted by the Secretary of State for automobiles during the triennial period of 1918, 1919 and 1920, until such time as the Legislature of 1921 shall make provisions for the relicensing of the same.

S. F. No. 710, An act legalizing the execution of leases of a part of armory premises by companies of the National Guard in certain cases.

S. F. No. 775, An act to amend Section 4635 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 299 Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the fees to be paid for examinations of state banks, trust companies, savings banks, and local and general building and loan associations.

S. F. No. 877, An act to legalize notices of claims filed against cities of the first class, not having a home rule charter, during February, 1918, pursuant to Section 1 of Chapter 391, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 989, A bill for an act authorizing the creating of a retirement fund association and the granting of annuities to retired school janitors, engineers and firemen in cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants and providing a fund out of which such annuities may be paid.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 990, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the occupation of mining ore in this state, which tax shall be in lieu of ad valorem taxes upon mined iron ore; and to amend Chapter 483, Laws 1913, being an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the percentage of full and true value at which property in each class shall be assessed.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 991, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for an old age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of any county of this State now having, or hereafter having a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Benson (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 992, A bill for an act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 993, A bill for an act to amend Section 2502, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 119, General Laws 1917, relative to the allotment of the State Road and Bridge Fund and providing for the payment from such fund, of one-third of the cost of constructing bridges across interstate boundary waters where the adjoining state pays an equal amount thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Guilford introduced—

S. F. No. 994, A bill for an act relating to and authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to define, determine, require and enforce adequate street car service in such cities.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 995, A bill for an act to amend Section 7971 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for the year 1913, as amended by the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the selection of jurors.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 996, A bill for an act to amend Section 4445 of the

General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to terminal elevator storage charges.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 997, A bill for an act relating to the division and apportionment of ditch assessment liens in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Hopp introduced—

S. F. No. 998, A bill for an act amending Section 4972, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians from other states

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 999, A bill for an act making the continuance on record of instruments conveying real estate or an interest therein, where such conveyance does not affirmatively show that the grantors were married, for 20 years prima facie evidence that such grantors were unmarried and the continuance on record of such instruments for thirty years conclusive evidence that grantors were unmarried unless persons claiming by virtue of such marriage commence action to determine their rights prior to January 1st, 1920 and file lis pendens in office of Register of Deeds in county where such land lies.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Brooks (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 1000, A bill for an act to amend Section 4445, of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to schedules of rates and maximum charges at terminal elevators.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Brooks introduced—

S. F. No. 1001, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (2) of

Section 2632, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, prescribing regulations concerning the driving of motor vehicles.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 1002, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this State having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article 4, Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof made and entered into within four months prior to October 21, 1916, and vesting in the District Court of this State jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Ribenack introduced—

S. F. No. 1003, A bill for an act for the relief of William H. Schell, who was injured by the crushing of one of his feet, when engaged in fire relief work on or about November 25, 1918, from which injury he will suffer permanent partial disability of said member, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Sullivan, J. D., and Bonniwell, introduced—

S. F. No. 1004, A bill for an act directing the public examiner to adjust the drainage fund accounts in various counties of the state and providing for the payment of the expense thereof.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

Messrs. Adams, Boylan, Erickson, Ribenack, Bessette introduced—

S. F. No. 1005, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, in all counties which now have or may hereafter have an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits, and an area of over 5,000 square miles; and repealing the provisions of any act inconsistent herewith.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1005 be given its second reading and placed on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1005,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1005,

Was laid on the table.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 1006, A bill for an act to amend Section 687 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to vacancies in county offices.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections

Mr. Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 1007, A bill for an act to amend Section 115, General Statutes 1913, so as to define more clearly the authority of certain public officials to validate certain claims against the state.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1007 be given its second reading, printed and placed at the head of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1007,

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 1008, A bill for an act to amend Section 7715 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, governing actions relating to land.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 1009, A bill for an act to appropriate monies to carry out the provisions of the law relative to seed potato certification.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act forbidding written or printed advertising matter in containers used in the sale of food products and providing a penalty for violation.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Adams (for St. Louis County Delegation) introduced—

S. F. No. 1011, A bill for an act authorizing the County Sanatorium Commission in any county of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting a new building or buildings for enlarging such sanatorium in the manner now provided by law, to issue properly authenticated vouchers or warrants upon the Sanatorium fund of said county, not exceeding the total amount permitted by law to be levied as a tax upon the taxable property of said county for the maintenance of such sanatorium.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1011 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1011,

Was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hegnes introduced—

S. F. No. 1012, A bill for an act requiring warning signs to be placed on certain roads rendered impassable by reason of the construction or improvement thereof or bridges and culverts thereon.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 1013. A bill for an act to amend Section 3010, Gen-

eral Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the government and general educational management of the State University by the appointment of a Board of Regents, fixing the term of office and providing for at least one woman member of said board.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 1014, A bill for an act relating to liability under cancelled mineral leases.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gandrud introduced—

S. F. No. 1015, A Joint Resolution memorializing congress of the United States to enact legislation requiring aliens residing in foreign countries, desiring admission to the United States, to make application to authorized representatives of the United States in such foreign countries, and providing for an investigation by such representatives.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

Mr. Gillam introduced—

S. F. No. 1016, A bill for an act to amend Section 4452, General Statutes 1913, relating to Minnesota grades of grain.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Gillam' introduced—

S. F. No. 1017, A bill for an act to amend Section 4448, General Statutes 1913, relating to Boards of Grain Inspection.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced—

S. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled an act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision in such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Rockne introduced--

S. F. No. 1019, A bill for an act permitting political conventions to endorse candidates before primary elections.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Palmer (by request) introduced--

S. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners or the body charged with control of the park system of any city now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 and not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, to build and construct or cause to be built and constructed, sidewalks and curb and gutter along the parkways of any such city and assess the cost thereof on abutting property.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Johnson introduced--

S. F. No. 1021, A bill for an act to give sellers and consignors of grain a first lien upon the membership of any member of any Chamber of Commerce or Board of Trade on account of any indebtedness arising from the purchase, or sale upon consignment, of grain by such member.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

Mr. Denegre (by request) introduced--

S. F. No. 1022, A bill for an act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more, and providing a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and distribution of such pension and funds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Peterson introduced--

S. F. No. 1023, A bill for an act forbidding charges to be made

against candidates for public office within limited periods before election.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

S. F. No. 1024, A bill for an act entitled, An act for the relief of Henry Vezina for loss of property sustained by him near Lengby, Minnesota, during the forest fires in northern Minnesota in October, 1918, by reason of the negligence and failure of the State of Minnesota to burn the slashings, brush, etc., on certain "cut-over" lands and to appropriate money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 1025, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 and Section 6 of Chapter 9, General Laws of Minnesota for the Special Session of 1912, the same being an act entitled, An act providing for the taxation of railroad properties, the collection and times of payment of such tax and repealing acts inconsistent therewith.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 1026, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 329, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, the same being an act authorizing cities of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter or commission form of government to levy and assess a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainments in public buildings or upon public grounds.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Mr. Swanson introduced—

S. F. No. 1027, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and compensation, expenses and clerk hire, in all counties in this state now or hereafter having not less than thirty-five or more than forty congressional townships, and now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million (\$16,000,000) nor more than twenty million (\$20,000,000), and prescribing the amounts thereof.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Swanson moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1027, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and compensation, expenses and clerk hire, in all counties in this state now or hereafter having not less than thirty-five or more than forty congressional townships, and now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million (\$16,000,000) nor more than twenty million (\$20,000,000), and prescribing the amounts thereof.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1027,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1027, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and compensation, expenses and clerk hire, in all counties in this state now or hereafter having not less than thirty-five or more than forty congressional townships, and now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million (\$16,000,000) nor more than twenty million (\$20,000,000), and prescribing the amounts thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Ward.
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Carley,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Millett,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 1028, A bill for an act to amend Section 2596, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, and to repeal Section 2599, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the building of bridges across navigable waters on county lines which are the boundary lines of the state and providing for the bonding of counties for such purposes.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 1029, A bill for an act requiring all hospitals and sanitoriums in this state to provide a room for the temporary storing of the bodies of persons who die in such hospitals.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings.

Mr. Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 1030, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 14, Section 7951, General Statutes 1913, relating to exemptions.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Callahan and Devold introduced—

S. F. No. 1031, A bill for an act relating to the payment of compensation to officers and persons employed by the University of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 499, A bill for an act to amend Section 2148 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sales.

H. F. No. 622, A bill for an act prohibiting excepting in cities of the first class any person from owning or having in his custody or control any dog more than six months old without a license therefor; providing for the issuance of licenses by the County Auditor of the several counties; declaring null and void the provisions of all ordinances of any city except cities of the first class or village so far as they require the payment of a fee as a prerequisite to the owning or having in possession or control of any dog and providing penalties for violation of this act; authorizing the killing of dogs more than six months old not wearing a license.

March 31, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 609, A bill for an act to amend Sections 9, 10, 12, 20, 21 and 24 of Chapter 152, General Laws 1915, relating to telephones and telephone companies.

H. F. No. 885, A bill for an act to amend Chapter, 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

H. F. No. 818, A bill for an act entitled, An act legalizing certain bonds heretofore issued by school districts.

H. F. No. 585, A bill for an act to designate a State Fiscal Year and making appropriations available therefor.

H. F. No. 15, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

H. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 360, Laws 1915, providing for the publication of proceedings of meetings of school boards of independent school districts.

H. F. No. 394, A bill for an act abolishing the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives, and transferring all the powers and duties now possessed by said Commission to the State Board of Health, and creating the office of Executive Secretary of the Sanatorium Division of the Board of Health.

H. F. No. 750, A bill for an act to amend Section 5597 of the General Statutes of 1913 relating to drainage.

H. F. No. 320, A bill for an act to authorize the leasing of Douglas Lodge and certain other buildings in Itasca State Park.

H. F. No. 910, A bill for an act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty-four million dollars and an area of more than 2500 square miles.

H. F. No. 1124, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1869, providing for the incorporation of the village of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota, and all acts and parts of acts supplementary or amendatory thereof, and to the township of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 913, A bill for an act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their religious faith or creed.

H. F. No. 419, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken by the county board of any county for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and to legalize the contract for doing said work and the bonds heretofore authorized or issued or hereafter to be authorized or issued in pursuance thereof.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

March 29, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 15, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

H. F. No. 320, A bill for an act to authorize the leasing of Douglas Lodge and certain other buildings in Itasca State Park.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 320 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 263, No. 47 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 263 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 320,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 263,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 394, A bill for an act abolishing the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives, and transferring all the powers and duties now possessed by said Commission to the State Board of Health, and creating the office of Executive Secretary of the Sanatorium Division of the Board of Health.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

H. F. No. 491, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken by the county board of any county for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and to legalize the contract for doing said work and the bonds heretofore authorized or issued or hereafter to be authorized or issued in pursuance thereof.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 419 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 288, No. 2 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 288 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 419,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 288,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 499, A bill for an act to amend Section 2148 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sales.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 609, A bill for an act to amend Sections 9, 10, 12, 20, 21 and 24 of Chapter 152, General Laws 1915, relating to telephones and telephone companies.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 609

be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 492, No. 6 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 492 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 609,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 492,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 585, A bill for an act to designate a state fiscal year and making appropriations available therefor.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 585 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 465, No. 33 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 465 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 585,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 465,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 622, A bill for an act prohibiting any person from owning or having in his custody or control any dog more than six months old without a license therefor; providing for the issuance of licenses by the county auditor of the several counties; declaring null and void the provisions of all ordinances of any city or village so far as they require the payment of a fee as a prerequisite to the owning or having in possession or control of any dog and providing penalties for violation of this act; authorizing the killing of dogs more than six months old not wearing a license.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

H. F. No. 750, A bill for an act to amend Section 5597 of the General Statutes of 1913 relating to drainage.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 818, A bill for an act entitled, An act legalizing certain bonds heretofore issued by school districts.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 818 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 550, No. 65 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 550 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 818,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 550,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 885, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities, and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

H. F. No. 910, A bill for an act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty-four million dollars and an area of more than two thousand five hundred square miles.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 913, A bill for an act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their religious faith or creed.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Dwyer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 913 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 628, No. 29 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 628 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 913,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 628,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 360, Laws 1915, providing for the publication of proceedings of meetings of school boards of independent school districts.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. F. No. 1124, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1869, providing for the incorporation of the village of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota, and all acts and parts of acts supplementary or amendatory thereof, and to the township of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 509, A bill for an act authorizing the creation of a department of city planning in Cities of the First Class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, and defining the powers and duties of such a department.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

In Article 1, paragraph 3, line 2, strike out the words "employ engineers or other persons whose salary and wages, as well as other expenses deemed necessary by the Commission shall be provided for by appropriation of the city council."

Insert the following:

"With the consent of the City Council employ engineers or other persons and incur such other expenses as are deemed necessary.

In Article 5, paragraph 1, line 1, after the word "land" insert the word "hereafter."

In Article 5, paragraph 2, line 3, strike out the words "the act of the City Planing Commission in rejecting a plat shall not be subject to judicial review."

Further amend by striking out the word "Article" wherever it appears before the Roman numerals I, II, III, IV, V and VI and insert in lieu thereof the word "Section."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 178, A bill for an act providing for free tuition in the state university and at the state normal schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

To amend H. F. No. 178, towit:—

Amend Section 1 to read as follows:

Section 1. Any male person who, being at the time a citizen and resident of the State of Minnesota, served as an officer or enlisted man in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during any war in which the United States has been involved including the members of the National Guard or who, upon the call of the President, performed military service outside of the borders of this state in any troubles with Mexico, and any man or woman, who, being at the time a citizen and resident of the State of Minnesota, performed active overseas war service as a regularly enlisted full-time worker of the Red Cross, engaged in nursing the sick or assisting in the care of soldiers in any government hospital, field or camp, which service has been officially recognized by the national government, shall, upon complying with all other requirements for admission, be entitled to pursue any course or courses in the University of Minnesota or any state normal school, upon tuition provided by the state to an amount not to exceed \$200 for each person,

provided, that any such student may, at his option, enter any other college or school in this state which maintained a Students Army Training Corps unit in co-operation with the United States Government, and his tuition therein to an extent not exceeding \$200 for each person, shall be paid by the state in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Amend Section 2 to read as follows :

Section 2. The question of whether or not an applicant has been so in the service of the government as to entitle him or her to the benefits of this act and the tuition herein provided shall be determined by an officer designated by the respective institutions upon the production of an honorable or ordinary discharge from the military, naval or marine service of the United States or from the Red Cross, or such other evidence as may be required.

Amend Section 3 to read as follows :

Section 3. It is hereby made the duty of the administrative officers of the University of Minnesota and the State Normal Schools to furnish to the Adjutant General of the State of Minnesota, lists in triplicate of student applicants which lists shall show the name of the applicant, the unit in which the service specified in Section 1 hereof was performed, the course selected and the regular tuition charge for such course. The Adjutant General shall check the list with records now on file in his office or to be procured from reliable sources and if found correct shall return two copies to the respective state institutions as authority to perform the service under this act. At the end of each semester or term the administrative officers of the state institutions coming under this act shall return one list duly certified showing the period each student has attended and the proportion and amount of the tuition earned. The Adjutant General shall check the lists and if found correct shall certify the same to the State Auditor and the State Auditor upon receipt thereof shall draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer from the appropriation provided therefor in favor of the state institutions entitled to the tuition.

And it is hereby made the duty of the administrative officers of such colleges or institutions other than state institutions, as accept the privileges for students under this act to furnish to the Adjutant General of the State of Minnesota, lists in triplicate of student applicants which lists shall show the name of the applicant, the unit in which the service specified in Section 1 hereof was performed, the course selected and the regular tuition charge for such course. The

Adjutant General shall check the list with records now on file in his office or to be procured from reliable sources and if found correct shall return two copies to the respective institutions other than state institutions, as authority to perform the service under this act. At the end of each semester or term the administrative officers of the institutions other than state institutions coming under this act shall return one list duly certified showing the period each student has attended and the proportion and amount of the tuition earned. The Adjutant General shall check the lists and if found correct shall certify the same to the State Auditor and the State Auditor upon receipt thereof shall draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer from the appropriation provided therefor in favor of the students entitled to the tuition and the State Treasurer shall forward the voucher warrants to said respective institutions other than state institutions.

It is further provided that any student coming under the provisions of this act, who has paid tuition, since his induction into the military, naval or marine service of the United States or in the Red Cross, to any institution as provided for in Section 1 hereof, shall be entitled to a refundment of the tuition so paid in amount not to exceed \$200, upon presentation to the proper administrative officers of the above named institutions of the same proof of service as required in Section 2, and shall be included in the certified lists to the Adjutant General of the State of Minnesota as provided for in Section 3, and payment shall be made direct to the students entitled to the refundment, provided that no refund shall be made where tuition has heretofore been paid by the Government of the United States for a student coming under the provisions of this act, and provided further, that the total amount of refundment and tuition paid shall not, in the aggregate, exceed the sum of \$200 for each person.

Provided that the benefits from the provisions of this act shall not extend beyond July 1, 1924.

Further amend the title of said act to read as follows:

"A bill for an act to provide tuition in the University of Minnesota, the State Normal Schools and any college in the State of Minnesota which participated in the Students Army Training Corps work, for such persons who rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Benson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 178, be given its second reading, printed and placed at the head of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 178,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 961, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 118, of the Laws of 1915, relating to appropriations for armories or organizations of the Minnesota National Guard.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 24, A bill for an act to amend Section 5805, General Statutes 1913, relating to interest rates.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Cumming moved as a substitute motion for the recommendation of the committee that H. F. No. 24 be recommended to pass.

Mr. Cumming moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Cumming moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the motion that the bill be recommended to pass,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 23 and nays 32, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Besette,	Dwyer,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,	
Conroy,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the motion did not prevail.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the report of the Committee on H. F. No. 24.

Which report was adopted.

H. F. No. 24,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 143, A bill for an act requiring railroads, car shops, and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car trucks, and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise, and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings, that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow and other inclement weather.

Reports the same back without recommendation.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Erickson moved as a substitute motion for the recom-

mendation of the committee, that H. F. No. 143 be given its second reading, printed and placed on General Orders.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved as a substitute for the motion as made by Mr. Erickson that H. F. No. 143 be re-referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 509 and 961,
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that.

H. F. No. 394 be recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No 394,

Was recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. Carley then moved that H. F. No. 394 be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 394,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 341, No. 103 on General Orders be substituted for S. F. No. 258, No. 3 on the Calender and that S. F. No. 258 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 258,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Johnson moved that the vote whereby the report of the committee on S. F. No. 503 was adopted be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam then moved that S. F. No. 503 be re-referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 503,.

Was re-referred to the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade.

Mr. McGarry moved that H. F. No. 702 be printed.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Adams moved that 500 copies of H. F. No. 862 be printed.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bonniwell moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, April 1, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Conroy was excused for today.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 803, A bill for an act establishing a Department of Agriculture providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture, and determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner.

H. F. No. 933, A bill for an act defining and regulating public stock yards, placing them under the supervision and control of the railroad and warehouse commission and providing penalties.

H. F. No. 1065, A bill for an act authorizing the incorporation of co-operative associations and defending their powers.

March 31, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 568, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in adjoining counties, to expend the proceeds thereof for said purpose in any one year regardless of existing limitations; and to authorize such board to act jointly or concurrently with the county board of such adjoining county, or the governing body of any municipality therein in the matter of constructing or improving of any such road or roads.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 837, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for a fund in cities of the first class, operating under home rule charters pursuant to Section 36 of Article 4 of the state constitution, to be used for the payment of a portion of the cost of paving and repaving streets therefrom; defining "Arterial streets and providing for the designation thereof by the council or other governing bodies of such cities, and prescribing the proportion of the cost of pavement or repavement of arterial streets and other streets which may be paid from said fund."

H. F. No. 812, A concurrent resolution creating a Commission for the codification and revision of the laws relative to legal publications in newspapers.

OSCAR ARNESON,

March 31, 1919.

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 837, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for a fund in cities of the first class, operating under home rule charters pursuant to Section 36 of Article 4 of the state constitution, to be used for the payment of a portion of the cost of paving and repaving streets therefrom; defining "Arterial streets and providing for the designation thereof by the council or other governing bodies of such cities, and prescribing the proportion of the cost of pavement or repavement of arterial streets and other streets which may be paid from said fund."

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 812, A concurrent resolution creating a Commission for the codification and revision of the laws relative to legal publications in newspapers.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 812 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 692, No. 75 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 692 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 812

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 692

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 933, A bill for an act defining and regulating public stock yards, placing them under the supervision and control of the railroad and warehouse commission and providing penalties.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Widell moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 933 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 884, No. 78 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 884 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 933

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 884

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 803, A bill for an act establishing a Department of Agriculture providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture, and determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

H. F. No. 1065, A bill for an act authorizing the incorporation of co-operative associations and defending their powers.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Markets and Marketing.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 47, A bill for an act requiring railroads, car shops and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car trucks and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise, and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow and other inclement weather.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 47

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 143, A bill for an act requiring railroad car shops, and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car tracks, and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise, and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow, and other inclement weather.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section three of H. F. No. 143, so that the same will read as follows:

"Section 3. All buildings to be erected hereunder shall substantially comply with the following specifications:

In buildings that cover more than one track the distance between the inside rails of each track shall not be less than twelve lineal feet. Between the walls of the building and the outside rails there shall be a distance of ten lineal feet. The building or buildings shall not be less than twenty feet high at the eaves. Each building shall be enclosed from roof to ground and shall have glass windows on each side with a space of not to exceed twelve feet apart. The side windows shall not be less than nine feet high, and not less than four feet wide. Windows shall be in three sections and each section shall be equipped with pivot and opening device. The buildings shall be equipped with pivot and end doors. The end doors shall be not less than six feet wide and sixteen feet high, and there shall be two such doors for each track covered by the building. The side doors shall be the same width and height as the end doors and shall be not to exceed forty feet apart. The roof shall be provided with a cupola the entire length of the building, and be equipped with side windows of not less than three feet in width and six feet in height, having pivot and opening device that shall be at all times operative. A similar cupola shall be provided for each two additional tracks in width of such building. The buildings shall be equipped with necessary heating facilities, and shall at all times have drainage that will keep them in a clean and sanitary condition. They shall be equipped with sanitary drinking fountains where clean wholesome drinking water can be obtained. A sufficient number of sanitary lavatories shall be provided for said employees and sanitary toilets shall be provided and kept properly cleaned, ventilated and free from odor. Such toilets shall be properly partitioned, and there shall be at least one for each fifteen persons employed. All scaffolding used in such buildings shall be made of clear lumber free of all knots, and shall be kept in first class condition at all times. The use of paint spraying machines shall not be permitted inside such buildings. It shall be the duty of the railroad and warehouse commission to determine as soon as practicable what portion of the repair or construction tracks of each railroad in the state it shall be necessary to cover with such building or buildings in order to comply with section one hereof, and said Commission shall thereupon make an order as to each railroad in the state specifying the size of the building or buildings necessary at each location where such repair or construction

work is carried on, and it shall thereupon be the duty of each railroad company to forthwith erect such buildings and have all the same ready for occupancy not later than September 1st, 1922."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 367, A bill for an act to amend Section 1177 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1113, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 216, General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Chapter 141, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the salaries of county Superintendents of School in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 266, A bill for an act to amend Sections 786, 787 and 788 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the surveying or subdividing of townships or sections.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 266

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 267, A bill for an act to repeal Sections 786 to 796, inclusive, of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the surveying or subdividing of townships or sections

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 267

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 713, A bill for an act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of County Free Libraries, and for contracts between boards of county commissioners and existing public libraries.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 982, A bill for an act to amend Section 573, Revised Laws 1905, as amended, being Section 974, General Statutes 1913, relating to salary of county attorneys in counties whose population is less than seventy-five thousand; and repealing Section 5 of Chapter 424, Special Laws 1891; that portion of Section 1, Chapter 363, Special Laws 1891 relating to salary of county attorney; and Chapter 114, Laws 1903; Chapter 10, Laws 1911; and Chapter 81, Laws 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 982

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 713

Was read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 1113, 367 and 143

Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 419, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken by the county board of any county for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and to legalize the contract for doing said work and the bonds heretofore authorized or issued or hereafter to be authorized or issued in pursuance thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hammer,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 341, A bill for an act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on county road work under the provisions of Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, in any county of this state now or hereafter having an area of over 5,000 square miles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hammer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Widell,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 609, A bill for an act to amend Sections 9, 10, 12, 20, 21 and 24 of Chapter 152, General Laws 1915, relating to telephones and telephone companies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Larson,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Lee,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	
Carley,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Orr,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 566, A bill for an act to repeal certain acts authorizing cities of the first class not governed by Home Rule Charter framed pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the state constitution to issue the bonds of any such city.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Guilford moved to amend Senate File No. 566 by striking out the words "Chapter 117, Laws of 1913" where the same appear in line 7 of Section 1 of the first engrossed copy of said bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 271, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1, Section 1. Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended

by Chapter 459, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lee,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blongren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Rask,	
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Larson,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 693, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 89, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to an act fixing the clerk hire for county treasurer in certain counties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Larson,	Rockne,
Benson,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Lee,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 214, A bill for an act to amend Section 8969, General Statutes 1913, relating to frauds on innkeepers, etc.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Orr,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 521, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 202, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the salary of Register of Deeds in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

M. Hegnes moved to amend S. F. No. 521, as follows:

Strike out the words and figures, "three thousand (\$3000) dollars" where the same occur in line 7 of Section 1 of the printed bill, and lieu thereof, insert the following: "two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2500.00)".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Lee,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 546, A bill for an act fixing the salary of judges of Probate Court in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hegnes moved to amend S. F. No. 546, as follows:

Strike out the words and figures, "three thousand dollars (\$3000.00) where the same occur in line 7 of Section 1 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following: "two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2500.00)".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Turnham,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Lee,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 523, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 195, Laws 1915, being an act entitled, An act relating to insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties for violation thereof; and for the repeal of Chapters 107, 223, 514, Laws 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 226, A bill for an act to amend Sec. 7522 of the Gen. Statutes 1913, relating to the time when pleadings in justices' courts shall take place.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 655, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employes for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 207, A bill for an act to amend subsection "G" of Section 8230, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employe and workman.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 576, A bill for an act to amend Section 3, Chapter 335, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909, same being Section 238, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of clerks of the District Court in certain counties in this state.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Larson,	Rask,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Nord,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Loonam,	Madigan,
Cliff,	Hopp,			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 256, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Devold,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Sageng,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 151, A bill for an act to amend sub-section 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1913, which Chapter 400 is entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and

employes, so far as the same relates to the salaries and compensation of the officers and employes of the Department of Labor and Industries, and authorizing the transfer of certain funds from the contingent fund of said department to the maintenance fund thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Lindsley moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:00 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:00 P. M.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Hall and Cosgrove were excused for the afternoon.

CORRECTION.

The Senate Journal for March 19th is corrected to read as follows:

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended and that S. F. No. 872 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 872,

Was read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 553, A bill for an act granting the right of subrogation to sureties upon bonds to the state in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 481, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to correct school land certificates, Nos. 44,619, 44,620, 44,621 and 44,622 authorizing the governor to execute patents therefor to James A. Ogilvie.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 617, A bill for an act to legalize certain corporations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 526, A bill for an act to amend Section 6393, General Statutes 1913 as amended by Section one of Chapter 88, General Laws 1917, relating to investments of savings banks.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cumming,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 114, A bill for an act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after the same are due and owing.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Guilford moved to amend H. F. No. 114 by adding at the end of Section 4 of the printed bill a new sentence, reading as follows: "Payment or tender by check drawn on a bank situated in the county where a laborer is employed shall be a sufficient payment or tender to comply with the provisions of this act."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rask,	Swanson,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Coleman,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sageng,	Widell,

Mr. Gjerset voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 690, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,	Wold,
Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 913, A bill for an act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their religious faith or creed.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 682, A bill for an act empowering the court to exclude the general public from the court room during the trial of causes in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rask,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	Widell,
Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Romberg,	
Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 309, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 488, Laws of 1917, relating to state assignment, tax sale certificates or forfeited sale tax certificates, and limiting the time within which notices of expiration of redemption may be issued or served upon such certificates, and declaring void all such certificates upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and extinguishing the lien of all such certificates and the lien of the taxes for the year or years described therein upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and the lien of all subsequent taxes paid under any such certificate.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the negative were:

Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 2:30 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. Nos. 483 and 467.

Mr. Nord moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Nord moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to develop the agricultural resources of the State of Minnesota by land colonization within the state, and creating a State Colonization Commission.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Rask moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

Insert before the word "and" where such word first occurs in the title of bill, the following, "providing certain privileges to soldier settlers."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rask moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

By striking out of the printed bill all of lines 18 and 19 in Section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"5th—To co-operate with the Federal Government of the United States, in carrying out the provisions of any law now or

hereafter enacted by congress providing for land colonization projects under the supervision of the Federal Government, in any manner not inconsistent with the provisions of this act or the constitution of the State of Minnesota.

- 6th—To do all things necessary for the proper and efficient conduct of its business and in furtherance of the purposes of this act."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rask moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

Strike out the period after the word "purpose" in line 9, Section 4 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and by adding after said comma the following:

"provided further that the term fee simple absolute shall not necessarily include mineral rights."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rask moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

By striking out the word "or" between the words "sailors" and "marines" in line 38, in Section 4 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof a comma;

Further amend by inserting after the word "marines" in line 38, in Section 4 of the printed bill, a coma;

Further amend by striking out of lines 38 and 39 in Section 4 of the printed bill, the following words: "honorably discharged from the service of the United States" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"and others who have served with the armed forces of the United States in the European War or other wars of the United States including former American citizens who served in allied armies against the Central Powers and have been repatriated, and who have been honorably discharged, including members of the United States army and naval reserves. hereafter referred to generally as 'soldiers'."

Further amend by striking out of line 39 in Section 4 of the printed bill the word "being" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "who are."

Further amend by striking out of lines 42 and 43 in Section 4 of the printed bill the following words:

"Sailors or marines honorably discharged from the service of the United States."

Further amend by striking out of lines 45 and 46 in Section 4 of the printed bill the following words:

"Sailor or marine honorably discharged from the service of the

United States being" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "who is an."

Further amend by striking out of line 46 in Section 4 of the printed bill the word "settlers" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "settler."

Further amend by striking out of lines 7 and 8 in Section 5 of the printed bill the following:

"sailors or marines honorably discharged from the service of the United States,"

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

In Section No. 1, line 8 of printed bill, strike out the word "bi-weekly" and insert in lieu thereof the word "monthly."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

By striking out all of Section 3 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 3. Whenever an application is made to the commission by a qualified colonization and land settlement corporation, association or company for the flotation of bonds bearing the approval of the State Colonization Commission, such application shall be referred to one or more of the appraisers appointed by the commission, and such appraiser or appraisers shall investigate and make a written report upon the land offered as security for such bond issue. No such application shall be favorably acted upon by the commission unless said written report is favorable. The land settlement appraisers appointed by the commission shall make such examinations and appraisals and conduct such investigations as the commission shall direct."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

In line 44, Section 4 of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighty "

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

Strike out of line 8 and 9, Section No. 5, the following, "and the valuation of the property covered by the securities shall be at least twice the amount of the bonds."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 467 by striking out all of Section 7 of said Senate File and by renumbering Sections 8 and 9 as 7 and 8, respectively.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 467 by adding after the word "commission" where said word appears in line 16 of Section 1 of the printed bill the words "Provided no expenditures shall be incurred in excess of the moneys provided by the provisions of this act."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord moved that the Special Order on S. F. Nos. 483 and 467, be continued until Thursday, April 3, 11:00 A. M., and that S. F. No. 467 be reprinted as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 307, A bill for an act to amend subdivision three, section one, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rockne,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Madian,	Stepan,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 1, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator G. H. Sullivan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

An act to amend Section 90 of Chapter 235, General Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 29 of Chapter 119, General Laws 1917, relating to keeping roads in a passable condition by town and county boards.

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 1032, A bill for an act to amend Section 90 of Chapter 235, General Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 29 of Chapter 119, General Laws of 1917, relating to keeping roads in a passable condition by town and county boards.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 475, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Hamer,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Benson,	Cashel,	Hopp,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Reed,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Sageng,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Stepan,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, April 2, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Widell was excused for Thursday and Friday of this week.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

ST. PAUL, April 1, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 236, An act creating a board for seed potato inspection and certification, providing penalties for the violation of such provisions.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 446, A bill for an act authorizing the addition and annexation of territory to cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census.

S. F. No. 833, A bill for an act to amend Section 879, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 80, Laws 1917, relating to the compensation of County Treasurer in certain counties.

S. F. No. 612, A bill for an act relating to legislative contests in case of persons declared elected to the state legislature, and to the issuing of certificate of election to the one found to receive the highest number of votes, and to the taking and returning of evidence to the legislature

S. F. No. 485, A bill for an act to authorize the county board of certain counties to issue, sell or exchange bonds for the purpose of funding certain floating indebtedness of such county now outstanding.

S. F. No. 538, A bill for an act authorizing the printing of the annual report of the inspector of mines by the county for which he was appointed and ratifying any payments heretofore made for printing such reports.

S. F. No. 311, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of counties now or hereafter having a population of 330,000 or more to provide and maintain at the expense of the county, transportation facilities for the use of certain county officers.

S. F. No. 84, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 159 Laws 1903, relating to pensions for retired and disabled policemen.

S. F. No. 420, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this State which now or hereafter owns and maintains a Work or Correctional Farm under the provisions of Chapter 188 Gener-

al Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended, to sell and convey all or any portion of such farm, including equipment and improvements thereon.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 587, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 329, Laws of 1913, (being Section 1745, General Statutes 1913), concerning the levying of taxes in cities of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter or commission form of government for the purpose of providing musical entertainments to the public.

H. F. No. 831, A bill for an act to amend Section 2530, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the establishment, alteration and vacation of town roads.

H. F. No. 551, A bill for an act to amend Section 3564, General Statutes 1913, relating to the admission and regulation of fraternal beneficiary associations.

H. F. No. 858, A bill for an act to authorize the modification of certain contracts for the construction of county and judicial ditches.

H. F. No. 914, A bill for an act authorizing and providing for the establishment of retirement boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter, to provide the funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof.

H. F. No. 783, A bill for an act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-B of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes for the year 1913, which section is hereby amended.

H. F. No. 870, A bill for an act providing that where a patent is issued to a deceased patentee, title shall inure to and become vested in the heirs, devisees or assignees of such deceased patentee.

H. F. No. 924, A bill for an act to amend Section 4, Chapter 238, Laws 1915, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 410, Laws 1917, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.

H. F. No. 641, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90, General Laws of 1913, entitled, An act relating to railroad rates in this state and to increase the powers and further define the duties of the Board of Railroad and Warehouse

Commission in relation to the same and to define, prevent and punish unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of freight on railroads in this state, and prohibiting any railway company doing business in this state from charging or receiving any greater compensation for the transportation of a like kind or class and quantity of property or freight of any description for a shorter than for a longer distance over the same line and empowering and directing the board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission to make and promulgate a schedule of reasonable maximum rate of charges for the transportation of freight and cars and vesting said board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission with power of classification of freight and of rates and railroads and prescribing a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto and providing penalties and punishments for violations of the provisions thereof.

H. F. No. 374, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 7, Laws 1917, authorizing the Treasurer of the State of Minnesota to receive payments on sales of school and other state lands where the time limit for payment has expired or will expire on or before July 31, 1919, and the Governor of the State of Minnesota to execute payment patents therefor.

H. F. No. 1033, A bill for an act to regulate, in cities now or hereafter having over fifty thousand inhabitants, the selling or offering for sale of ice cut from certain parts of rivers or streams into which sewerage of any city or village is discharged.

H. F. No. 663, A bill for an act authorizing county boards to grant petitions of school board to have lands adjacent to or projecting into school districts set off and made a part of such districts.

H. F. No. 840, A bill for an act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.

H. F. No. 681, A bill for an act to amend Section 14, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, relating to State aid for Public Schools, and for the method of its distribution.

April 1, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1158, A bill for an act to prohibit compulsory medical examinations and treatment including dental and physical, of per-

sons residing in this state, except in certain cases, who object thereto, and, in case of minors, whose parents or guardians object thereto, and prescribing remedies against, and penalties for, violation thereof. thereof.

H. F. No. 1194, A bill for an act regulating and prescribing the amount of capital stock of banks and trust companies with reference to deposits and relating to the amount of capital stock and surplus required of state banks.

H. F. No. 777, A bill for an act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 80, A bill for an act to provide for the assessment of property subject to assessment under the provisions of Chapter 285, General Laws of 1911, omitted in the assessment of any year or years, and to provide penalties for failure to list the same.

H. F. No. 1192, A bill for an act providing for the acquisition of certain land by the University of Minnesota; the construction of buildings at the University in accordance with a comprehensive building plan; levying a tax to provide funds therefor and authorizing the issuance of certificates of indebtedness by the University for such purposes, such certificates to be paid from the proceeds of the tax levy.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

April 2, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 374, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 7, Laws 1917, authorizing the Treasurer of the State of Minnesota to receive payments on sales of school and other state lands where the time limit for payment has expired or will expire on or before July 31, 1919, and the Governor of the State of Minnesota to execute payment therefor.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Reed moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 374

be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 498, No. 6 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 498 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 374,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 498

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 551, A bill for an act to amend Section 3564, General Statutes 1913, relating to the admission and regulation of fraternal beneficiary associations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 587, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 329, Laws of 1913, (being Section 1745, General Statutes 1913), concerning the levying of taxes in cities of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter or commission form of government for the purpose of providing musical entertainments to the public.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 641, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90, General Laws of 1913, entitled, An act relating to railroad rates in this state and to increase the powers and further define the duties of the Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission in relation to the same and to define, prevent and punish unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of freight on railroads in this state, and prohibiting any railway company doing business in this state from charging or receiving any greater compensation for the transportation of a like kind or class and quantity of property or freight of any description for a shorter than for a longer distance over the same line and empowering and directing the board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission to make and promulgate a schedule of reasonable maximum rate of charges for the transportation of freight and cars and vesting said board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission with power of classification of freight and of rates and railroads and prescribing a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto and providing penalties and punishments for violations of the provisions thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

H. F. No. 663, A bill for an act authorizing county boards to grant petitions of school board to have lands adjacent to or projecting into school districts set off and made a part of such districts.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 663 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 669, No. 33 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 669 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 663

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 669

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 681, A bill for an act to amend Section 14, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, relating to State aid for Public Schools, and for the method of its distribution.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Widell moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 681 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 510, No. 20 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 510 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 681

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 510

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 783, A bill for an act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-B of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes for the year 1913, which section is hereby amended.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 831, A bill for an act to amend Section 2530, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the establishment, alteration and vacation of town roads.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

H. F. No. 840, A bill for an act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 870, A bill for an act providing that where a patent is issued to a deceased patentee, title shall inure to and become vested in the heirs, devisees or assignees of such deceased patentee.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 870 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 321, No. 67 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 321 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 870

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 321

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 858, A bill for an act to authorize the modification of certain contracts for the construction of county and judicial ditches.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

H. F. No. 924, A bill for an act to amend Section 4, Chapter 238, Laws 1915, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 410, Laws 1917, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 924 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 804, No.

59 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 804 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 924

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 804

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 914, A bill for an act authorizing and providing for the establishment of retirement boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter, to provide the funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 1033, A bill for an act to regulate, in cities now or hereafter having over fifty thousand inhabitants, the selling or offering for sale of ice cut from certain parts of rivers or streams into which sewage of any city or village is discharged.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

H. F. No. 80, A bill for an act to provide for the assessment of property subject to assessment under the provisions of Chapter 285, General Laws of 1911, omitted in the assessment of any year or years, and to provide penalties for failure to list the same.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 777, A bill for an act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

H. F. No. 1158, A bill for an act to prohibit compulsory medical examination and treatment including dental and physical, of persons residing in this state, except in certain cases, who object thereto, and, in case of minors, whose parents or guardians object thereto, and prescribing remedies against and penalties for, violation thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

H. F. No. 1192, A bill for an act providing for the acquisition of certain land by the University of Minnesota; the construction of buildings at the University in accordance with a comprehensive building plan; levying a tax to provide funds therefor and authorizing the issuance of certificates of indebtedness by the University for such purposes, such certificates to be paid from the proceeds of the tax levy.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 1194, A bill for an act regulating and prescribing the amount of capital stock of banks and trust companies with reference to deposits and relating to the amount of capital stock and surplus required of state banks.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that H. F. No. 1194 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1194

Was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 871, A bill for an act supplemental to Chapter 147, General Laws 1913, and providing for a chief deputy sheriff of the County of Beltrami, and a chief deputy clerk of the district court, resident at the village of Baudette, County of Beltrami, Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 871

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 94, A bill for an act relating to the furnishing of

samples of grain by the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, to the fees for such service, and to the breaking of seals on cars of grain.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

(1) By inserting the words "when requested by them" after the word "thereto" in Section 1, line 2.

(2) By inserting the words "and the" after the word "commission" in Section 2, line 3.

(3) By inserting the word "said" after the word "of" in Section 2, line 4.

(4) By inserting the word "his" after the word "or" in Section 2, line 4.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Vibert, from the Committee on Public Domain, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 823, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to credit payments made upon lands purchased by Hugh D. Campbell, Helen M. Torinus, Martha E. Matthews and Roy F. Curley, in Roseau county, from the State of Minnesota, under a mistake of fact, upon the purchase price of any other lands that may be purchased from the state by the persons above named within two years from the passage of this act; and directing the State Auditor to cancel the certificates of such sales.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 943, A bill for an act requiring counties to construct and maintain all highway bridges costing more than one thousand dollars.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

In Section 1, after the word "road" where such word first occurs in this section of the bill insert the words "within the county."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1032, A bill for an act to amend Section 90 of Chapter 235, General Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 29 of Chapter 119, General Laws of 1917, relating to keeping roads in a passable condition by town and county boards.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1012, A bill for an act requiring warning signs to be placed on certain roads rendered impassable by reason of the construction or improvement thereof or bridges and culverts thereon.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 984, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public markets in such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 224, A bill for an act to provide for the organization or admission and the regulation and taxation of incorporated mutual insurance companies other than life, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 6 by inserting in line 1 before the word "any" the following: "Subject to the limitations imposed upon stock insurance companies with regard to the kinds of insurance which may be transacted by one company."

Amend Section 7, paragraph (c), by inserting in line 1 after the word "application" the words "the total of."

Further amend Section 7, paragraph (c), by inserting in line 3 after the words "to invest and" the words "the total assets."

Amend Section 10 by striking out in line 6 the word "has" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "establishes and maintains as a fund to be used only for the payment of losses."

Further amend Section 10 by striking out in lines 7 and 8 the words "a surplus which is not less in amount than" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "at least equal to."

Amend Section 14 by striking out in line 6 the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight."

Amend Section 15 by adding at the end of said section the following: "Any mutual insurance company transacting the business described in Sections 3413 to 3424, inclusive, and Sections 3502 to 3515, inclusive, General Statutes, 1913, and Chapter 318, Laws of 1915, shall comply with the provisions of said sections applicable to such insurance."

Amend Section 16, subsection 2, by inserting in line 5 after the words "annual report" the words "the supervision of rates and policy forms."

Amend Section 21 by striking out in lines 1, 2 and 3, the words: "All laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed; provided, that such repeals and."

Amend Section 13 by inserting in line 9 after the words "any" the word "solvent."

Further amend Section 13 by inserting in line 10 after the word "deficient" the words "at the time of coming under the act."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 142, A bill for an act relating to premium rates of Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. The insurance rating bureau hereinafter provided

for shall file with the commissioner of insurance, on or before June 1, 1919, on behalf of its members, its classification of risks and premium rates for workmen's compensation insurance, together with its rating schedules."

Further amend by striking out the word "such" where it appears in line 1 of Section 2, and insert after the word "insurer," where it appears in line 1, the following words: "authorize to write in this state workmen's compensation insurance."

Further amend by inserting at the end of the first paragraph of Section 2 the following: "provided, that this shall not prevent the making of refunds of gains and savings by participating companies or insurers."

Further amend by striking out the words "aggrieved party may reside," where they appear in the 17th line of Section 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "office of commissioner of insurance is located."

Strike out line 3 of Section 3 and insert in lieu thereof the word "located."

Strike out the words "and liability" in line 7 of Section 3.

Strike out the words "and liability" in line 8 of Section 3.

Insert after the word "bureau," where it appears in line 10 of Section 3, the following: "and making inspections for the purposes aforesaid."

Strike out the words "or liability" in line 13 of Section 3.

In lines 6, 7, 8 and 9 of Section 4 strike out the words "The commissioner of insurance may waive such examination upon the filing with him of a report of such examination made by some other insurance department, or proper supervising official, within such three years."

In line 22, Section 4, insert after the word "bureau" the following: "and the organization and management thereof shall be subject to his approval."

In line 2, Section 6, strike out the words "its passage" and insert in lieu thereof "August 1st, 1919."

Further amend by adding at the end of Section 1 as amended the following words: "In filing such rates the pure premium, expense loading and all other loading making up such rates shall be separately shown for each classification."

Further amend by inserting after the word "thereof," where it

appears in 11th line of Section 2, the following words: "and in so doing may change the pure premium fixed by said bureau."

Further amend by adding a paragraph after the first paragraph of Section 2, which shall read as follows:

"Any company or other insurer which shall desire to make any variation from the bureau rate shall file with the commissioner of insurance and with the bureau a written statement of such variation. Such variation shall become effective fifteen (15) days after it is filed, providing that it is justified by the actual expense experience of the company and does not impair the pure premium portion of the bureau rate, and is not disapproved by the commissioner of insurance. Such variation shall be applied uniformly to all risks written by the company."

Further amend by adding at the end of paragraph 2 of Section 3 the following sentence:

"All such classifications and rates on individual risks shall be filed by the bureau with the commissioner of insurance and furnished to the members of the bureau as soon as promulgated."

Further amend by adding at the end of Section 4 the following paragraph:

"Any insurance company or other insurer writing workmen's compensation insurance in this state, in addition to all other reports required by law, shall on or before the first day of March of each year, on blanks furnished for the purpose, file with the commissioner of insurance its classified actual experience covering the year ending on the preceding 31st day of December."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 102, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 352, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to reserves and deposits under certain classes of indemnity contracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

In subdivision G of the typewritten bill following the word "Dollars" add the following: Provided, further, that in case of employers' liability or workmen's compensation insurance, there is on deposit with such attorney and available for the payment of losses

a sum of not less than seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00).

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 547, A bill for an act entitled, An act to legalize and validate certain policies of insurance affecting and relating to property destroyed in the forest fires of October 12, 1918, in Northern Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 547

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 850, A bill for an act concerning fraudulent conveyances and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 850

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 985, A bill for an act to provide for bringing on for immediate trial certain cases where the wages of the defendant has been garnisheed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 985

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 659, A bill for an act to amend Section 3564, General

Statutes 1913, relating to the admission and regulation of Fraternal Beneficiary Associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1030, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 14, Section 7951, General Statutes 1913, relating to exemptions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 1030

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 368, A bill for an act providing for general terms of District Court at Virginia, Hibbing and Ely in St. Louis county.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 368

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 849, A bill for an act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 849

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 58, A bill for an act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of felony.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 634, A bill for an act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 592, A bill for an act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the bill and in lieu thereof, insert the following:

Section 1. That Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, be amended to read as follows:

7249. Whenever any person holding a homestead under the laws of the United States dies before making final proof, and final proof has afterwards been made by his heirs or devisees, and by reason thereof a patent shall afterwards be granted to "the heirs" or to "the devisees" of such person, the District Court of the county in which the lands so patented are situated may, in a civil action brought for that purpose, determine who are such heirs or devisees, and may determine their respective shares in said homestead.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 938, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 209, Laws of Minnesota 1915, relating to procedure in case of dispute under said Workmen's Compensation Act in said chapter, and providing for the filing of papers with the clerk of the District Court.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 37, A bill for an act to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval forces of the United States engaged in the present war.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out all of Sections 1 and 2 of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 1. In any civil action pending in any court in this state, in which the defendant therein is engaged in the military or naval service of the United States, and this is made to appear to the satisfaction of the court by affidavit or other representation made by a person conversant with the facts, the court, upon its own motion may, in its discretion, and upon the application of the defendant or some person in his behalf, shall, by proper order, stay further proceedings therein during the period in which the defendant shall be engaged in such service and for not more than sixty days after his discharge therefrom.

2. Further amend the bill by changing Section 3 to Section 2: Section 4 to Section 3, and Section 5 to Section 4.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 938, 659, 102, 142, 224, 984, 1032, 823, 943 and 1012.
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 37, 592, 634, 58 and 94.
Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 1005 be taken from the table.
Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1005

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1005 be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1005, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, in all counties which now have or may hereafter have an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits, and an area of over 5,000 square miles; and repealing the provisions of any act inconsistent herewith.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Romberg,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 561, No. 130 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and county bonds issued in connection therewith.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Lee,
Benson,	Carley,	Devold,	Guilford,	Lindsley,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Loonam,
Blomgren,	Cliff,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Bonniwell,	Coleman	Gillam,	Larson,	Naplin,

Nord,	Rask,	Sageng,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Vibert,
Peterson,	Reed,	Schmechel,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Widell,
Putnam,	Ribenack,	Stepan,	Turnham,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Dwyer moved that H. F. No. 440 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 440

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Dwyer then moved that H. F. No. 440 be referred to the Committee on Labor.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 440

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cliff moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 961, No. 133 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 585, No. 35 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 585, A bill for an act to designate a state fiscal year and making appropriations available therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hammer,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Guilford moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 634 be substituted for S. F. No. 525, No. 7 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 525 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 525

Was indefinitely postponed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 757, No. 48 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 757, A bill for an act relating to the sprinkling of streets in cities of the Fourth Class, and providing for the paying of the expense thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Lee,	Reed,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that S. F. No. 337, No. 86 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that H. F. Nos. 1113 and 747 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 959, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the state government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of certain portions thereof.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to amend S. F. No. 959 by inserting after the word "propagation" in line 3 of Section 35 in the printed bill the words "for fiscal year commencing July 31, 1919."

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to further amend S. F. No. 959 by inserting between lines 3 and 4 in Section 35 of the printed bill another line designated as line 3½ which said line so inserted shall read as follows: "for game propagation for fiscal year commencing July 31, 1920—10,000.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to further amend said S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "90,000" where the same appears in line 4 of Section 35 of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof the figures "95,000."

Which amendments were adopted.

(Final passage deferred pending amendments.)

S. F. No. 294, A bill for an act to amend Section 1416, General Statutes 1913, relating to special assessments in installments for paving in cities having 20,000 inhabitants or less.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hammer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 557, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1204 and

1205, General Statutes 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hopp moved to amend S. F. No. 557 as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 557 by striking out the word "fifty" where it appears in lines 8 and 12 in Section 1 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hopp moved to amend S. F. No. 557 as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 557 by striking out the parentheses where they appear in lines 7 and 8, and in line 12, before and after the words "two hundred," in Section 1 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hopp moved to amend S. F. No. 557 as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 557 by striking out the period (.) and quotation mark (") after the word "incorporation" in line 13, Section 1, of the printed bill, insert in lieu thereof a semicolon, and the following: "provided, however, that any district, section or parts of sections which has been platted into lots and blocks, as herein provided, and which is contiguous to the state line and having a population of not less than fifty (50) inhabitants, may upon a petition of not less than ten (10) voters, residents therein, become incorporated as a village in the manner hereinafter prescribed."

Which amendment was adopted.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hopp moved to amend S. F. No. 557 as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 557 by striking out all of Section 2 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hopp moved to amend S. F. No. 557 as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 557 by striking out the words and figures "and 1205" where they appear in the title of said bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp moved that S. F. No. 557 be reprinted as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 374, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 7, Laws 1917, authorizing the Treasurer of the State of Minnesota to receive payments on sales of school and other state lands where the time limit for payment has expired or will expire on or before July 31, 1919, and the Governor of the State of Minnesota to execute payment therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 634, A bill for an act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Loonam,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gjerset.	Lee,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 722, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment

and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 454, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of the public examiner and of the several employes in his office.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 759, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by home rule charter to designate and redesignate the ward boundaries of such cities.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays one, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Devold voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 776, A bill for an act authorizing certain villages and cities to acquire land for use as a place within which to tie horses and park automobiles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:00 P. M.
Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2 P. M.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 2 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. No. 908 and H. F. No. 20, together with the Majority and Minority reports thereon.

Mr. Jackson moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre.	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lec,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

Mr. Jackson moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that the majority report on H. F. No. 20 be adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved, as a substitute for the motion as offered by Mr. Jackson, that the Minority Report on H. F. No. 20 be adopted.

The question being taken on the adoption of the Minority Report on H. F. No. 20 and S. F. No. 908,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 31 and nays 35, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Putnam,	Ward,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Reed,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Brooks,	Gooding,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Palmer,	Turnham,	

Those who voted in the negative were :

Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Millett,	Sageng,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Nord,	Stepan,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Swanson,
Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Rask,	Vibert,
Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the Minority Report was not adopted.

The question being taken on the adoption of the Majority Report on H. F. No. 20 and S. F. No. 908,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 33 and nays 33, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Besette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Orr,	Swanson,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Loonam,	Rask,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Devold,	Jackson,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Benson,	Cesgrove,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the Majority Report was declared not adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Carley moved that the Special Order on H. F. No. 20 and S. F. No. 908 be continued until 10:15 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, April 3, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Boylan, Loonam and Conroy were excused for this afternoon.

Messrs. Benson and Larson were excused for Friday and Saturday of this week.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 10:15 A. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of H. F. No. 20 and S. F. No. 908.

Mr. Jackson moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millet,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,

Mr. Jackson moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 20,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 20, A bill for an act creating a state industrial accident compensation board of the State of Minnesota; creating an industrial accident compensation fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board, and of compensation, as provided by Part II, Chapter 467, General Law 1913, as amended, to injured employees and to the dependents of employees who may be killed in the course of their employment, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Jackson moved to amend H. F. No. 20, by striking out of line 2, Section 17, of the printed bill, the figures "13" where the same appears and insert in lieu thereof the figure "14."

Further amend H. F. No. 20, by striking out of line 2 of Section 18, of the printed bill the figure "14" and where the same appears and insert in lieu thereof the figure "15."

Also amend said Section 18, by striking out of line 10 the figure "19" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "20."

Further amend H. F. No. 20 by striking out of line 2 of Section 22 of the printed bill the word "employer" where the same appears and insert in lieu thereof the word "employees," also amend said Section 22, by striking out of line 4 the words "of its" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such."

Further amend H. F. No. 20 by inserting in line 2 of Section

23, of the printed bill, after the words "General Laws" the figures "1913."

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 20 by striking out the words and figures "five thousand (\$5,000)" where they occur in lines 1 and 2 of Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "four thousand five hundred (\$4,500) dollars."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Gjerset moved to amend H. F. No. 20 by inserting after the word "employment" in the ninth line of Section 22 of the printed bill the following: "Except policies to indemnify, secure or protect such employers as shall have elected and been permitted to carry their own risks under the provisions of this act."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 26 and nays 40, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Nolan,	Van Hoven.
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Ward.
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell.
Cliff,				

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Swanson,
Carley,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Turnham,
Coleman,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Conroy,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,	Wold.

So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Adams moved to amend H. F. No. 20 as follows:

1. Strike out the word "if" at the beginning of line 1 of Section 20 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "either party in case of."

2. Strike out all of line 1 in Section 20 of the printed bill after the word "death."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Fowler moved to amend the Senate printed bill of H. F. No. 20, as follows by striking out all of Section 22 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Any employer who is responsible for compensation as provided under Part II Chapter 467, Laws 1913 and amendatory acts thereto, may insure the risk in any company, association or other insurer authorized to write such insurance in this state. Any such employer so insuring his risk under Part II Chapter 467 Laws 1913 as amended shall furnish said board with a certificate of insurance from the company, association or other insurer than insuring it and upon the filing of such certificate of insurance such employer shall not be required to pay the charges provided for in Section 15 of this act nor to make the reports required in Section 10 of this act except insofar as they relate to injuries to his employes and to the adjustment and settlement of compensation claims arising under Part II Chapter 467 Laws 1913 and amendatory acts."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 34 and nays 32, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 9 and nays 57, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Fowler,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Turnham,	Widell,
Gooding,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Ward,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Callahan,	Coleman,	Denegre,
Baldwin,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Conroy,	Devold,
Benson,	Boylan,	Cashel,	Cosgrove,	Dwyer,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Cliff,	Cumming,	Erickson,

Gandrud,	Jackson,	McGarry,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Gillam,	Johnson,	Millett,	Reed,	Swanson,
Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Hall,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Hamer,	Larson,	Orr,	Romberg,	Wold,
Handlan,	Lee,	Palmer,	Sageng,	
Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	
Hopp,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Stepan,	

So the bill failed to pass.

S. F. No. 908,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 908, A bill for an act changing the administration of Part II of the Workmen's Compensation Law; providing for a Workmen's Compensation Board to have original jurisdiction over all matters herein specified in place of the district courts; empowering the Commissioner of Insurance to supervise the licensing and regulating of insurance carriers writing workmen's compensation in this state, empowering the Workmen's Compensation Board to license adjusters as in this act provided and imposing penalties for the violation thereof; prescribing the powers, duties and manner of procedure of the Workmen's Compensation Board; providing for co-operation of the Workmen's Compensation Board and the State Department of Labor and Industries whenever the work of that department and the Workmen's Compensation Board is interrelated, and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 908, as follows:

1. By striking out the letter "d" in the word "engaged" in line 26, Section 5.
2. Amend by striking out the letters "GL" wherever they occur in said bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "Laws."
3. Amend by striking out the word "the" preceding the word "business" in the second line of Section 6.
4. Amend by striking out the word "by" following the words "in place of" in the sixth line of Section 6.
5. Amend by inserting the words "and amendatory acts" after the figures "1913" in the tenth line of Section 6.
6. Amend by striking out the word "with" in line 16 of Section 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and".
7. Amend by striking out the words "signed and filed with" in line 17 of Section 6 and insert in lieu thereof the words "approved by".
8. Amend by striking out paragraph "A" in lines 6 and 7 in Section 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Any person aggrieved by any final award of the Board made under the provisions of this act may appeal therefrom to the District Court of the county in which the injury occurred, upon questions of law only, by serving written notice of appeal upon the Board, or the secretary, within thirty (30) days after the date of the award, which notice of appeal shall designate the grounds upon which a review is sought. The Board shall thereupon, and within twenty (20) days after the date of the service of said notice, file with the Clerk of the Court designated in said notice a certified copy of said award and the findings of fact upon which the same was based, which shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated. Thereupon the Court shall summarily hear and determine the questions of law involved in said appeal.

"An appeal from the determination of the District Court may be taken to the Supreme Court as in civil actions."

9. Amend by striking out all of Section 9 except the caption thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Upon the application directed to the Board alleging fraud, mistake or coercion the Board shall review the agreement for compensation and shall notify all parties interested therein and shall hold a hearing at which the parties in interest shall be heard and thereafter the Board may modify, reform or terminate any agreement or award previously made or approved whenever it shall appear to the satisfaction of the Board that the original agreement or award was entered into or procured by fraud, mistake or coercion. The Board may modify, reform or terminate any agreement or award at any time by supplemental agreement of the parties approved by the Board on the ground that the incapacity of the injured party has increased, decreased or terminated or the status of any dependent has changed."

10. Amend by striking out the word "document" in the 18th and 19th lines of Section 10 and insert in lieu thereof the words "files and records in his possession."

11. Amend by striking out the words "to the parties of any petition" in line 5 of Section 11.

12. Amend by inserting the word "or" after the word "Board" in line 10 of Section 11 and by striking out of said line 10 of Section 11 "or authorized representative."

13. Amend by inserting the word "or" after the word "Board" in line 11 of Section 11 and by striking out of said line 11 of Section 11 "or authorized representative."

14. Amend Section 12 by striking out all thereof, except the caption and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"If an injured employee is mentally incompetent or is a minor at the time when any right or privilege accrues to him under this act or under the provisions of Chapter 467, Laws 1913, and amendatory acts, the board may in its discretion require the appointment of a guardian to make settlement for such incompetent or minor and to receive moneys thereunder or under an award."

15. Amend Section 13 by striking out paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 contained in lines 4 to 13, both inclusive.

16. Amend Section 14 by striking out all thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Accidents to be reported to board. On and after August 1, 1919, every employer subject to the provisions of Part II, Chapter 467, Laws 1913 and amendatory acts, or his insurer on his behalf, shall make to the Board such reports of accidents as are now required by the provisions of Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 416 Laws 1913, to be made to the Department of Labor and Industries and for failure so to do shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Every employer so reporting to the Board shall be relieved of making a report to the Department of Labor and Industries concerning any accident so reported to the Board."

17. Amend Section 17 by striking out all thereof, except the caption and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"This act shall take effect and be in force from and after August 1st, 1919, except such parts thereof which authorizes the appointment of the members of the board, the employment by the board or a secretary and other clerical assistants and matters relating to the organization of the Workmen's Compensation Board and the payment of their respective salaries and expenses as to which last specified matters this act shall take effect on June 1st, 1919."

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Cashel moved to amend S. F. No. 908 as printed with proposed amendments as follows:

1. Insert after the word "Minnesota" in line 2 of Section 1 the words "and hereinafter referred to as the Board."

2. Strike out of lines 3 and 4 of Section 2 the words "of the State of Minnesota of 1913, Part II of Chapter 467 and amendatory acts thereto," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "be-

ing Part II of Chapter 467, Laws of 1913, and acts amendatory thereof."

3. Strike out of lines 7 and 8 of Section 4 the words "the chairman of the said board or other commissioner" and insert in lieu thereof "the secretary of said board."

4. Strike out the word "thereto" in line 8 of Section 5 and insert in lieu thereof the word "thereof."

5. Strike out the letter "e" at the end of the word "therefore" in line 13 of Section 5.

6. Strike out of lines 20 and 21 of Section 5 the words "or before three impartial expert referees appointed by the court and shall file their report within ten days after the hearing."

7. In line 26 of paragraph (a) of Section 5 strike out the letter "d" at the end of the word "engaged."

8. Insrt after the word "Minnesota" in line 27 of paragraph (a) of Section 5 the words "being Chapter 467 Laws."

9. In line 30 of paragraph (a) of Section 5 strike out the word "one (\$1.00) dollar" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two (\$2.00) dollars."

10. Before the word "revoked" in line 34 of paragraph (b) of Section 5 insert the words "suspended or."

11. In line 37 of paragraph (b) of Section 5 after the word "suspended" insert the words "or revoked."

12. In line 2 of Section 6 strike out the word "the" where it first appears.

13. Insert after the word "and" where it first appears in line 2 of Section 6 the word "a," and insert after the word "vacancy" in said line the words "in the board."

14. Strike out the period after the word "provided" in line 12 of paragraph (b) of Section 6 and insert the following, "but said courts shall retain jurisdiction of any and all actions, suits or proceedings pending before them at the time this act takes effect, such jurisdiction to remain until such actions, suits and proceedings are finally determined."

15. Strike out the words "considered as officers" in line 8 of Section 10 and insert in lieu thereof the words "public officers."

16. Insert after the word "prescribed" in line 9 of Section 10 the words "for such officers."

18. Strike out the word "thereto" at the end of line 21 of Section 10 and insert in lieu thereof the word "thereof."

19. Strike out the words "for any county" in line 2 of Section 13 and insert in lieu thereof "in the county where the injury occurred."

20. Strike out of lines 2 and 3 of Section 14 the words "or his insurer on his behalf."

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 15 and nays 51, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Putnam,	Ward,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill failed to pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Nord moved that the Special Order on S. F. Nos. 483 and 467, be continued until Wednesday, April 9, 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Nolan moved that H. F. No. 1194 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1194,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Nolan then moved that H. F. No. 1194 be referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1194,

Was referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Coleman moved that the Memorial Exercises set for today be postponed until Tuesday, April 8, 2 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Special Order on S. F. No. 381 be continued until 11 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the Senate do now recess until 3 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3 P. M.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Numerous petitions from ministers throughout the state, urging the passage of the Putnam-Moen bill were read, ordered not printed and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, April 2, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

Inspectors of Steam Vessels and Boilers—

Leander H. Fischer, Mower County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 5.

Jacob Brick, Stearns County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 46.

H. W. Gehr, Wadena County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 51.

L. G. Morical, Cass County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 52.

Ole Engstad, Hubbard County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 63.

Fred Prahl, Brown County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 14.

George Bonniwell, McLeod County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 22.

J. J. Chellin, Meeker County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 26.

John Hesli, Anoka County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 44.

Henry H. Knoll, Wright County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 27.

Al. Zillgitt, Wabasha County, for the term ending January 31, 1921; Senatorial District No. 3.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 2, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 63, An act to amend Section 1427 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Section 6, of Chapter 343, of the General Laws of the year 1909, relating to the teacher's retirement fund in cities of the first class, as amended by Chapter 300 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.

S. F. No. 230, An act relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed by a board of tax levy, or other corresponding body, and requiring that the estimate of the county board for said fund shall be allowed in full and included in the tax levy.

S. F. No. 246, An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 273 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the levying of a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainment in public buildings or upon public grounds in incorporated villages.

S. F. No. 286, An act providing for the appointment of court reporters in the thirteenth and seventeenth judicial dis-

tricts of this state defining the duties and fixing the compensation of such reporters.

S. F. No. 315, An act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections, and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections.

S. F. No. 535, An act fixing the salaries and expense allowance of county commissioners in all counties of this State, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than two hundred and fifty million (\$250,000,000) dollars, and an area of more than five thousand (5,000) square miles.

S. F. No. 537, An act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, register of deeds, superintendent of schools, judge of probate, and providing for the number of assistants, deputies, clerks and other help thereon and their compensation, in all counties now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of more than 5,000 square miles.

S. F. No. 541, An act fixing the salary of county auditors in certain counties.

S. F. No. 568, An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in adjoining counties, to expend the proceeds thereof for said purpose in any one year regardless of existing limitations; and to authorize such board to act jointly or concurrently with the county board of such adjoining county, or the governing body of any municipality therein in the matter of constructing or improving of any such road or roads.

S. F. No. 575, An act creating pensions for disabled and retired policemen in cities now or hereafter having a population of 20,000 and not over 50,000 inhabitants, and providing for a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid, and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and disbursement of such funds.

S. F. No. 781, An act to authorize the county board of any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 150,000 nor more than 220,000 inhabitants, and an area of over 5,000 square miles to establish by purchase or lease an industrial home school for girls; and to provide for the maintenance of the same.

S. F. No. 822, An act to amend Section 826, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 82, Laws 1917, relating to compensation of County Auditor in certain counties.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST.

Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 31, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of sleighs.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 2, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Hegnes moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 31, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hall,	Millelt,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Devold,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Or,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Rask,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Hopp,	Romberg,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Sageng,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Handlan,	Lee,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to provide for the erection of armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages.

H. F. No. 788, A bill for an act to amend section 14 of Chapter 441 of the laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-A added to Chapter 44 of the General Statutes of 1913, which section is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

H. F. No. 937, A bill for an act to provide in certain cases for the separation from cities containing 10,000 inhabitants or less, and from school districts contained in such cities, of unplatted agricultural lands included in the corporate limits of such city, and attaching the same to an adjoining town and school district in the same county.

H. F. No. 1147, A bill for an act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made.

H. F. No. 388, A bill for an act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913, relating to salaries of the municipal court of the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 766, A bill for an act designating the place of trials of actions brought upon wind, hail, fire or lightning insurance policies within the state of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 370, A bill for an act to authorize any city of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of arching, covering over or diverting any creek in such city.

April 3, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 521, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 202, session laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the salary of register of deeds in certain counties.

S. F. No. 309, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 488, Laws of 1917, relating to state assignment, tax sale certificates or forfeited sale tax certificates, and limiting the time within which notices of expiration of redemption may be issued or served upon such certificates, and declaring void all such certificates upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and extinguishing the lien of all such certificates and the lien of the taxes for the year or years described therein upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and the lien of all subsequent taxes paid under any such certificate.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1141, A bill for an act fixing compensation for clerk hire in offices of registers of deeds in certain counties of the state.

H. F. No. 1176, A bill for an act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.

April 2, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 976, A bill for an act to legalize mortgages or deeds of trust executed by public service corporations in certain cases.

April 2, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 442, A bill for an act requiring adjoining towns to bear, in equal shares, the expense of constructing and maintaining bridges on roads on the lines between such towns in certain cases, and providing for the award of damages to each such town in drainage proceedings.

April 2, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 163, A bill for an act providing for the Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; defining its powers and duties and appropriating money for carrying out the purposes thereof.

April 2, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 274, A bill for an act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of the County Treasurers in counties of this state, containing not less than 38 congressional townships of land, nor more than 42 congressional townships of land, and having an assessed valuation of not less than eight million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

April 2, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 240, A bill for an act classifying telephone companies for purposes of taxation, providing the method by which the property of the companies in each class shall be taxed and fixing the rate of taxation for each class.

April 2, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1178, A bill for an act creating a State Budget Commission and defining the powers and duties thereof.

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the State Educational Institutions and for other purposes.

April 2, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 409, A bill for an act entitled, An act legalizing proceedings heretofore taken by any city of the fourth class in reference to the issuance of bonds under the provisions of Chapter 205, Laws, 1909, as amended by Chapter 253, Laws, 1915, and legalizing the bonds of said city already or hereafter issued in pursuance of proceedings already begun under such act as so amended.

S. F. No. 228, A bill for an act fixing the clerk hire of the County Auditor in counties now or hereafter having not less than thirty-eight nor more than forty-two congressional townships and now or hereafter having a taxable valuation of not less than eight million dollars.

S. F. No. 406, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section Seven (7), Article Six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, changing the length of the term of the judge of the probate court.

S. F. No. 393, A bill for an act to authorize the Minnesota Historical Society to act as custodian of state and local archives, and to provide for the collection and administration of public records.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 3, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 1141, A bill for an act fixing compensation for clerk hire in offices of registers of deeds in certain counties of the state.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 1176, A bill for an act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 1178, A bill for an act creating a state budget commission and defining the powers and duties thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the state educational institutions and for other purposes.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 240, A bill for an act classifying telephone companies for purposes of taxation, providing the method by which the property of the companies in each class shall be taxed and fixing the rate of taxation for each class.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 370, A bill for an act to authorize any city of the first class not governed by a home rule charter to issue and sell its

bonds for the purpose of arching, covering over or diverting any creek in such city.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 388, A bill for an act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913, relating to salaries of the Municipal Court of the City of St. Paul.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 937, A bill for an act to provide in certain cases for the separation from cities containing 10,000 inhabitants or less, and from school districts contained in such cities, of unplatted agricultural lands included in the corporate limits of such city, and attaching the same to an adjoining town and school district in the same county.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Millett moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 937 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 768, No. 19 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 768 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 937,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 768,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to provide for the erection of armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 766, A bill for an act designating the place of trials of actions brought upon wind, hail, fire or lightning insurance policies within the State of Minnesota.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 1147, A bill for an act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 788, A bill for an act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-A added to Chapter 44 of the General Statutes of 1913, which section is hereby amended.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners or the body charged with control of the park system of any city now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 and not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, to build and construct or cause to be built and constructed, sidewalks and curb and gutter along the parkways of any such city and assess the cost thereof on abutting property.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners or the body charged with control of the park system of any city now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 and not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, to build and construct or cause to be built and constructed, sidewalks and curb and gutter along the parkways of any such city and assess the cost thereof on abutting property.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1020,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners or the body charged with control of the park system of any city now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 and not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, to build and construct or cause to be built and constructed, sidewalks and curb and gutter along the parkways of any such city and assess the cost thereof on abutting property.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 177, A bill for an act to amend Section 8207, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 351, General Laws 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employes for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 444, A bill for an act to regulate the making of abstracts of title to real estate, and to provide security to the public against errors, omissions and defects therein.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 444,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 875, A bill for an act fixing the rate of interest upon unpaid state auditor's drafts in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof, insert the following:

Section 1. Drafts issued by the state auditor for claims due the state and delivered to the state treasurer for collection shall be paid within thirty days after date thereof, or if any such claim is due at a certain date the same shall be paid within thirty days thereafter. If not paid within such period interest shall accrue and be collected upon the principal of such claims at the rate of eight per cent per annum from date of the draft or date when due. Provided, the provisions of this act shall not apply to drafts issued for timber stumpage, taxes, or for amounts due for principal or interest upon state loans, or other claims due the state where the interest is now provided by law.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred:

S. F. No. 842, A bill for an act to amend Sections 7026 and 7028 General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to liens for labor and materials for improvement of real estate, and providing for releasing property from the mechanics' liens under certain conditions.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of the bill after the enacting clause and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 1. That Section 7026 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

7026. The lien shall cease at the end of ninety days after doing the last of such work, or furnishing the last item of such skill, material, or machinery, unless within such period a statement of the claim therefor be filed for record with the register of deeds of the county in which the improved premises are situated, or, if the claim

be made under Section 7022, with the secretary of state. Such statement shall be made by or at the instance of the lien claimant, be verified by the oath of some person shown by such verification to have knowledge of the facts stated, and shall set forth:

1. A notice of intention to claim and hold a lien, and the amount thereof.

2. That such amount is due and owing to the claimant for labor performed, or for skill, material, or machinery furnished, and for what improvement the same was done or supplied.

3. The names of the claimant, and of the person for or to whom performed or furnished.

4. The dates when the first and last items of the claimant's contribution to the improvement were made.

5. A description of the premises to be charged, identifying the same with reasonable certainty.

6. The name of the owner thereof at the time of making such statement, according to the best information then had.

7. The address of the claimant and his agent or attorney then residing in the State of Minnesota authorized to accept service of summons or process in relation to the lien claim.

Section 2. That Section 7028, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

7028. Such liens may be enforced by action in the district court of the county in which the improved premises or some part thereof are situated, or if claimed under Section 7022, of any county through or into which said railway or other line extends, which action shall be begun and conducted in the same manner as actions for the foreclosure of mortgages upon real estate, except as herein otherwise provided, but the owner or any mortgagee of the property against which a lien has been filed under the provisions of this chapter may bring an action to remove the lien in the nature of an action to determine adverse claims and subject to all the provisions of law regarding actions to determine adverse claims.

When an action has been brought either by the lien claimant to enforce his lien or by the owner or mortgagee of the property against which a lien claim has been filed to determine adverse claims as provided herein, application may be made at any time after such action has been commenced by either the owner or mortgagee to have the property affected by any such lien released from the lien by giving ten days' notice, or such other and shorter notice as the

court may order and direct, to the lien claimant, or his attorney, of intention to apply to the district court for the release of such lien and of the time and place of hearing. Upon a hearing upon an application the court shall fix a sum of money to be deposited by the applicant with the clerk of the district court which sum shall not be less than the aggregate amount of, (1) the amount claimed in the lien statement, (2) twelve (\$12.00) dollars for every one hundred (\$100.00) dollars or fraction thereof, to cover interest, (3) the probable disbursements in an action to enforce the claim for which the lien statement was filed, (4) an amount not less than double the amount of attorneys fees allowed upon the foreclosure of mortgages under Section 8170, General Statutes of 1913, to cover any allowance the court may make upon the trial for costs and attorneys fees. Upon making a deposit in the amount so fixed in the order of court, an order shall be made by the court releasing the premises described in the statement thereof from the effect of such lien. The lien claimant shall have the same right of lien against such money deposit that he had against the property released. The order releasing the lien may be filed in the office of the register of deeds or registrar of titles, if registered land, of the county in which the lien statement is recorded or filed, and thereupon the premises affected shall be released therefrom. The court shall by the same order discharge any notice of lis pendens filed in any action in which such lien may be asserted if it appears that all mechanics' liens filed or recorded against the property covered by the lis pendens have been released.

After the release of the property affected, the judgment ordered in any action either to enforce such lien or determine adverse claims and remove such lien, in the event that the lien is established, shall provide that it be paid, and it shall be paid without further proceedings out of the deposit made as provided herein. The judgment of the district court establishing a lien, unless a written notice of intention to appeal therefrom is served on the clerk of the district court within thirty days from the entry of such judgment, shall be authority to such clerk to pay the amount specified in such judgment to the person or persons entitled thereto, or his or their attorney of record in the action. The balance of deposits, if any, shall be returned to the depositor. If the lien was not a valid and enforceable one, the judgment shall direct the return of the whole deposit to the depositor unless the claimant obtains judgment against such depositor personally, and in such case such judgment shall be paid as hereinbefore specified.

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Orr, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 306, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1, 2 and 3, Chapter 65, of the laws of 1915, relating to mutual liability insurance associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 947, A bill for an act to amend Section 4139 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the State Board of Visitors for public institutions in the State of Minnesota and providing for the appointment of at least one woman member thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 92, A bill for an act entitled, An act to create and maintain a legislative reference department in connection with the State Law Library.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the following words where the same appear in Section 3 of the original Act: "a committee consisting of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, or a justice of that court nominated by the Chief Justice, the Attorney General, and the librarian of the State Law Library. Such committee may provide for payment out of such funds of such compensation to said director for his services, additional to his compensation as librarian otherwise provided for, as they shall deem proper." And that there be substituted in place thereof the following:

"The Justices of the Supreme Court who shall direct such purchases of books, pamphlets and documents therefor, and such sales and exchanges therefrom as they may deem best. They shall also adopt rules for the government of such department and the management of its affairs."

That a new section be added to said bill to be known as Section 4, reading as follows:

Section 4. The Justices of the Supreme Court and the Law Librarian are hereby authorized to appoint a legislative reference assistant at a salary not exceeding \$2500.00 per annum and one stenographer at a salary not exceeding \$1200.00 per annum, and are further authorized to expend a sum not exceeding \$1,000.00 per annum for the purchases of books, pamphlets and documents, and for other miscellaneous expenses in connection with said department.

That there be added a new section to said bill to be known as Section 5 reading as follows:

"Section 5. That the sum of four thousand seven hundred (\$4700.00) dollars be and the same hereby is appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to carry out the provisions of this act."

That Section 4 of the original bill be amended by striking out all of said section and that there be inserted in place thereof to be known as Section 6 reading as follows:

"Section 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after August 1, 1920."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 101, A bill for an act concerning, and defining the rights, duties and responsibilities of inn keepers, hotel keepers and landlords, and for the protection of their guests, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Sections 6080, 6081, 8969, General Statutes 1913, and Section 5164, Revised Laws 1905.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out everything after the title and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 1. No inn or hotel keeper who has constantly in his or its inn or hotel a metal safe or suitable vault in good order and fit for the custody of money, bank notes, jewelry, articles of gold and silver manufacture, precious stones, personal ornaments, railway mileage books or tickets, negotiable or valuable papers, and bullion, and who keeps on the doors of the sleeping rooms used by guests suitable locks or bolts and suitable fastenings on the transoms and windows of said rooms and who keeps a copy of this section, printed in distinct type, constantly and conspicuously posted in the office and on the inside of the entrance door to every bedroom and to every parlor and other public room in the building, shall be liable for the loss of or injury to property suffered by any guest unless such guest has offered to deliver the same to such inn keeper or hotel keeper for custody in such metal safe or vault, and such inn keeper or hotel keeper has omitted or refused to take the same and deposit it in such safe or vault for custody and to give such guest a receipt therefor. Provided, however, that the keeper of any such inn or hotel shall not be liable for the loss, destruction or injury of or to any property hereinbefore described for more than the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) unless the same shall be lost, destroyed or injured through theft or negligence of such inn keeper or hotel keeper.

Section 2. For the loss of or injury to the kind of baggage or property enumerated in this section, when actually delivered to the hotel proprietor or inn keeper for safe keeping elsewhere than in the room assigned to such guest the hotel proprietor or inn keeper shall not be liable unless such hotel proprietor or inn keeper shall have given the guest a check or receipt therefor to evidence such delivery; and when so received and checked the liability shall be limited to the following amounts:

\$150 for each trunk and its contents.

\$50 for each valise or traveling case and its contents.

\$10 for each box, parcel, package and its contents.

\$50 for wearing apparel.

Provided that if any such property of a guest when not so delivered for safe keeping shall be lost or injured in such hotel or inn through the negligence of such hotel proprietor or inn keeper, such hotel proprietor or inn keeper shall be liable for the actual value thereof.

Section 3. For the loss of or injury to baggage or property of a guest not enumerated in either of the foregoing sections, such as trunks, valises, traveling cases or other receptacles not suitable to be placed in the safe, containing property of special or unusual value delivered to the hotel proprietor or inn keeper for safe keeping or other purpose, the hotel proprietor or inn keeper shall not be liable unless the owner or person delivering such property shall at the time of such delivery acquaint such hotel proprietor or inn keeper with the approximate value thereof, and, if demanded, with the nature of the contents thereof; and such hotel proprietor or inn keeper shall receive such property and give a check or receipt therefor; and in such case the liability shall not exceed the actual value of such receptacle and contents lost or the amount of the actual injury thereto.

And provided further, that whenever any person shall suffer his baggage or property to remain in any hotel after leaving such hotel as a guest, and after the relation of inn keeper and guest has ceased, or shall forward the same to such hotel before becoming a guest, and the same shall be received into such hotel, such hotel proprietor after the lapse of ten days may, at his or its option hold such baggage or property at the risk of such owner, or he shall have the right to deposit such baggage or property in a storage warehouse, in which event he shall take from the proprietor of such storage warehouse a receipt for the same in the name of the owner thereof, and hold the same for such owner; and such hotel proprietor, after he shall have so deposited such baggage or property in such storage warehouse, shall not be responsible for the loss thereof to such owner, provided he shall deliver to the owner of such baggage or property said storage warehouse receipt upon demand.

Section 4. Every inn keeper, hotel keeper and every keeper of a boarding house or lodging house, whether individual, copartnership or corporation, shall have a lien upon and may retain the possession of all the baggage and other effects brought into his or its inn, hotel, boarding house or lodging house by any guest, boarder or lodger, whether the same is the individual property of such guest, boarder or lodger, or under his control, or the property of any other person for whose board, lodging or other accommodation the person contracting for such board and lodging is liable for the proper charges owing such inn keeper, hotel keeper or keeper of a boarding house or lodging house for any board, lodging or other accommodation furnished to or for such guest, boarder or lodger, and for all money paid out for or advanced to any such guest, boarder or lodger, not to exceed

the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200), and for such extras as are furnished at the written request signed by such guest, boarder or lodger until the amount of such charges are paid, and any execution, attachment or other process levied upon such baggage or effects shall be subject to such inn keeper's lien and the cost of satisfying it.

Section 5. The inn keeper or hotel keeper may retain such baggage and other property upon which he has a lien for good, board or lodging furnished to the owner thereof, for a period of ninety (90) days, at the expiration of which time if such lien is not satisfied, such baggage and other property may be sold at public auction to satisfy said lien and the costs of sale. The sale shall be made by a sheriff or constable upon the notice and in the manner provided for in the case of sale under execution from justice courts.

Section 6. Any person who shall obtain food, lodging or other accommodations at any hotel, lodging house, inn, boarding or eating house, without paying therefor, with intent to defraud the owner or manager thereof, or who obtains credit at any hotel, lodging house, inn, boarding or eating house by or through any false pretense, or by or through the aid, assistance or influence of any baggage or effects in his or her possession and control, but not actually belonging to such person, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100), or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ninety (90) days.

Section 7. Proof that food, lodging or other accommodations was obtained by false pretense or by false or fictitious show or pretense of baggage or other property, or proof that the person refused or neglected to pay for such food, lodging or other accommodation on demand, or that he gave in payment of such food, lodging or other accommodation negotiable paper on which payment was refused, or that he absconded without offering to pay for such food, lodging or other accommodation, or that he surreptitiously removed or attempted to remove his or her baggage, shall be prima facie proof of the fraudulent intent mentioned in Section 6 hereof; but this act shall not apply where there has been an agreement in writing for delay in payment for a period to exceed ten days.

Section 8. Sections 6080, 6081 and 8969, General Statutes

1913, and Section 5164 of the Revised Laws of 1905, and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 92, 947, 306, 842, 875 and 177,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 101,

Was read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1011, No. 47 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1011, A bill for an act authorizing the County Sanitorium Commission in any county of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting a new building or buildings for enlarging such sanitorium in the manner now provided by law, to issue properly authenticated vouchers or warrants upon the sanitorium fund of said county, not exceeding the total amount permitted by law to be levied as a tax upon the taxable property of said county for the maintenance of such sanitorium.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,
Benson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	Nord,	Swanson,
Beylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson moved that H. F. No. 641 be recalled from the Committee on Railroads.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 641,

Was recalled from the Committee on Railroads.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 641 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 798, No. 34 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 798 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 641,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 798,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Orr moved that H. F. No. 551 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 551,

Was recalled from the Committee on Judiciary.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Orr moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 551 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 659, No. 141 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 659 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 551,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 659,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hamer moved that H. F. No. 1147 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1147,

Was recalled from the Committee on Judiciary.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1147, A bill for an act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1147,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1147, A bill for an act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Orr,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved that H. F. No. 1141 be recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1141,

Was recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1141, A bill for an act fixing compensation for clerk hire in offices of registers of deeds in certain counties of the state.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1141,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1141, A bill for an act fixing compensation for clerk hire in offices of registers of deeds in certain counties of the state.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Orr,	Wold,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Larson,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 577, No. 38 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 577, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and towns, having a population of not less than five thousand, and an assessed valuation of not less than ten million and not governed by any special charter adopted by such village, pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, State Constitution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Wold,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 320, No. 13 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 320, A bill for an act to authorize the leasing of Douglas Lodge and certain other buildings in Itasca State Park.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 65, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota providing for an eight hour work day for persons engaged and employed in certain pursuits.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Devold moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Mr. Devold moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 20 and nays 41, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Erickson,	Madigan,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Hall,	Millett,	Rask,	Swanson,
Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Reed,	Turnham,
Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Ribenack,	Ward,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Sageng,	

So the bill failed to pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTIETH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, April 4, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. John William Bagot.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hegnes.	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Adams, Blomgren, Johnson, Naplin, Orr and Vibert were excused for tomorrow.

Messrs. Nord and Kingsbury were excused for Saturday and Monday.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ST. PAUL, April 2, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,

President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 84, An act to amend Chapter 159, Laws 1903, relating to pensions for retired and disabled policemen.

S. F. No. 311, An act authorizing county boards of counties now or hereafter having a population of 330,000 or more to provide and maintain at the expense of the county, transportation facilities for the use of certain county officers.

S. F. No. 446, An act authorizing the addition and annexation of territory to cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census.

S. F. No. 485, An act to authorize the county board of certain counties to issue, sell or exchange bonds for the purpose of funding certain floating indebtedness of such county now outstanding.

S. F. No. 538, An act authorizing the printing of the annual report of the inspector of mines by the county for which he was appointed and ratifying any payments heretofore made for printing such reports.

S. F. No. 612, An act relating to legislative contests in case of persons declared elected to the State Legislature, and to the issuing of certificate of election to the one found to receive the highest number of votes, and to the taking and returning of evidence to the legislature.

S. F. No. 833, An act to amend Section 879, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 80, Laws 1917, relating to the compensation of county treasurer in certain counties.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

ST. PAUL, April 3, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 420, An act authorizing any county in this state which now or hereafter owns and maintains a work or correctional farm under the provisions of Chapter 188 General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended, to sell and convey all or any portion of such farm, including equipment and improvements thereon.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

ST. PAUL, April 4, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator G. H. Sullivan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

A bill for an act to authorize any village in this State situate upon a river forming the boundary between the State of Minnesota and any other State to operate a ferry across such river.

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1 of Article 4 of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., introduced—

S. F. No. 1033, A bill for an act to authorize any village in this State situate upon a river forming the boundary between the State of Minnesota and any other State to operate a ferry across such river.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended and that, S. F. No. 1033, A bill for an act to authorize any village in this State situate upon a river forming the boundary between the State of Minnesota and any other State to operate a ferry across such river.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1033

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1033, A bill for an act to authorize any village in this State situate upon a river forming the boundary between the State of Minnesota and any other State to operate a ferry across such river.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Ward,
Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 385, A bill for an act to amend Section 720 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to a tuberculosis sanatoria.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 385

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 951, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 324, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915, entitled "An act creating and establishing a State Reformatory for Women" authorizing the State Board of Control to select and acquire for the

state a suitable tract of land to be used as a site for the purpose, appropriating money therefor, and directing said Board of Control to prepare plans and estimates for the necessary buildings and improvements, for submission to the Legislature of 1921, and providing for an advisory board of women visitors and prescribing their duties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 951

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 552, A bill for an act to allow school buildings to be used as polling places.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 552

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 643, A bill for an act, providing for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing. Also covering the construction, alteration and repair of all plumbing and house drainage in the State of Minnesota and providing for the appointment and duties of plumbing inspectors and providing punishment for a violation of this act, and appropriating money to carry this act into effect.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 643

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 974, A bill for an act to provide for safety to life and property in this state in the construction and use of steam boilers;

prescribing rules for the safe and proper construction of steam boilers used in this state; to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 974

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 770, A bill for an act to amend subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 770

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 607, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 607

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 958, A bill for an act to define the qualifications for the practice of architecture in the State of Minnesota; to provide for the examination and registration of architects and to provide for the violation of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 958

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 837, A bill for an act to improve the public service, commission and define its powers and duties in the State of Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 837

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 608, A bill for an act establishing a Department of Agriculture, providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture and determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 608

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 927, A bill for an act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 324, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915, entitled, An act creating and establishing a State Reformatory for Women, authorizing the State Board of Control to select and acquire for the state a suitable tract of land to be used as a site for the purpose, appropriating money therefor, and directing said Board of Control to prepare plans and estimates for the necessary buildings and improvements, for submission to the Legislature of 1917, and providing for an advisory board of women visitors and prescribing their duties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 927

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 394, A bill for an act abolishing the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives, and transferring all the powers and duties now possessed by said commission to the State Board of Health, and creating the office of executive secretary of the sanatorium division of the Board of Health.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 394

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 342, A bill for an act abolishing the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives, and transferring all the powers and duties now possessed by said Commission to the State Board of Health, and creating the office of Executive Secretary of the Sanatorium Division of the Board of Health.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 342

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred---

S. F. No. 560, A bill for an act to provide for the payment to officers suspended by the governor of their salaries for the period of suspension.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 912, A bill for an act creating a State Board of Deposit and repealing Sections 91, 93, 94, 95, 96 and 97, General Statutes 1913, and Chapter 396, Laws of 1917, said sections and chapter being inconsistent with this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 964, A bill for an act to amend Section 5030, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, in relation to compensation of members of the State Board of Pharmacy.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 911, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 12, Section 294, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 149, Laws 1917, fixing salaries in State Treasurer's office.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 863, A bill for an act to amend Sections 78 and 82, General Statutes 1913, relating to duties of State Treasurer, and repealing Chapter 524, Laws of 1913, providing for additional report by State Treasurer.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 885, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities, and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 885, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities, and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 885,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 885, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities, and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 953, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 467, Session Laws of Minnesota of 1917, entitled "An act forbidding the drawing by state officers and other state employees of salary or compensation upon more than one voucher or warrant, providing for

the form of pay voucher, and fixing penalties for the violation of the act."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 966, A bill for an act to amend Section 5029, General Statutes 1913, relating to the creation of State Board of Pharmacy, employment of attorney, and when violators shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 513, A bill for an act to provide for the examination of the books and accounts of co-operative corporations or associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1031, A bill for an act relating to the payment of compensation to officers and persons employed by the University of the State of Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 910, A bill for an act entitled, an act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty-four million dollars and an area of more than two thousand five hundred square miles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 413. A bill for an act to create a real estate brokers board, issue certificates to real estate brokers and provide for their regulation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of said bill after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Real Estate Brokers Board.

There is hereby created a Real Estate Brokers Board for Minnesota, hereinafter referred to as "Board," which shall consist of five members appointed by the Governor and whose duties shall be to enforce the provisions of this Act. Of the first Board appointed, one member shall be appointed for the term ending December 31st, 1919, one member for the term ending December 31st, 1920, one member for the term ending December 31st, 1921, one member for the term ending December 31st, 1922, and one member for the term ending December 31st, 1923, and all subsequent appointments shall be for the term of five years. Vacancies shall be filled by like appointments for the unexpired term. No member shall be appointed unless he shall have been employed as a real estate broker in this State for the five years next preceding his appointment. Two of said members shall be brokers in city property and three shall be brokers in farm property. The Minnesota Realty Owners and Dealers Association may recommend five names for each appointment to be made, from which list the Governor may select.

(a) Office.

This Board shall have its office in St. Paul in connection with the office of the State Immigration Commissioner and all records shall be kept therein.

(b) Organization.

At its first meeting, which shall be called by the Commissioner of Immigration it shall select from its number a chairman, prescribe rules of procedure and adopt a seal. The Commissioner of Immigration shall be the secretary of this Board.

(c) Employers.

The Board shall have the power to employ such help and buy such supplies as may be necessary to conduct the work of the Board.

(d) Meetings.

It shall hold regular monthly meetings at such time as it shall

decide upon and special meetings may be held at any time upon five days' written notice to all members signed by the majority of said Board.

(e) Records.

It shall keep a complete record of all its meetings, its accounts and the business it transacts, and prepare all necessary blanks to be used in the conduct of its duties.

(f) Salaries.

Compensation of five dollars (\$5.00) a day shall be paid members of this Board for their services for time actually spent together with their actual traveling expenses.

(g) Legal Assistance.

This Board shall have the assistance of the Attorney-General's office in enforcing the provisions of this Act.

(h) Quorum.

A majority of said Board shall constitute a quorum thereof for the transaction of its business.

Section 2. Finances.

All fees received hereunder and all fines collected shall be deposited with the State Treasurer who shall establish a fund known as the "Real Estate Brokers Fund" and all expenses connected with the enforcement of this Act shall be paid from this fund.

Section 3. License for Real Estate Business.

It shall be unlawful for any person, partnership, or corporation to engage in the business or occupation of, or act as a real estate broker in this State without first having procured a license under this Act; provided however, that any agent, salesman, or employee of a duly licensed broker, while acting as such, shall not be required to procure a separate license.

Section 4. Definition.

A real estate broker shall be deemed to be any person, partnership, or corporation, except as hereinafter provided, who for another, for a commission or compensation, sells, exchanges, buys or offers to sell, exchange, or buy or negotiate the sale, exchange or purchase of any real estate or interest therein.

Section 5. Exceptions.

The provisions of this Act shall not apply to

(a) Receivers, trustees, administrators, executors, guardians or other persons appointed by or acting under the judgment or order of any court.

(b) Public officers while performing their official duties.

(c) Employees of persons mentioned in sub-division "a" and "b" of this Section when engaged in the specific performance of their duties as such employees.

Section 6. Application.

Any person, partnership, or corporation desiring to act as a real estate broker in the State of Minnesota shall file with the Board an application for a license therefor, together with a license fee of \$10.00 and supporting affidavits as hereinafter provided. Said applications shall be in such form as prescribed by the Board and shall include:

(a) Name and address of the applicant; or if a partnership the name and address of each member thereof; or if a corporation the name and address of each officer.

(b) The place or places including the street, town or county where the business is to be conducted.

(c) The business or occupation engaged in for a period of two years immediately preceding the date of the application by the applicant, or if a partnership by each member thereof, or if a corporation, by each officer thereof.

(d) Such further information as the Board shall require to enable it to determine the trustworthiness and reliability of each applicant including each member of the partnership or each officer of the corporation, to transact the business of a real estate broker in such manner as to safeguard the interests of the public. Such application shall be verified by the applicant and if made by a partnership by each member thereof and if made by a corporation by the duly authorized officers thereof. Said application shall be accompanied by a recommendation of two real estate owners in the county in which such applicant resides, certifying that the applicant is trustworthy and reliable and recommending that a license be issued to the applicant. If said applicant shall have resided in such county less than a year, then he may obtain such affidavits from two land owners in his former place of residence.

Section 7. Consideration of Application.

The said application shall be considered at the next meeting of the Board after receiving said application, providing however, that the said Board may postpone its decision on said application for the purpose of further satisfying itself as to the trustworthiness and reliability of said applicant, and in such case may grant a temporary

permit to operate as a real estate broker, until action shall have been taken upon said application. If said application shall be withdrawn before being acted upon the fee shall be returned.

Section 8. License.

If said application is favorably acted upon, a license shall be issued by the Board, entitling the person, partnership or corporation who applied therefor, to act as a real estate broker or brokers in this State, up to and including the 31st day of December in the year it was issued, which license shall be renewed from year to year upon the payment of a fee of \$5.00 for each year. Said license shall be in the form decided upon by the Board, and shall recite the name and address of the person, members of the partnership or corporation and the officers thereof, as the case may be; to whom such license shall be issued and shall be signed by the chairman and the secretary of the Board, and there shall be attached thereto the seal of the Board. No license shall be issued to any person, partnership or corporation who shall not have a fixed place of business, nor to anyone who is not a citizen of the United States. Said license shall be displayed in a conspicuous manner in the place of business of the broker. In case of change of address, notification thereof shall be sent to the Board and a new license shall be issued as requested upon the payment of one dollar (\$1.00). In case of change in the members of a partnership or officers of a corporation holding a broker's license, a notice of the same shall be forwarded to the Board together with a formal application as provided in Section 6 hereof and upon approval of the Board of such change and the payment of one dollar (\$1.00) a new license shall be issued. The old license shall within ten days thereafter be returned and cancelled by the Board.

Section 9. Rejection.

If said application is rejected, by the Board, notice thereof shall be given to the applicant and an appeal therefrom may be taken by the applicant as hereinafter provided.

Section 10. Suspension and Revocation.

The Board shall have the power to suspend temporarily, or revoke permanently, any license issued under the provisions of this Act at any time, where the holder thereof in performing or attempting to perform any of the acts of a broker, is knowingly guilty of

(a) Making in writing any substantial misrepresentation or any false promises of a character likely to influence or persuade, or induce.

(b) A continued and flagrant course of misrepresentation, or making false promises, through agents or salesmen.

(c) Associating in business with any agent, salesman or employee knowing him to have been guilty within two years therefrom of substantial misrepresentation, false promises or dishonest dealings.

(d) Any other conduct whether of the same or of a different character hereinabove specified, which in the opinion of said Board is contrary to good business morals.

The Board shall have the power to subpoena and bring before it persons within the State for the purpose of its investigation, or take the testimony of such persons by deposition in the same manner as prescribed by law in judicial procedure in the courts of this State in civil cases.

Section 11. Appeals.

An appeal from any decision of the Board may be taken by the person aggrieved to the District Court of the district in which he shall reside by filing notice of such appeal with the Board within twenty days after receipt of the notice of such decision. Upon receipt of such notice the Secretary of the Board shall forthwith prepare and deliver to the Clerk of said District Court a certified copy of said application and a transcript of all written evidence relative thereto in the hands of the Board. The Court shall consider such evidence together with such other evidence as may be submitted to him and a copy of his decision shall be returned and filed with the Board which shall promptly take action in accordance with such decision.

Section 12. Penalties.

Any person, partnership, or corporation, who shall engage in the business or occupation of a real estate broker without having first procured a license as herein provided shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor. No commission or compensation for the sale of land shall be collectible in the courts of Minnesota by any broker doing business contrary to the provisions of this act.

Section 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of June, 1919, except that license herein provided shall not be required till sixty days thereafter.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Turnham, from the Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 484, A bill for an act to establish the ninth state fish hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commissioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Blomgren, from the Committee on Temperance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 667, A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and maintaining or aiding in the same and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

That the following amendments were proposed to said bill in committee, to-wit:

1. That said House File be amended as follows: By striking out all of Section 2 thereof after the word "alcohol" where said word occurs in line 6 of said Section 2, and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "and provided further, that nothing in this Act shall prevent the manufacture, sale or transportation of ethyl alcohol for chemical, mechanical, medicinal, pharmaceutical, scientific or industrial purposes, or of liquor for medicinal purposes, or of wine for sacramental purposes, or the use of so much alcohol as is necessary for legitimate purposes of extraction, solution or preservation in the manufacture of anything other than a beverage, or the sale or transportation of liquor by pharmacists or wholesale druggists, all upon the conditions and under the restrictions herein prescribed, and not otherwise; and provided further, that nothing in this act shall prevent the manufacture of United States Pharmacopoeia or National Formulary preparations, upon the conditions and under the restrictions herein prescribed, and not otherwise."

Which amendment was adopted by unanimous vote of the committee.

2. That said House File be further amended by striking out the words "fermented" and "or malt" where the same occur in line 3 of Section 1 of the engrossed copy of said H. F. No. 667, and further amend by inserting after the word "volume" where the same occurs in line 5 of the engrossed copy of H. F. No. 667 the following, to-wit: "and fermented and malt liquors which contain more than two per cent of alcohol by weight at sixty degrees Fahrenheit, which said fermented and malt liquors containing not to exceed two per cent of alcohol by weight, shall not be sold however, except in the following manner: by the manufacturer or wholesale dealer in quantities of not less than two gallons in closed containers or packages, not to be consumed on the premises where the sale is made nor shall the same be sold anywhere at retail except in dining rooms of bona fide hotels and restaurants licensed as such."

Upon demand for roll call on said amendment the following members of the committee voted in favor of the same, to-wit: Ribenack, Romberg, Van Hoven, Vibert and Ward; and the following members voted in opposition thereto, to-wit: Blomgren, Gooding, Lee and Peterson; and the motion to amend was declared carried.

The committee thereupon recommended the bill as amended to pass.

The committee further recommends that said H. F. No. 667, together with the proposed amendments be made a Special Order for Wednesday, April 9, at 10:30 A. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, and that H. F. No. 667, together with the proposed amendments be made a Special Order for Wednesday, April 9 at 10:30 A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peterson then moved that H. F. No. 667 be reprinted with the proposed amendments.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 584, A concurrent resolution relating to the re-establishment of the grain grades as Minnesota grades, on grain raised

in this state and transported in intrastate commerce, which were in effect prior to the adoption of the Federal grades.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the entire bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

A Concurrent Resolution relating to a request and demand for a modification of the federal grades of grain and to the establishment and promulgation of Minnesota grades on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce

Whereas, The Board of Grain Appeals at Minneapolis and the Board of Grain Appeals at Duluth, are required by statute to meet annually in joint session on or before September 15, and establish the grades of all grain subject to state inspection to be known as the Minnesota grades; and

Whereas, The said Boards of Grain Appeals at a meeting heretofore held adopted and designated as the Minnesota Grades, applicable to all grain subject to state inspection, certain grades which were promulgated by an agency of the Federal government and commonly known as federal grades; and

Whereas, Said federal grades of grain have proven to be too technical for the country grain buyers to comply with, have generally been considered by the grain growers of the state as the cause of great financial loss to them, and the moisture content of wheat specified therein so low that it is difficult of ascertainment and practical application; and

Whereas, The Minnesota grades of grain established by said Boards of Appeals, prior to the adoption of the said federal grades as Minnesota grades, were better adapted to the grain which is subject to state inspection in the state of Minnesota and were more satisfactory to the growers and buyers of such grain; and

Whereas, A price for the wheat of the crop of the year 1919 has been guaranteed by the federal government and that such price has been based on the federal grades, which grades must control the grading of all grains in this state as long as such guaranteed price is in force; and

Whereas, There exists an urgent necessity for an immediate modification of such federal grades in order to prevent further loss to the grain growers of this state.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, by the Senate of the State of

Minnesota, the House concurring, that a request and a demand is hereby made to and upon the Bureau of Markets at Washington, D. C., for such modifications of said federal grades as the said Boards of Grain Appeals shall recommend, and that in the event such modifications are not granted, that said Boards of Grain Appeals be and they are hereby requested to establish and promulgate as Minnesota grades of grain such modifications of the federal grades as shall be just and equitable to the grain growers of this state, such grades to apply only to grain grown in this state, transported in intrastate commerce and subject to state inspection, and such grades to become effective only upon the expiration of the price guarantee of the federal government on wheat.

MEMORANDUM.

The committee further reports that after a joint public hearing upon said concurrent resolution the chairmen of the committees of the House and Senate requested the Board of Grain Appeals at Duluth and Minneapolis to call a special meeting of their boards for the purpose of agreeing upon and recommending certain modifications of the federal grades; that pursuant to such request the said Boards held a meeting at the city of Minneapolis on the 26th day of March, 1919, at which time they agreed upon and recommended the following modifications:

1st. That the sub-class "Red Spring" be eliminated.

2nd. That the word "bright" be eliminated in the Spring and Durum Grades, except in the No. 1 Dark Northern Spring and the No. 1 Amber Durum.

3rd. That the percentage of moisture in the Spring and Durum grades be increased to 15 per cent; that this maximum percentage be the same in all grades from No. 1 to No. 5, inclusive; that wheat having more than 15 per cent be graded the same as that having less, except that in addition it be classed Excessive Moisture and stating the percentage of moisture.

4th. That the maximum percentage of Durum to be carried in the grade of No. 1 Spring Wheat be made five (5) per cent, and that the maximum percentage of spring wheat to be carried in the Durum Grades be made ten (10) per cent, the said maximum percentage to be uniform in all the Durum grades from No. 1 to No. 5 inclusive.

5th. That the total percentage of foreign material other than dockage in the Hard Red Spring and Durum Grades be $2\frac{1}{2}$ per

cent in No. 1, 4 per cent in No. 2, 6 per cent in No. 3, 8 per cent in No. 4, and 10 per cent in No. 5.

6th. That the test weight of the Hard Red Spring class be reduced one pound for each grade.

The committee further recommends that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed forthwith to forward certified copies of said joint resolutions and this report to the Bureau of Markets at Washington, D. C., and to each of the Senators and Representatives in congress from the State of Minnesota.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gillam moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 584, A Concurrent Resolution relating to a request and demand for a modification of the federal grades of grain and to the establishment and promulgation of Minnesota grades on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 584,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 584, A Concurrent Resolution relating to a request and demand for a modification of the federal grades of grain and to the establishment and promulgation of Minnesota grades on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Millett,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Reed,	Vibert,
Devold,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1021, A bill for an act to give sellers and consignors of grain a first lien upon the membership of any member of any Chamber of Commerce or Board of Trade on account of any indebtedness arising from the purchase or sale upon consignment of grain by such member.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of the preamble to said bill.

By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 1. That the indebtedness of any member of any chamber of commerce or board of trade or other grain exchange for or on account of any grain purchased by such member, or sold by him as agent or commission merchant, shall be and constitute a first lien upon the membership of such member prior and paramount to the lien of all other members of such chamber of commerce, board of trade or other grain exchange; notwithstanding any rule or by-law of such grain exchange to the contrary.

Provided, however, that the lien above mentioned shall not be exercised unless and in case the bond required of grain commission merchants by the State of Minnesota shall fail to completely satisfy the debts due to the sellers and consignors of said grain.

And provided further that in the enforcement of the lien against the membership of the member of the grain exchange above mentioned the said membership shall be sold to the highest bidder in accordance with the provisions of the rules of the grain exchange governing the sale of memberships to satisfy liens, and the proceeds shall then be applied by said grain exchange in satisfaction of the debt or debts of said member.

Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Bonniwell, from the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 554, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 30, General

Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 554,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Bonniwell, from the Committee on Dairy Products and Live Stock, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 30, General Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 727, be given its second reading and advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 727,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 973, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 2 of Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, which subdivision fixes the annual salary of the chief justice, justices, clerk, reporter and their respective stenographers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words "thirty-six hundred" where it appears in line 6 of Subdivision 2, and insert in lieu thereof the words "three thousand."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 622, A bill for an act prohibiting excepting in cities of

the first class any person from owning or having in his custody or control any dog more than six months old without a license therefor; providing for the issuance of licenses by the county auditor of the several counties; declaring null and void the provisions of all ordinances of any city except cities of the first class or village so far as they require the payment of a fee as a prerequisite to the owning or having in possession or control of any dog and providing penalties for violation of this act; authorizing the killing of dogs more than six months old not wearing a license.

Reports the same back without recommendation, and that it be placed on General Orders.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 795, A bill for an act providing for the regulation and inspection of schools for nurses and for the examination, regulation, licensing and registration of nurses and aides to nurses and for the punishment of offenders against this act and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend S. F. No. 795 by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Chapter 153, General Laws, Minnesota, 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

“1. It shall be unlawful for any person to practice professional nursing as a registered nurse or licensed aid in this state unless such person shall have first obtained a certificate of registration as provided in this act.”

Section 2. That Section 2 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

“2. A board of examiners to consist of five persons, is hereby created to carry out the purposes and enforce the provisions of this act. Said board shall be appointed by the governor and the other appointments shall be made from nurses engaged in active work who have been graduated for at least a period of five years from reputable training schools and whose course of training is not less than three years' duration in actual hospital service,

provided, there shall always be three of said members on said board selected from nurses who have had at least two years' experience in educational work among nurses, or who have had two or more years' experience in the instruction of nurses in training schools; and provided further, that after the appointment of the first board the nurses appointed upon each succeeding board shall be appointed from nurses registered under this act. A list of names of nurses, for the governor's consideration, shall be kept continuously on file by the Minnesota State Registered Nurses Association."

Section 3. That Section 3 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"3. Each member of said board shall serve for a term of five years and until his or her successors are appointed and qualified, except in the case of the first board, whose members shall hold office as follows: One member shall be appointed to hold office for one year, one for two years, one for three years, one for four years, and one for five years. Each member of said board shall give a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars, with sureties to be approved by the secretary of state, conditioned for the faithful performance of his or her duties, and shall take the oath provided by law for public officers. Vacancies upon said board caused by death, resignation or expiration of the term of any member thereof shall be filled by appointment by the governor."

Section 4. That Section 4 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"4. Said board shall elect from its members a president, a vice-president, a secretary and a treasurer, and a training school inspector, and shall have its headquarters at St. Paul, Minn.; and shall have an official seal, and the secretary and president shall have power to administer oaths."

Section 5. That Section 5 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"5. The salaries of the secretary and training school inspector shall be fixed and their claims for expenses shall be audited and allowed by the board. The other members of said board shall receive a compensation of five dollars per day for each day of actual service, and they shall be reimbursed for expenses neces-

sarily incurred by them in the performance of their official duties, which compensation and reimbursement shall be paid out of any moneys in the hands of the treasurer of said board, provided that said compensation and reimbursement for expenses shall in no event be paid out of the state treasury."

Section 6. That Section 6 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"6. Any money in the hands of the treasurer at the end of any year in excess of two thousand dollars shall be paid over by said board to the state treasurer to be kept by him for the future maintenance of the board and to be disbursed by him upon warrants signed by the president and treasurer of said board."

Section 7. That Section 7 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"7. It shall be the duty of said board to examine, register and license applicants for registration as 'registered nurses' and 'licensed aids;' to inspect and grade according to their efficiency and to approve or withhold approval from training schools for nurses, and to establish a prescribed course of study and work and minimum standards for such schools. Whenever, in the judgment of the board, it is desirable, it may delegate one or two of its members to attend conventions and meetings of the American Nurses' Association, or any affiliated organization, the American Hospital Association or any other similar organization. Said board shall hold public examinations at least twice in each year at St. Paul, Minnesota, and at such times as it may determine, and notice of the time and place of such examination shall be given by a publication thereof at least ten days before such examination in a daily newspaper published at the capital of the state, and said board may give such other notice as it deems advisable. Any person desiring to obtain a certificate of registration under this act shall make application to said board therefor, and shall pay to the treasurer of said board an examination fee of ten dollars, and shall present himself or herself at the next regular meeting of said board for examination of applicants, and upon said board being satisfied that the applicant is (1) of the age of twenty-one years or over, (2) of good moral character, (3) has received an education equivalent to that required for admission into high schools of this state un-

til January 1, 1923, and after that date and until January 1, 1926, two years of high school or equivalent, and after January 1, 1926, a high school diploma or credits equivalent, and (4) has graduated from a training school connected with a general hospital where three years of training, with a systematic course of instruction is given in the hospital, or has graduated from a training school in connection with a hospital of good standing supplying a systematic three years' training corresponding to the above standards, which training may be obtained in two or more hospitals, said board shall proceed to examine said applicant in theoretical nursing, and upon such applicant passing said examination to the satisfaction of said board said board shall enter said applicant's name in the register, hereinafter provided for, and shall issue to said person a certificate of registration authorizing said person to practice the profession of nursing as a 'registered nurse.' No school for nurses shall be approved unless it has the following qualifications: It must be connected with a general hospital having not less than fifty beds, daily average, and twenty-five patients. A school for nurses which has from twenty-five to fifty beds with not less than a daily average of fifteen patients may become approved by affiliating with an approved school for nurses. No approval given by the board shall be withdrawn or revoked, except upon thirty days' notice to the school, and then only after a full hearing."

Section 8. That Section 8 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"8. Nurses who are in active service with the army, navy and Red Cross at the passage of this act and whose applications are on file at the office of the state board of nurses' examiners by January 1, 1921, shall on their return to the state of Minnesota be eligible for registration without examination by payment of the regular fee. Nurses, who, at the time of the passage of this act, are graduates of 'two years' schools,' shall on application made on or before February 1, 1920, be entitled to examination, registration and certification of registration under Section 7 of this act, with the same force and effect as if they were graduates of a school of the kind described in subdivision 4, Section 7 hereof." The phrase "two years' schools" in this section means schools of the kind described in subdivision 4 of said Section 7, but supplying a two year course only.

Section 9. That Section 9 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minne-

sota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"9. Graduates of training schools in connection with special hospitals giving a two years' course, who shall obtain one year's additional training in an approved general hospital, shall be eligible for registration with examination.

Section 10. That Section 10 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"10. Said board of examiners shall also hold public examinations at least twice in each year at St. Paul, and at such other times and places as it may determine for applicants for license as "licensed aids." Any person desiring to be licensed as a "licensed aid" shall make application to said board therefor, and shall pay to the treasurer of said board an examination fee of three dollars, and shall present himself or herself at the next regular meeting of said board for examination and if it is made to appear to the satisfaction of said board that the applicant is (1) nineteen years of age or over when applying for examination, (2) of good moral character, and (3) has completed an approved course of six months systematic training, said board shall proceed to examine said applicant, and if the applicant passes such examination to the satisfaction of said board, it shall enter said applicant's name in the register hereinafter provided for and shall issue to said person a license authorizing said person to practice as a "licensed aid."

All persons possessing qualifications approved by the board of examiners shall be issued a license to practice as a "licensed aid" without examination upon payment of the required fee of three dollars, provided such application be made within six months after the passage of this act.

On and after January 1, 1920, all applicants for license under the provisions of this act shall pass the examination required by the board before he or she shall be allowed to practice as a "licensed aid" and it shall be unlawful thereafter for any person to practice as a "licensed aid" without the license as herein provided for.

Section 11. That Section 11 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"11. The board of examiners may issue certificates without examination, upon the payment of ten dollars registration fee, to applicants who have been registered in other states and are graduated

from schools having standards equal to the requirements for registration in the state of Minnesota."

Section 12. That Section 12 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"12. This act shall not be construed to apply to the gratuitous nursing of the sick by friends or members of the family, and also it shall not apply to any person nursing the sick for hire but who does not in any way assume to be a registered nurse or a 'licensed aid.'"

Section 13. That Section 13 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"13. Said board shall keep a register in which shall be entered names of all persons to whom certificates are issued under this act, and said register shall at all times be open to public inspection. Said board shall keep a register in which shall be recorded names of all persons to whom certificates or licenses are issued under this act, and it shall be the duty of the secretary of said board to file with the secretary of state on or before December 31 in each year a list of all registrations and licenses issued by said board during the preceding year with names and residences of the persons to whom such registrations and licenses have been issued, and said register shall at all times be open to public inspection. Every person registered as a nurse or licensed aid under this act shall on or before the 31st day of December of each year renew his or her registration or license for the ensuing year by the payment of a fee of fifty cents for the 'registered nurse' and twenty-five cents for the 'licensed aid' to the board, and upon payment of the said fee it shall be the duty of the board to issue a voucher which shall show that the holder thereof is entitled to practice as a registered nurse or licensed aid for the period of time covered by said fee."

Section 14. That Section 14 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"14. A person who has received his or her certificate according to the provisions of this act shall be styled and known as a 'registered nurse' or a 'licensed aid.' No other person shall assume such title or use the abbreviation 'R. N.' or 'L. A.' or any other letters or figures to indicate that he or she is a 'registered nurse' or a 'licensed aid.'"

Section 15. That Section 15 of Chapter 153, General Laws Min-

nesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"15. Said board of examiners may revoke any certificate for sufficient cause, but before this is done the holder of said certificate shall have thirty days' notice and after a full and fair hearing of the charges made by a majority vote of the whole board the certificate or license may be revoked."

Section 16. That Section 16 of Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"16. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act or who shall wilfully make any false representation to the board of examiners in applying for a certificate, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars nor less than ten dollars, or in default of the payment of such fine, by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ninety days nor less than ten days."

Section 17. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Amend the title by striking out the same and inserting in lieu thereof "A bill for an act to amend Chapter 153, General Laws Minnesota 1907 entitled, 'An act to provide for state registration of nurses and licensed aids and the licensing of persons as registered nurses and licensed aids.' "

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 484, 413, 1031, 966, 953, 863, 964, 912, 560, 795, 973, 1021 and 911,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 910, 513 and 622,

Were read the second time.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 888, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

H. F. No. 1102, A bill for an act to amend Section 8025, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the filing of notices of lis pendens and providing for discharge thereof.

H. F. No. 477, A bill for an act requiring the display of a motor number on motor vehicles.

H. F. No. 791, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws, 1909, and Chapter 253, Laws 1915, except as to pending proceedings.

H. F. No. 171, A bill for an act to amend Section 2128, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes, and repealing inconsistent laws.

H. F. No. 473, A bill for an act relating to lien of owners of breeding animals and providing a penalty.

H. F. No. 653, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor, county treasurer, clerk of the district court and register of deeds, in counties now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars and not more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 4, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 888, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended and that, H. F. No. 888, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 888,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 888, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 888 by inserting after the words "special law" in the third line of Section 1, the following: "not operating under a home rule charter".

Which amendment was adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 888, be substituted for S. F. No. 719, No. 33 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 719 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 719,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1102, A bill for an act to amend Section 8025, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the filing of notices of lis pendens and providing for discharge thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 477, A bill for an act requiring the display of a motor number on motor vehicles.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

H. F. No. 791, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws 1909, and Chapter 253, Laws 1915, except as to pending proceedings.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 171, A bill for an act to amend Section 2128, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes, repealing inconsistent laws.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 171 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 126, No.

10 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 126 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 171

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 126,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 473, A bill for an act relating to lien of owners of breeding animals and providing a penalty.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 653, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and clerk hire of the County Auditor, County Treasurer, Clerk of District Court, and Register of Deeds, in counties now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars and not more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 653 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 672, No. 49 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 672 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 653,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 672,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gandrud moved that S. F. No. 666, No. 46 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No.

509, No. 127 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 509, A bill for an act authorizing the creation of a department of city planning in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the State Constitution, and defining the powers and duties of such a department.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rask,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gjerset.	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Wold,

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Turnham gave notice of his intention to make a Special Order of S. F. Nos. 920, 902, 470 and H. F. No. 1189.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 11:00 A. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. No. 381.

S. F. No. 381, A bill for an act defining gambling contracts as applied to sales of wheat and other food products, declaring same illegal, and providing penalty for violation.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Peterson moved to amend S. F. No. 381 as follows:

Amend by adding to the end of Section 3 thereof the following paragraph: "Nor shall it be construed to prohibit any member of a Board of Trade or like institution from executing an order to buy or sell grain for future delivery when he in good faith believes that his customer belongs to one of the classes excepted in this section."

Which amendment was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Special Order on S. F. No. 381 be continued until Tuesday, April 8, 11:00 A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., gave notice of his intention of reserving the privilege to move to reconsider the vote whereby the amendment to S. F. No. 381 was adopted.

Mr. Kingsbury offered the following resolution (by request):

Whereas It is the policy of the Government and State alike to recognize loyalty and efficiency in furthering its interests,

Therefore Be it resolved, That in appreciation of the faithful and courteous exercise of their duties as elevator operators in the State Capitol Building we recommend that the following named persons, R. L. Cobarn, Jno. M. O'Dowd and N. Bowers be granted additional salary so that during the present session of the legislature they shall each receive one hundred dollars per month.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 99, A bill for an act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 663, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 47, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, entitled, An act requiring all

places or receptacles where any fruit or any food products are manufactured, packed, stored, deposited, kept, collected, prepared, produced, sold or served to be kept and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, providing for inspection of all such places and prescribing penalties and punishments for violations hereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Besette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 664, A bill for an act to amend Section 3712, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of unwholesome substances for use as food and penalties for violation thereof.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 664 as follows:

Strike out of lines 13 and 14 of Section 1 of the printed bill the words, "not less than thirty (30) days nor more than ninety (90) days," and in lieu thereof insert the following, "not more than ninety (90) days."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Fowler,	Hamer,	Kingsbury,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	Handlan,	Kuntz,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Hegnes,	Lee,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gjerset,	Hopp,	Lindsley,
Boylan,	Devold,	Guilford,	Jackson,	McGarry,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hall,	Johnson,	Madigan,

Millett,	Peterson,	Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Naplin,	Rask,	Sageng,	Vibert,	Wold,
Nolan,	Reed,			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 673, A bill for an act to amend Section 3678, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of operations of testing apparatus, and the penalties for violation thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Reed,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved at 12 A. M. that the Senate recess for a few minutes for the purpose of hearing an address by the Hon. Sidney Anderson of the First Congressional district.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 12:15, after having heard an address by Mr. Anderson.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 834, A bill for an act entitled, An act to authorize the county auditor and county treasurer in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants, to pay claims against the county for labor and for the use of teams engaged in day labor for such county, without the same having been first audited and allowed by the county board.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Ward,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 970, A bill for an act legalizing the foreclosure or cancellation of contracts for the purchase or sale of real estate and the records thereof where the mortgage registration tax on such contracts had not been paid prior to the commencement of the foreclosure or cancellation thereof or subsequent thereto.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 970 as follows:

1. Strike out the words "or subsequent thereto" where the same occur in the last line of the title of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "but which said mortgage registration tax was paid in full prior to the passage of this act or was paid in full during the pendency of said foreclosure or cancellation proceeding."

2. Strike out the words, "has been paid in full before the passage of this act, or within thirty days thereafter" where the same occur in the last two lines of Section 1 of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "was paid in full prior to the passage of this act or was paid in full during the pendency of said foreclosure or cancellation proceeding."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Reed,	Ward,
Coleman,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:00 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:00 P. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Reed moved that S. F. No. 413 be reprinted as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 298, A bill for an act to amend Section 8703, General Statutes 1913, defining the crime of fornication and providing punishment therefor.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Baldwin,	Carley,	Devold,	Gjerset,	Handlan,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Erickson,	Gooding,	Hegnes,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Fowler,	Guilford,	Hopp,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Hall,	Jackson,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Hamer,	Johnson,

Kuntz,	Nolan,	Rask,	Stepan,	Vibert,
Lindsley,	Nord,	Reed,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Wold,
Loonam,	Orr,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
McGarry,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Swanson,	
Madigan,	Peterson,	Sageng,	Turnham,	
Millett,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 2:30 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of H. F. Nos. 859, 860, 861 and 862.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate proceed with the consideration of H. F. No. 862.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 862, A bill for an act authorizing the issue and sale of county bonds for the purpose of permanently improving certain state roads.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Lee moved to amend Section 1 of H. F. No. 862, as follows:

By striking out the first fifteen lines of said Section 1 of the printed bill, except the last word in line 15, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

“When the question of issuing and selling the bonds of a county for the purpose of paying the expenses incurred or to be incurred in permanently improving a state road, or state roads, within such county, in which shall be specified the termini and general direction of the proposed road, or roads, and the amount of the bonds to be issued and the rate of interest, shall be first submitted to the voters of the county and approved by a majority voting upon the question, then the county board of said county may issue and sell such bonds, but the aggregate net indebtedness of any county, inclusive of the bonds issued hereunder, shall not at any time exceed fifteen (15) per cent of the assessed valuation of the county’s taxable real property.”

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 10 and nays 36, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Blomgren,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rockne,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Loonam,	Romberg,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,	

So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Gandrud moved to amend H. F. No. 862 by striking out the word "may" where it appears at the beginning of line 4 of Section 2 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Lee moved to amend H. F. No. 862, as follows:

By striking out the word "six" in line 2 of Section 2 of the printed bill, and in lieu thereof insert the word, "five."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved to amend H. F. No. 862:

By striking out of lines 13 and 14 of Section 1 the words:

"in which shall be specified the termini and general direction of the proposed road or roads."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Reed,	Ward,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Blomgren,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rockne,	Schmechel,
Cashel,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 859. A bill for an act to amend subdivision 3, of Section 2, Sections 16, 18, 20, 21 and subdivision 2 of Section 30 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 116, Laws 1915, and Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is

entitled: An act relating to public highways; the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Johnson moved to amend H. F. No. 859 by striking out the word "without" where same occurs in line 22 of Section 5 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "upon."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 26 and nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Millett,	Stepan,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Cumming,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	Wold,
Devold,				

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nord,	Ribenack,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,				

So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved to amend H. F. No. 859, as follows:

In line 4 of Section 6 strike out the words "an adjoining" in said line 4, and insert in lieu thereof the words "another county having a road or roads immediately tributary and running into the county appropriating such money."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Adams moved to amend the Senate printed copy of H. F. No. 859, as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "officer" in line 25 of Section 5 of said bill the words "or engineer."

2. Insert after the word "over," in line 24 of Section 5 by inserting the words, "and employs."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hopp moved to amend H. F. No. 859, as follows:

Strike out after the word "such" all of the matter in lines 11, 12 and 13 of Section 3 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Messrs. Lee and Loonam voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that the Special Order on H. F. Nos. 860 and 861 be continued until Wednesday, April 9, 4 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Lindsley was excused for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Messrs. Cashel, Cumming, Gillam and Rask were excused for next Monday.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate do now adjourn until Monday, April 7, 2 P. M.

Mr. Hall moved as a substitute motion that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then recurred on the motion as made by Mr. Carley.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, April 7, 1919.

The Senate met at 2 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Turnham and Wold were excused for today.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA.
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, April 5, 1919.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

In order that there may be no misunderstanding in connection with my attitude with reference to the so-called convention bill now before the Senate, I wish to call your attention to the position taken in my inaugural message last January when I said:

"To go back to the old convention system is unthinkable, but the primary laws should be so amended as to prevent, if possible, minority nominations and enable the members of political parties to adopt platforms so as to create party rather than personal issues in the conduct of campaigns."

Probably the three most serious objections to the present primary law are the absence of provisions for adopting party platforms, the lack of means for urging men to become candidates and the possibility of minority nominations.

These defects of the primary system should, if possible, be cured. In the enactment of legislation on this subject, the main endeavor should be the providing of methods by which the majority of each party can express itself and thereby prevent minority nominations as are now possible under our present system. If conventions are legalized they should be properly safe-guarded and such as will be a guide to the people and not an instrument in the hands of a few bosses to be manipulated in their own interests. No convention plan should in my opinion be adopted which will deprive the rank and file of each party of the opportunity to ratify or reject the nominations proposed by those in convention assembled.

Much can be accomplished in this respect if the law is made to require different parties to hold conventions prior to the last day for the primary filings for the purpose of drafting platforms and nominating candidates. Such conventions would undoubtedly be very valuable in furnishing an opportunity to urge men, who would not file unless so urged, to become candidates upon the platforms thus adopted. By placing the names of the convention nominees on the primary ticket to be ratified or rejected by the rank and file of the party, the voters will have the benefit of the convention platforms and endorsements of candidates in casting their votes in the primary. If such platforms and nominees are satisfactory to the majority of the party, they will be approved at the primary elections. If they are not satisfactory to the majority, the members of the respective parties ought to have the right to reject them at the primaries.

Any nominee nominated at the preliminary convention need have no fear of facing the primary if his nomination is honestly and fairly secured. A nomination won on the merits will frequently result in the elimination of opposition at the primary. If on the other hand it can be shown that a nomination has been procured through dishonest or questionable means or through manipulation by the representatives of any special interests or classes or some would-be

boss and the nominee does not support a platform favored by the majority of his party, the rank and file of that party should be given an opportunity to oppose any such candidate at the primaries. Giving, thus, to the people the right to repudiate the convention nominees will unquestionably be an incentive to the practice of clean politics in the convention. The convention, when properly conducted, will enable the majority of a party to unite upon men and measures and will frequently prevent the filing of several candidates who stand for the same principles and whose division of the majority often results, under our present system, in minority nominations.

With the early amendment of the House bill now before the Senate along the lines herein indicated, there would be ample time for its re-passage by the House. The enactment into law of the measure so amended will enable parties, as hereinabove suggested, to adopt a platform upon which its candidates would run, to nominate men who would not otherwise become candidates and to be in a better position to put into effect the will of the majority. In this way the objectionable features of our present primary would be to a great extent eliminated and the objectionable features of the old convention system, which did not permit the rank and file of the party to ratify or reject at the primaries the nominees of the convention, would also in a large measure be overcome.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

Communication referred to the Committee on Elections.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 5, 1919.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 31, An act to regulate use, manufacture and sale of sleighs.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, April 4, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 163, An act providing for the Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; defining its powers and duties and appropriating money for carrying out the purposes thereof.

S. F. No. 228, An act fixing the clerk hire of the county auditor in counties now or hereafter having not less than thirty-eight nor more than forty-two congressional townships and now or hereafter having a taxable valuation of not less than eight million dollars.

S. F. No. 274, An act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of the county treasurers in counties of this state, containing not less than 38 congressional townships of land, nor more than 42 congressional townships of land, and having an assessed valuation of not less than eight million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

S. F. No. 309, An act to amend Chapter 488, Laws of 1917, relating to State assignment, tax sale certificates or forfeited sale tax certificates, and limiting the time within which notices of expiration of redemption may be issued or served upon such certificates, and declaring void all such certificates upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and extinguishing the lien of all such certificates and the lien of the taxes for the year or years described therein upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited and the lien of all subsequent taxes paid under any such certificate.

S. F. No. 393, An act to authorize the Minnesota Historical Society to act as custodian of state and local archives, and to provide for the collection and administration of public records.

S. F. No. 406, An act proposing an amendment to Section 7, Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, changing the length of the term of the Judge of Probate Court.

S. F. No. 409, An act entitled an act legalizing proceedings heretofore taken by any city of the fourth class in reference to the issuance of bonds under the provisions of Chapter 205, Laws 1909, as amended by Chapter 253, Laws 1915, and legalizing the bonds of said city already or hereafter issued in pursuance of proceedings already begun under such act as so amended.

S. F. No. 442, An act requiring adjoining towns to bear, in equal shares, the expense of constructing and maintaining bridges on roads on the lines between such towns in certain cases, and providing for the award of damages to each such town in drainage proceedings.

S. F. No. 521, An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 202, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the salary of Register of Deeds in certain counties.

S. F. No. 976, An act to legalize mortgages or deeds of trust executed by public service corporations in certain cases.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rockne moved that 500 copies of S. F. No. 1019 be printed. Which motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, April 7, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Adams be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act authorizing the county board of any county in this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$300,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits and having at any time an area of over 5,000 square miles, to erect and maintain an automobile storage garage and repair shop on the court house grounds and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund of said county."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this state.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Adams, for St. Louis County Delegation, introduced—

S. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act authorizing the county board of any county in this State, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$300,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits and having at any time an area of over 5,000 square miles, to erect and maintain an automobile storage garage and repair shop on the court house grounds and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund of said county.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act authorizing the county board of any county in this State, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$300,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits and having at any time an area of over 5,000 square miles, to erect and maintain an automobile storage garage and repair shop on the court house grounds and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund of said county.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1034,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act authorizing the county board of any county in this State, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$300,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits and having at any time an area of over 5,000 square miles, to erect and maintain an automobile storage garage and repair shop on the court house grounds and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund of said county.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Erickson,	McGarry,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Fowler,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Conroy,	Gjerset.	Millett,	Schmechel,
Besette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Widell,
Callahan,	Devold,	Hopp.	Peterson,	
Carley,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 7, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator J. D. Sullivan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act amending Chapter 429, General Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 105, General Laws of 1919, being, An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof and for prosecutions and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Securities Commission, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 6-A, to be inserted between Sections 6 and 7."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act amending Chapter 429, General Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 105, General Laws of 1919, being, An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof and for prose-

cutions and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Securities Commission, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 6-A, to be inserted between Sections 6 and 7.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

St. Paul, April 7, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Cumming be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act regulating the business of auctioneering and providing for the licensing of auctioneers."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Cumming introduced—

S. F. No. 1036, A bill for an act regulating the business of auctioneering and providing for the licensing of auctioneers.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following House File, which has passed the House and Senate, but has been recalled from the Governor's office for the purpose of correction and is herewith transmitted to the Senate for the purpose of amendment:

H. F. No. 213, A bill for an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915, relating to the prescription by physicians, surgeons and dentists of certain narcotics, for habitual users of the same, so as to prohibit such prescriptions.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 7, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford moved that the vote whereby H. F. No. 213 passed be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Guilford moved to amend H. F. No. 213 by adding after the figures "1915" in the third line of Section 2 of the printed bill the following words: "Unless such physician, surgeon or dentist can show that it is necessary to furnish or prescribe the same to such user in order to save his life".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Millett,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	
Carley,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	
Cliff,	Fowler,	Loonam,	Reed,	

Mr. Gjerset voted in the negative.

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1027, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and compensation, expenses and clerk hire, in all counties in this state now or hereafter having not less than thirty-five or more than forty congressional townships, and now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million (\$16,000,000) nor more than twenty million (\$20,000,000), and prescribing the amounts thereof.

April 7, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1189, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate and codify the laws of this state relating to preservation,

protection, and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

April 7, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 352, A bill for an act to amend Section 9313, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of binding twine manufactured in the Minnesota State Prison.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 86, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of constructing bridges across navigable streams running through such cities.

S. F. No. 88, A bill for an act authorizing village councils to acquire land for park purposes, and to appropriate money therefor and for the maintenance thereof.

S. F. No. 690, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.

S. F. No. 491, A bill for an act authorizing county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, whole or fractional, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, to construct roads on township or range lines, and to levy taxes therefor.

S. F. No. 564, A bill for an act amending Section 5224, General Statutes 1913, relating to sales of state land and land sales manager.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 489, A bill for an act relating to fishing in certain waters of this state.

H. F. No. 666, A bill for an act relating to state fishing operations, appropriating money for a revolving fund to be used in such operations, conferring certain powers on the Game and Fish Commissioner, and regulating the removal of fish from public waters in certain cases.

H. F. No. 911, A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a State Commissioner of Drainage, prescribing his duties and compensation, and for an advisory drainage board, its method of appointment and its duties, and for other purposes.

H. F. No. 1196, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 467, Session Laws of Minnesota of 1917, entitled, An act forbidding the drawing by State Officers and other State Employes of salary or compensation upon more than one voucher or warrant, providing for the form of pay voucher, and fixing penalties for the violation of the act.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 5, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Bonniwell moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 352, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lee,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Reed,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 1189, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate, and codify the laws of the state relating to the pres-

ervation, protection, and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

Was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that H. F. No. 1189 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1189,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 489, A bill for an act relating to fishing in certain waters of this state.

Was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that H. F. No. 489 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 489,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 666, A bill for an act relating to state fishing operations, appropriating money for a revolving fund to be used in such operations, conferring certain powers on the game and fish commissioner, and regulating the removal of fish from public waters in certain cases.

Was read for the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that H. F. No. 666 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 666

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 911, A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a state commissioner of drainage, prescribing his duties and com-

pensation, and for an advisory drainage board, its method of appointment and its duties, and for other purposes.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that H. F. No. 911 be referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

Mr. Peterson moved as a substitute motion, that H. F. No. 911 be referred to the Committee on Drainage.

The question being taken on the adoption of the substitute motion.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 21 and nays 26, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Palmer,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Orr,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cliff,				

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bessette,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Rask,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Heenes,	Madigan,	Reed,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Millett,	Ribenack,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Coleman,				

So the substitute motion was not adopted.

The question then recurred on the original motion.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 911,

Was referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1196, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 467, Session Laws of Minnesota of 1917, entitled, An act forbidding the drawing by state officers and other state employes of salary or compensation upon more than one voucher or warrant, providing for the form of pay voucher, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Coleman moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No.

1196 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 953, No. 155 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 953 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1196,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 953,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1124, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1869, providing for the incorporation of the village of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota, and all acts and parts of acts supplementary or amendatory thereof, and to the township of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett moved that H. F. No. 1124 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1124,

Was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1194, A bill for an act regulating and prescribing the amount of capital stock of banks and trust companies with reference to deposits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 730, A bill for an act to amend Section 6373, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the consolidation or merger of banks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 515, A bill for an act to amend Section 2226, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of railroad companies owning or operating any line of railroad situate within or partly within this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out the period at the end of the title of the bill and in lieu thereof insert a comma, and add the following: "and to provide for the submission of this act to the people of this state for their approval or rejection."

2. Strike out the first four lines on the second page of the bill, and in lieu thereof insert the following: "Shall Chapter (insert number) Laws of Minnesota for 1919 amending Section 2226, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, so as to make real property used for railway purposes subject to assessments, be adopted and ratified?"

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 906, A bill for an act to amend Section 7703, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to limitation of actions in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 906

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 995, A bill for an act to amend Section 7971 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for the year 1913, as amended by the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the selection of jurors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend sub-division 4 of Section 8375, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the competency of witnesses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By adding at the beginning of the bill the words, "A bill for."

2. By inserting after the title of the bill the following: "Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:"

3. By inserting after the word, "benefits" where the same occurs in line 10 of Section 1 of the bill the following: "where the insurance has been in existence two years or more."

4. By adding a new section to the bill, to be known as Section 2, and to read as follows:

"Section 2. This act shall not apply to any action now pending in any of the courts of this State."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1182, A bill for an act to amend Section 6016 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to viewers of partition fences.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gandrud, from the Committee on Market and Marketing, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1065, A bill for an act authorizing the incorporation of co-operative associations and defining their powers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1158, A bill for an act to prohibit compulsory medical examinations and treatment including dental and physical, or persons residing in this state, except in certain cases, who object thereto, and, in case of minors, whose parents or guardians object thereto, and prescribing remedies against and penalties for, violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By adding in line 6 of Section 1, after the word "procedure" the following:

"And provided that nothing herein shall be so construed as to make it unlawful for any nurse duly appointed or employed by the state, city or county school district or municipality thereof from performing the duties required by regulations in the public schools, provided that no such regulations permit physical examinations or treatment against the objections of parents or guardians of children."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 803, A bill for an act establishing a Department of Agriculture, "Providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture and determining the powers and duties of said commissioner."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend the title of said bill by striking out all after the word "agriculture" where it appears in the second line of the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Providing for the appointment of a commissioner, and defining his powers and duties, defining penalties for the violation of law

relative to food products and the punishment of such offenders."

Further amend by striking out of said bill all after the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. There is hereby created a Department of Agriculture for the State of Minnesota. Said department shall be in charge of a commissioner to be known as "the commissioner of agriculture," who shall be appointed by the governor for the term of four (4) years; shall receive a salary of forty-five hundred dollars (\$4500.00) per annum, and before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take and subscribe the oath required of state officials, and give his bond to the State of Minnesota, to be approved by and filed with the Secretary of State, for the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties. He shall have authority to appoint two deputies whose compensation shall be not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00) per annum, and such other clerks, employes and assistants as occasion may require, and fix their compensation.

Section 2. Powers and Duties:

The Commissioner of Agriculture shall:

(a) Have charge and control of the work carried on by the state in the interest of agricultural development, and shall be ex-officio member of the various farm clubs, agricultural, horticultural and stock raising societies and shall advise and assist such associations in their various activities and shall have authority to require of and direct the various county agents throughout the State and they are hereby required to supply such information and perform such duties as the Commissioner of Agriculture shall designate; and it shall be the duty of said commissioner to take such steps as may be deemed necessary to unify the work of agricultural development in all its branches and to that end shall co-operate with the Department of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota and secure its promotion by such means and methods as may be found most desirable and through that department and through the medium of county agents or other assistants shall cause tests to be made of the soil in the various counties and localities to ascertain the quality and needs thereof, and supply to the inhabitants of such localities, information as to the condition of such soil and ingredients necessary to make the same productive, and shall in like manner investigate, ascertain and supply all needed information with reference to the adaptability of grains, fruits, grasses and other agricultural products, to the soil and the climate, and supply all necessary information with reference

to the treatment and handling of the various agricultural products, including the diseases thereof and the remedies therefor.

(b) Collect, compile and supply statistics and information in regard to the agricultural products of the State and agricultural industries, and to attain this result he shall cause to be made a complete farm census at least once in two years and may do so annually if deemed advisable, and is authorized to have made and supplied to the county auditors of the several counties, suitable blanks to be used by the assessor in each precinct upon which to make the returns required by the commissioner, and in case where a county assessor is employed, said blanks may be supplied to such assessor and the said county and local assessors are hereby required as a part of their duties to fill out such blanks according to instructions and when returned to the county assessor or the county auditor shall be forwarded to the Commissioner of Agriculture to be used by him to compile for distribution in suitable form to persons engaged in agriculture.

(c) Co-operate with federal authorities and the Government Department of Agriculture, with financial agencies created to assist in the development of agricultural resources of the State; and so far as practicable, may utilize the facilities provided by the existing State Department and the various state and county organizations maintained by agriculturists and horticulturists.

(d) Provide for the inspection and grading for the purpose of sale when deemed necessary, of eggs, fruits, potatoes, vegetables and other farm products, except grain, at each of the terminal markets in this state and at such other marketing points within the state as the Commissioner may determine, and provide for the issuing of certificates of inspection showing the grade, quality, and condition of such produce.

(e) Each year at the time the potato crop is harvested, establish grades of potatoes for that year after giving notice by publication of at least two weeks of the time and place of hearing therefor. Such hearings may be held in different parts of the state and such rules may be adopted and prescribed as may be necessary to classify and grade the different kinds of seed potatoes.

(f) Inspect all stockyards within the state including terminal yards, establish rules providing for their preservation in sanitary condition and inspect all matters pertaining to the care, handling and weighing of livestock and take such steps as he may deem necessary to secure the proper care and weighing of such stock, and said Commissioner and his representatives shall at all times have access to all

buildings, yards, warehouses, storage or transportation facilities in which any farm produce, grain or other product or stock is kept stored, handled or transported, and shall have the right to make all necessary investigations relative thereto, consistent with the purposes of this act.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Agriculture at the earliest date possible, to cause to be organized co-operative associations composed chiefly of farmers, for the purpose of buying, selling, dealing and trading in farm products, and especially farm cooperative shipping and marketing associations, and prescribe rules for their management and to list up and perfect the organization of all existing associations engaged in the purchase, sale or shipment of farm produce, including shippers associations, handling and dealing in livestock, poultry, etc., and all such associations are hereby declared to be subject to the supervision of the Commissioner of Agriculture and required to cooperate with him and from time to time supply him with such reports, statistics and information as he may require, and it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Agriculture to cooperate with all such associations and to establish such associations at all points throughout the State where the same can be maintained to advantage, and to assist the shippers in securing the best possible market at terminal points, and if deemed advisable, he is hereby authorized to organize and cause to be operated cooperative associations at terminal points to deal in all kinds of farm produce, and cooperate in the distribution of same direct to the consumer, or to the local dealer, and to prescribe rules and regulations for the receipt, handling and disposition of all agricultural products, and in perfecting such organizations, it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Agriculture to see that they are properly organized and have a sufficient capital and reserve supplied for carrying on their business and to secure the shippers against loss, and to furnish to such association, all necessary instructions to govern their transactions and the management of their affairs; and when deemed necessary, may require such associations organized at terminal points for the purpose of distribution to give proper bonds or other security to the Commissioner or to the State of Minnesota, to secure the safety, proper handling and accounting for all shipments made to them, and the efficient handling, care and disposition of all products placed in their charge, provided the Commissioner of Agriculture or the State of Minnesota shall assume no liability with reference to the organization, management or control of any such association or corporation.

Section 4. The Commissioner of Agriculture is hereby authorized to license all commission merchants and brokers and all other parties, corporations or associations engaged in the business of selling farm products on commission, and all such parties desiring to engage in the handling or sale of farm produce on commission or as commission merchants or brokers, except in the sale of grain, hay and straw, are hereby required within sixty days after the passage of this act to secure a license therefor from the Commissioner of Agriculture for which license, said Commissioner shall charge such fee as he may deem proper in proportion to the business engaged in, to be not less than ten (10) dollars nor more than fifty (50) dollars per annum, which amount shall be collected by the Commissioner of Agriculture and paid into the State Treasury. All such commission merchants and parties so licensed, shall make reports and comply with such rules and regulations as the Commissioner of Agriculture shall prescribe and upon their failure so to do, said Commissioner shall have authority to cancel their license and deprive them of the rights to transact any business as Commission Merchants for handling any agricultural products. Said Commissioner shall also have authority to make rules and regulations for the grading, handling, packing, storage and shipment of various kinds of food products within the state not contrary to law, and which rules, when promulgated and published, shall have the force of law, and the said Commissioner is hereby authorized to enforce such regulations by actions or proceedings in any court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 5. Said Commissioner is also authorized to receive complaints against any parties dealing in, shipping or selling farm products, and especially all parties shipping, dealing in or handling farm products, such as commission men, including the dealers in grain, stock, poultry and horticultural products, and shall have full authority to make all necessary investigations relative to any transaction, especially in all complaints with reference to combinations in violation of the anti-trust law, delays in furnishing cars, delays in transportation or improper freight charges and all matters relative to the purchase, handling, storage, shipment or sale of food or farm products and shall have and is hereby granted full authority to issue subpoenas, requiring the attendance of witnesses before him at a time and place specified, and to compel the delivery and production before him of books, papers and other documents, articles or instruments,

and compel the disclosure by such witnesses of all facts known to them relative to such investigation, and shall have full authority to administer oaths, and take testimony; and all parties disobeying the orders or subpoenas of said Commissioner shall be guilty of contempt in the same manner as in proceedings in district courts of the state and may be punished in like manner. The Commissioner of Agriculture is authorized, if upon such investigation, he is satisfied that the laws of the state have been violated, to cause to be instituted in his own name as Commissioner or in the name of the state, actions in the proper court, to secure the punishment of the guilty party; and if the party complained against is a corporation, to secure the cancellation of their authority and the annulment of their corporate existence, if a domestic corporation. The Attorney General is hereby required to assign a deputy to act as advisor for the Commissioner of Agriculture, and to institute and maintain the actions herein provided for, when sufficient evidence is available to warrant the institution of such proceedings; and when deemed advisable may institute proceedings before the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission to enforce any provision of law or order or regulation of said Commission and enforce any penalty or punishment therefor within the jurisdiction of said Commission and in all such matters shall co-operate with said Railroad and Warehouse Commission.

Section 6. The Commissioner of Agriculture is also hereby authorized to cause to be formed co-operative feed and seed associations, in the various counties in the state, to secure the maintenance of an ample supply of feed for the development of stock feeding, and to cause to be established seed depots for supplying all necessary agricultural seeds in each county or locality and shall co-operate with the farm bureaus and county agents in their work in this regard and shall have full authority to standardize and cause to be tested pursuant to regulations prescribed by the department all such seeds; and all county agents throughout the state, are hereby required to co-operate with the Commissioner of Agriculture in carrying out the provisions of this act relative to standardizing proper grading of seed in their county and supplying the Commissioner of Agriculture with all needed information relative thereto.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Agriculture each year hereafter at as early a date as practicable following the harvesting of the wheat crop, and from time to time

thereafter as he may deem proper, to procure samples of wheat from various parts of the state of sufficient amount and variety to give a fair average of the grain of each locality and have a careful scientific test made thereof or of such portions as he deems essential to ascertain its quality and value for flour production and to ascertain the amount of foreign matter or injurious elements or other defect therein that would affect the use of said grain for flour without the removal thereof and ascertain and determine the cost of such removal and thereupon the said Commissioner shall have authority and it shall be his duty to file a petition with the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission and have notice thereof given by mail or publication as the Commission may direct, to parties interested to show cause before said Railroad and Warehouse Commission at the time and place specified why an order should not be made fixing and determining the cost of the removal of such foreign matter or to remedy such defect to fit such grain for use for flour, and said Railroad and Warehouse Commission is hereby fully authorized and empowered to make such order and fix and determine the actual cost of such removal or remedying such defect, and thereupon and thereafter, it shall be unlawful for any party, parties or corporation buying, selling, dealing in or handling grain in the State of Minnesota, in the purchase or sale of such grain, to fix or specify a price in the purchase or sale of such grain at a sum less than the then actual market value of said grain in the grade to which it would belong with such foreign matter removed or defect remedied less the cost of such removal or remedying such defect as fixed by said order, and it shall be unlawful for any party, parties or corporations buying, selling, dealing in or handling grain in the State of Minnesota in the purchase or sale thereof, to lower said grain in price or deduct from the price or value thereof in any such transaction by reason of the existence of any such foreign matter or defect any greater sum or value than the cost of removal of such foreign matter or defect and any party, parties, association or corporation violating the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a gross misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof before any court having jurisdiction, shall be fined in a sum not less than one hundred (\$100) dollars nor more than five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for each offense, and it shall be the duty of the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission to cancel their license to deal in or handle grain within the State of

Minnesota for a period not less than three (3) months nor more than one (1) year.

Section 8.—Auction Markets:

The Commissioner of Agriculture is hereby authorized when deemed necessary, to cause to be established at such points in the state as may be deemed advisable, auction markets, and to license auctioneers to conduct such markets all of which shall be established and conducted under and pursuant to such rules and regulations as the Commissioner of Agriculture may specify.

Section 9. The Commissioner of Agriculture is also authorized when deemed necessary or expedient to cause to be published a bulletin daily or at other periods, setting forth the quotations for which produce has been sold during the preceding day or period in the principal markets of the state, and give advice as to the available supply of the principal farm produce and as to the demand in the several markets for local as well as foreign produce, and shall supply to the various companies or associations throughout the state instructions as the most efficient method of standardizing, packing and transportation of farm produce and all rules and regulations made by the Department relative thereto.

Section 10. The Commissioner of Agriculture shall also have full authority to investigate all matters pertaining to delays and improper conditions, over-charges and unfair rates in the transportation of agricultural products and may cause to be instituted proceedings in the proper courts or before the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to remedy defects or improper methods found to exist, and when deemed advisable, may cause to be instituted actions to prevent restraint of trade or unlawful combinations to fix prices of food stuffs or agricultural products, and when notified by producers that food products in any part of the state cannot be sold and are liable to be sacrificed for lack of ready market, it shall be his duty to investigate conditions and by any means available aid in the furnishing of a market and relieving conditions complained of.

Section 11. Offenses:

Any commission merchant or broker or auctioneer licensed or doing business under license issued by the Commissioner of Agriculture who shall:

(a) Impose false charges for handling or services in connection with farm produce; or

(b) Fails to account for such farm produce promptly and properly and to make settlements therefor, with intent to defraud; or

(c) Makes false or misleading statement or statements as to market conditions with intent to deceive; or

(d) Directly or indirectly purchases for his own account goods received by him upon consignment; or

(e) Makes false statements as to grade, condition, markings, quality or quantity of goods shipped or packed in any manner with intent to deceive; or

(f) Makes any charges for commissions, or otherwise, in excess of those authorized by the department of agriculture;

Is guilty of a misdemeanor, and the Commissioner shall forthwith revoke the license granted to such auctioneer and direct his bond to be forfeited and recover from such party or his bondsmen, all damages that may be sustained by any party injured by reason of the acts complained of.

Section 12. The Commissioner shall biennially, on or before the second Tuesday in January in each odd numbered year, submit to the Governor and the Legislature a report of his department with such recommendations and suggestions as the interests of agriculture and foods and marketing conditions require.

Section 13. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Section 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 829, A bill for an act to establish a Department of Agriculture, provide for the appointment of a commissioner, and define his powers and duties, appropriate funds for the support of such department, defining penalties for the violation of law relative to food products and the punishment of such offenders.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 829,

Was indefinitely postponed.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Baldwin gave notice that he would move to make H. F. No. 1158 a Special Order.

Mr. Cliff gave notice that he would move to make a Special Order of H. F. Nos. 803 and 1065.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Mr. Dwyer moved that the vote whereby H. F. No. 20 failed to pass, be now reconsidered.

Mr. Dwyer moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gjerset.	Loonam,	Ribenack,	

Mr. Dwyer moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be so far suspended that the motion made by the Senator from Hennepin for a reconsideration of the vote whereby H. F. No. 20 was lost, be made a Special Order for Friday, the 11th day of April, 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M., and in the event that said motion to reconsider prevails that H. F. No. 20 be on said date immediately thereafter disposed of as a Special Order and that all outstanding excuses for the absence of Senators from attendance be and the same are hereby cancelled for that date and that none be hereafter granted for that date except for sickness.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 995 and 515,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 1194, 730, 121, 1182, 1065, 803 and 1158,

Were read the second time.

CORRECTION.

The motion made by Mr. Rockne and which appeared in the Senate Journal for March 27, page 986, is corrected to read as follows:

Mr. Rockne moved that H. F. No. 170, No. 103 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, April 8, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Nord and Turnham were excused for today.

Messrs. Millett, Boylan, Devold, Baldwin, Callahan and Rockne were excused for this afternoon.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 507, A bill for an act authorizing cities operating under a Home Rule Charter and having ten thousand inhabitants or less to issue and sell refunding bonds under certain conditions.

April 7, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File herewith returned:

S. F. No. 481, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to correct school land certificates, Nos. 44619, 44620, 44621 and 44622 authorizing the Governor to execute patents therefor to James A. Ogilvie.

April 5, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 502, A bill for an act to amend Section 5029, General Statutes 1913, relating to the creation of State Board of Pharmacy, employment of attorney, and when violators shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

H. F. No. 421, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision Three, Section One, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

H. F. No. 758, A concurrent resolution relating to a request and demand for a modification of the federal grades of grain, and to the establishment and promulgation of Minnesota grades, on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce.

H. F. No. 957, A bill for an act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of mutual automobile insurance companies.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 7, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 421, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision Three, Section One, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled an act to fix the salaries of certain state officials.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

H. F. No. 502, A bill for an act to amend Section 5029, General Statutes 1913, relating to the creation of State Board of Pharmacy, employment of attorney, and when violators shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

H. F. No. 758, A concurrent resolution relating to a request and demand for a modification of the federal grades of grain, and to the establishment and promulgation of Minnesota grades, on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse

H. F. No. 957, A bill for an act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of mutual automobile insurance companies.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hopp moved that H. F. No. 1124 be taken from the table.
Which motion prevailed

H. F. No. 1124

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1124 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 882, No. 66 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 882 be indefinitely postponed.
Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1124

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 882

Was indefinitely postponed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1124, No. 66 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1124, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1869, providing for the incorporation of the village of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota, and all acts and parts of acts supplementary or amendatory thereof, and to the township of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Ward,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rockne,	Wold,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Stepan,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 910, No. 163 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 910, A bill for an act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty-four million dollars and an area of more than two thousand five hundred square miles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Höpp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Benson,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lee,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that S. F. No. 757 be indefinitely postponed. Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 757

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Larson offered the following resolution—

Whereas, the Honorable John A. Rystrom, a member of this Senate during the 1915 and 1917 sessions, representing the Counties of Chisago and Pine, constituting the fifty-sixth legislative district, passed away Saturday, April 5, 1919, and

Whereas the high character and public services of said Senator Rystrom during his services as a member of this body deserves an expression of our respect;

Therefore, be it resolved that the President of the Senate be and he is hereby requested to appoint a committee of three members of the Senate to attend the funeral of the deceased at North Branch, Minnesota, on Thursday afternoon, April 10, 1919.

Mr. Larson moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President of the Senate announced the following committee to attend the funeral of former Senator John A. Rystrom:

Messrs. Larson, Blomgren and Gandrud.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that each State Department in which any automobile is used, report forthwith to the Finance Committee of the Senate and to the Appropriations Committee of the House a detailed statement

showing the name of each car owned or operated by the State, the date of its purchase and the authority therefor, the use made of each such automobile, the price paid therefor and the expense of the operation thereof for the year ending April 1, 1917; further

Resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate, without delay transmit to the head of each State Department a copy of this resolution.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Sageng offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the Secretary of the Senate, upon receipt of an account of expenses necessarily incurred by members of standing or special committees of the Senate, verified and approved by the Committee on Rules, be and is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for such amount to be paid out of the money appropriated to defray the expenses of the Legislature of the 1919 session.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Millett,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Gjerset.	Kuntz,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Larson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cliff,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	Turnham,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cumming,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Devold,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the resolution was adopted.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Sageng gave notice that he would move to make S. F. No. 622 a Special Order.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Turnham moved that H. F. Nos. 666 and 1189 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. Nos. 666 and 1189

Were taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Turnham moved that the rules be suspended and that S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902 and H. F. Nos. 1189 and 666 be made a Special Order for Tuesday, April 15, 2:00 o'clock, P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Gjerset gave notice that he would move to make S. F. No. 224 a Special Order.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that H. F. No. 489 be taken from the table. Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 489

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Carley then moved that H. F. No. 489 be referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 489.

Was referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 477 be recalled from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, given its second reading, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 477

Was recalled from the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

H. F. No. 477

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 17, A bill for an act providing for a tonnage tax on ore mined in the state; providing the method of assessing and collecting such tax, and for reports from all mine owners and lessees of mines; and prescribing penalties for non-compliance

with the provisions of this act, and for the application of funds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 17

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 2, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the gross value of ores from persons, co-partnerships and corporations engaged in the mining or production thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 2

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 195, A bill for an act to provide an annual tax levy for forestry purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 195

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 91, A bill for an act to define royalties, to determine the capitalized value thereof, and to provide for the taxation of royalties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 555, A bill for an act providing for the levy and col-

lection of a tax upon the value of ores from persons, co-partnerships and corporations engaged in the mining or production thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 555

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 990, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the occupation of mining ore in this state, which tax shall be in lieu of ad valorem taxes upon mined iron ore; and to amend Chapter 483, Laws 1913, being an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the percentage of full and true value at which property in each class shall be assessed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 990

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1025, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 and Section 6 of Chapter 9, General Laws of Minnesota for the Special Session of 1912, the same being an act entitled, An act providing for the taxation of railroad properties, the collection and times of payment of such tax and repealing acts inconsistent therewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 1025

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 171, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Sec-

tion 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota to provide for the levy of a tax for the purpose of creating a fund to insure owners of growing crops against losses by hail.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 171

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 954, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 9 of the General Laws of 1912 and Sections 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2237 and 2238 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of steam railroads within the State of Minnesota, and to provide for a system of taxation of such steam railroads.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 954

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 830, A bill for an act to amend Section 2327, of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the collection of taxes on money and credits.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 830

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 892, A bill for an act providing for the payment of delinquent taxes against freight line companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 891, A bill for an act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 891 and 892

Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 618, A bill for an act to provide for the making of profit-sharing contracts between employers and employes and defining the respective rights and liabilities of the parties thereto.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cumming,	Hopp,	Millet,	Sageng,	Wold,
Denegre,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 557, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1204 and 1205, General Statutes 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 557 by striking out the word "two" in line 7 of the printed bill as amended, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one."

Further to amend by striking out the word "two" in line 11 of said printed bill as amended, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,	
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Swanson,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Hamer,	Loonam,	Madigan,	Sageng,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 959, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the State government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of certain portions thereof.

Was read the third time.

1. Mr. Rockne moved to amend the title of S. F. No. 959 by striking out the words "certain portions thereof" where they appear in said title and inserting in lieu thereof the words "state appropriations."

2. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "20,000" where they appear in line 2 of Section 2 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "21,000."

3. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "15,700" where they appear in line 2 of Section 3 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "17,200."

4. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "200" where they appear in line 16 of Section 3 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "575."

5. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "42,950" where they appear in line 2 of Section 4 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "51,240."

6. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the word "additional" where it appears in line 6 of Section 5 of said S. F. No. 959.

7. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "20,000" where they appear in line 6 of Section 10 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "38,000."

8. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out all of Section 17 of said S. F. No. 959 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 17 Live Stock Sanitary Board.

1. For maintenance and for animals killed by order of the Board pursuant to law.....\$75,000
2. For maintenance available July 31, 1919.....\$15,000
3. For maintenance and for animals killed by order of the Board pursuant to law.....\$43,500

Provided that none of the funds provided for in item three of this section shall be in any way available unless and until the Federal Government shall appropriate for use in the State of Minnesota as provided by law and federal enactment a like amount as specified in said item three.

9. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "10,000" where they appear in line 12 of Section 19 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "7,000."

10. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by inserting between lines 16 and 17 of Section 19 of said S. F. No. 959 a new item to be known as item 11 and to read as follows:

"11. For dealing with venereal diseases.....\$38,000."

11. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "28,000" where they appear in line 3 of Section 28 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "33,000" and by adding a new item to be designated as item 3 at the end of said Section 28 to read as follows:

"3. For deficiency, fiscal year 1919 only, immediately available\$5,000.00"

12. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "12,500" where they appear in line 2 of Section 33 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "15,900."

13. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the figures "25,000" where they appear in line 20 of Section 33 of said S. F. No. 959 and by inserting in lieu thereof after the word "pensions" the words and figures "available for the year 1920.....\$35,000" and by inserting a new item between items five and six to be known as item 5½ to read as follows:

"5½. For Indian War Pensions, available 1921.....\$30,000"

14. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out the word "continuous" where the same appears in line 25 of Section 33 of said S. F. No. 959.

15. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by adding after line 28 of Section 33 the following provisos:

“Provided, that of the amount referred to in item 1, \$2400 shall be for the annual salary of the quartermaster who shall be the property and disbursing officer designated in Section 37, Chapter 400, Session Laws 1917. That the office of military storekeeper is hereby abolished.

“Provided further that the quartermaster shall be empowered to employ one stenographer and one property clerk, each of whom shall receive the annual salary of not to exceed \$1200 per year which sums shall be paid from the amounts specified in Item 1.”

16. Further amend S. F. No. 959 by striking out all of Section 36 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 36. Department of Education.

- 1. For maintenance including supervision of rural and graded schools\$64,000
- 2. For contingent fund.....\$13,500
- 3. For maintenance teacher's employment bureau..... \$3,500

Mr. Rockne moved that the foregoing amendments, with exception of amendment No. 10, to which Mr. Hall objected, be adopted, which amendment reads as follows:

“Further amend S. F. No. 959 by inserting between lines 16 and 17 of Section 19 of said S. F. No. 959 a new item to be known as item II and to read as follows:

“II. For dealing with venereal diseases.....\$38,000”

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rockne then moved the adoption of amendment No. 10, which reads as follows:

“Further amend S. F. No. 959 by inserting between lines 16 and 17 of Section 19 of said S. F. No. 959 a new item to be known as item II and to read as follows:

“II. For dealing with venereal diseases.....\$38,000

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 60 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Cumming,
Benson,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Conroy,	Denegre,
Bessette,	Boylan,	Carley,	Cosgrove,	Devold,

Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lee,	Peterson,	Stepan,
Erickson,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Fowler,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Gandrud,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Reed,	Swanson,
Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Gjerset,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Ward,
Guilford,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Sageng,	Widell,
Hall,	Larson,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 11 A. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. No. 381.

S. F. No. 381, A bill for an act defining gambling contracts as applied to sales of wheat and other food products, declaring same illegal, and providing penalty for violation.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Peterson moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cesgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,

Mr. Peterson moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 22 and nays 39, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sageng,	Wold,
Devold,	Jackson,			

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gooding,	Nolan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Rockne,	

So the bill failed to pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Memorial Exercises set for 2 P. M. today be postponed until 3 P. M. today.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now recess until 3 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3 P. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved that S. F. No. 1027 be recalled from the enrolling clerk and laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1027

Was recalled from the enrolling clerk and laid on the table.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

The hour of 3 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the order of business to be the Memorial Exercises in memory of the late Robert C. Dunn.

REPORT.

To the Honorable State Senate of the State of Minnesota:

Your special committee appointed for the purpose of preparing a memorial commemorative of the late Honorable Robert C. Dunn of Princeton, Minnesota, who was at the time of his death a member of the State Senate of the State of Minnesota, respectfully submits the following:

Robert C. Dunn was born in Plumbridge, County of Tyrone, Ireland, February 14, 1855. While still a boy he came to America,

acquired some knowledge of the printing trade in St. Louis, came to Princeton in this state, and commenced the publication of the "Princeton Union" in 1876, and continued it until the time of his death, October 28, 1918. This paper had, and still has, a large circulation and influence, particularly as being an exponent of those principles by which its owner was governed in private and public life.

As a public servant Mr. Dunn served the state in the following capacities. As a member of the House of Representatives, 1889 to 1891, 1893 to 1895 and from 1911 to 1915; as State Auditor from 1895 to 1903; and as State Senator from 1915 until the time of his death. As a man and as an officer he was held in the highest esteem. His conception of public duty and public service, the interest he felt in others and the public welfare in general, made such demands upon his thought and efforts that considerations of himself were forced into secondary place.

The experience he gained in public service prepared him for greater service and his best work was done during the last years of his life. This was a work the importance and value of which will in the future be more appreciated than even at the present time. He laid the foundation for a monument—his own monument—and its magnitude will become greater and greater as the years pass by. As population and production continually increase the importance of good roads will become more apparent and necessary, and Robert C. Dunn was the man who gave unto us the law and gospel of good roads. As George Washington is known in our history as the father of his country, so the late Honorable Robert C. Dunn will be remembered in Minnesota at least, as the "Father of Good Roads."

Now Therefore Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota that in the death of Honorable Robert C. Dunn the State of Minnesota lost one of its greatest men, and the members of this Senate, many of whom have been his intimate associates in public life, sincerely mourn his loss.

That we desire to convey to his sorrowing widow and children our sincere sympathy in the personal bereavement suffered by them in the loss of such a husband and father.

That in common with the people of the State of Minnesota we know that his memory and his services and achievements as a public servant of the State of Minnesota will be long cherished and remembered.

And Be It Further Resolved That this report and the resolutions connected therewith, after adoption by the Senate, be printed in the Journal thereof; and that a copy thereof, duly authenticated by the Secretary of the Senate, be forwarded to the widow and children of said deceased.

RICHARD HAMER,
CHARLES N. ORR,
JOHN D. SULLIVAN.

Mr. Hamer moved the adoption of the resolution as reported.
Which resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

The hour of 3 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the order of business to be the Memorial Exercises in memory of the late Carlton L. Wallace.

REPORT.

To the Honorable State Senate of the State of Minnesota:

Resolved, That it is with sincere regret and genuine sorrow that the Senate hears of the death of Hon. Carleton L. Wallace, late Senator of Hennepin county.

Resolved, That the Senate extends to his family heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Senator Wallace, the business of the Senate be now suspended to enable his associates to pay fitting tribute to his benevolent and lovable character, and his faithful services.

Resolved, That the Secretary transmit to the family of the deceased an engrossed copy of these resolutions, with the action of the Senate thereon.

ARCH COLEMAN,
JAMES D. DENEGRE,
OLE O. SAGENG.

REMARKS OFFERED BY MR. COLEMAN.

Carlton L. Wallace was born at Saratoga Springs, New York, in the year 1865. He came to Minnesota in 1871, and resided here until taken from us by death at a time when his great experience and helpful council were of especial value to the state he loved and served so well.

For nearly twenty years Carl Wallace, as we all knew him, served faithfully and with distinction in the legislature of the state, having taken a prominent part in all the constructive legislation of his time.

He was first elected to the Minnesota House of Representatives in 1898, was re-elected in 1900, 1904 and 1908. In 1910 the citizens of the 34th Senatorial district expressed their appreciation of his public spirited service by electing him a member of this body, and further expressed their confidence by re-electing him in 1914 and again in 1918.

Probably no member of the Legislature has given more exhaustive study to the important and intricate subject of taxation than Senator Wallace, and his tireless work in connection with tax measures of this state will long be remembered by those who served with him in improving and equalizing the laws of this tremendously vital subject.

He will also be remembered by the people of this state for his conscientious and persistent efforts to better the moral conditions in the state by supporting and passing such acts as seemed to him practicable in their application and enforcement.

These and many other activities in which he played a prominent part, will in the years to come often recall to our minds the debt of gratitude due to Senator Wallace for his able and unselfish public service.

Acknowledging his death to be a serious loss to all of the people of this state, it is to the people of Minneapolis that his sudden call came as a shock of the greatest magnitude.

While we all knew of his close application to the legislative needs of our city and its public institutions, and appreciate the care he exercised in looking after the affairs of Hennepin County, all this was over-shadowed in our minds by the lovable, genial personality of the man himself.

Probably no man in Minneapolis can greet as many personal friends and in so doing bring forth the sincere smile of good fellowship, as could Senator Wallace. And this smile was but the reflection of his own.

This wonderful characteristic will always be uppermost in the minds of those who knew him. His never-failing optimism, his abiding faith in the future of his state and county, and his confidence in the friendships of his friends; these were the greatest qualities that endeared him to all, and these qualities may well be emulated by those of us who must carry on the work from which he was called.

God in His infinite wisdom has taken our friend from his family and companions, and we in our sorrow can but bow our heads and say "Thy will be done."

Mr. Coleman moved the adoption of the resolution as reported together with the remarks offered in connection therewith.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote

MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

The hour of 3 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the order of business to be the Memorial Exercises in memory of the late Harry F. Weis.

REPORT.

To the Honorable State Senate of the State of Minnesota:

Your special committee appointed for the purpose of preparing a memorial commemorative of the life and services of the late Hon. Harry F. Weis of LeSueur, Minnesota, who was at the time of his death a member of the State Senate of the State of Minnesota, respectfully submit the following:

Senator Weis was born in Parkersburg, West Virginia, September 10, 1865, and came with his parents to Minnesota in 1876, locating at Henderson. After graduation from the Henderson High School, he entered the law office of S. and O. Kipp, and when that firm located in St. Paul he came with them.

Was cashier of the Bank of Belle Plaine during 1888 and 1889, when he returned to St. Paul and engaged in business.

He was married to Miss Susie A. Welch, daughter of Thomas Welch of Henderson in October 1890. Three children were born of this union, Helen, Clayton and Wallace. Clayton was a lieutenant with the American Expeditionary Force in France.

In February 1894 he entered the First National Bank of Le Sueur, and was cashier of that institution until his death. His keen business capacity and pleasing individuality made this bank one of the leading financial institutions in the region wherein it is located.

He always took a prominent part in all movements of every kind that he considered beneficial to the community in which he resided, and his dominant personality always carried weight and influence into any proposition in which he engaged.

He organized and constructed the Le Sueur Telephone Exchange in 1896, and took a prominent part in the organization of the Minnesota Valley Canning Company.

He took an active interest in all matters pertaining to agriculture, and was for many years Secretary and Treasurer of the Le Sueur County Fair Association, unselfishly devoting his time, labor and contributions to making it a success.

Senator Weis was first elected to the State Senate in 1906 and has served continuously since that time.

Senator Weis was known as a man of action rather than of words—a doer rather than a talker. His ability was only equalled by his modesty. Whatever he set his hand and brain to do, he accomplished quietly and unostentatiously, but none the less effectively.

His knowledge of the wants, the needs, the hopes and aspirations of the State was most comprehensive and profound, and there was no member of the Senate whose counsel was more frequently sought on public measures, or more highly valued. His legislative career was marked by broad-minded comprehensive action. He earnestly strove not only to represent his own district but the entire commonwealth. He was a whole-state man.

The home life of Senator Weis was sweetly beautiful. He was the ideal husband and father, and his departure has created a vacancy in the family circle that can never be filled.

It is hard to understand why, just at this critical time in state, national and world affairs, the people of the state he loved and who loved him, should be deprived of his sterling patriotism, ripe experience, great ability and wonderful accomplishing power—just when they were seemingly most needed, and yet we must perforce bow in humble submission to the decrees of an all-wise Providence and say with respectful reverence, “He doeth all things well.”

“His life was gentle,
And the elements so in him mixed,
That all the world can say:
‘He Was a Man.’”

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved By the Senate of the **State of Minnesota**:

That in the death of the Hon. Harry F. Weis, the state and nation loses one of its wise counsellors, devoted servitors, and a valued citizen, and those who were his colleagues in legislative service and who knew him best, most profoundly mourn his loss.

That in terms of warmest sympathy, we desire to convey to his bereaved and stricken wife and family our sincere condolence in the personal loss by them suffered of a splendid husband and father.

That the people of the state whom he served so long and well will long remember him as a public servant, always devoted to their interests and with an eye single to their welfare.

And Be It Further Resolved, that this report, together with the resolutions forming a part thereof, shall be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and an engrossed copy thereof, duly authenticated and signed by the Lieutenant Governor and the Secretary of the Senate, be forwarded to the family of the departed Senator.

C. N. COSGROVE,
JAMES A. CARLEY,
A. J. ROCKNE.

Mr. Cosgrove moved the adoption of the resolution as reported. Which resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, April 9, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millet,	Sageng,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ST. PAUL, April 8, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 86, An Act to authorize cities in this state of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of constructing bridges across navigable streams running through such cities.

S. F. No. 88, An Act authorizing village councils to acquire land for park purposes, and to appropriate money therefor and for the maintenance thereof.

S. F. No. 491, An Act authorizing county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven Congressional townships, whole or fractional, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, to construct roads on township or range lines, and to levy taxes therefor.

S. F. No. 564, An Act amending Section 5224, General Statutes 1913, relating to sales of state land and land sales manager.

S. F. No. 690, An Act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.

S. F. No. 352, An Act to amend Section 9313, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of binding twine manufactured in the Minnesota state prison.

S. F. No. 481, An Act directing the State Auditor to correct school land certificates, Nos. 44,619, 44,620, 44,621 and 44,622 authorizing the governor to execute patents therefor to James A. Ogilvie.

S. F. No. 507, An Act authorizing cities operating under a Home Rule Charter and having ten thousand inhabitants or less to issue and sell refunding bonds under certain conditions.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ST. PAUL, April 8, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Rask be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

A bill for an act to amend Section 3975 General Statutes Minnesota 1913 as amended by Chapter 230 Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the exemption of certain persons from paying a peddler's license fee.

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Rask introduced—

S. F. No. 1037, A bill for an act to amend Section 3975, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 230, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the exemption of certain persons from paying a peddler's license fee.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1037, A bill for an act to amend Section 3975, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 230, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the exemption of certain persons from paying a peddler's license fee.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1037,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1037, A bill for an act to amend Section 3975, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 230, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the exemption of certain persons from paying a peddler's license fee.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Blomgren,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Devold,	Gandrud,
Bonniwell,	Coleman,	Cumming,	Dwyer,	Gillam,
Brooks,	Conroy,	Denegre,	Erickson,	Gjerset,

Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Swanson,
Hall,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Hamer,	Lee,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Stepan,	Wold,
Hopp,	Loonam,	Rask,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Johnson,	Madigan,			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ST. PAUL, April 8, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator J. D. Sullivan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

A bill for an act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229, Laws 1909, (Section 9330 General Statutes 1913) which section authorizes the Board of Control to furnish crush rock produced at the State Reformatory to the Highway Department for road purposes.

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., introduced—

S. F. No. 1038, A bill for an act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229, Laws 1909, (Section 9330 General Statutes 1913) which Section authorizes the Board of Control to furnish crush rock produced at the State Reformatory to the Highway Department for road purposes.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1038, A bill for an act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229, Laws 1909, (Section 9330 General Statutes 1913) which Section authorizes the Board of Control to furnish crush rock produced at the State Reformatory to the Highway Department for road purposes.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1038,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1038, A bill for an act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229, Laws 1909, (Section 9330 General Statutes 1913) which Section authorizes the Board of Control to furnish crush rock produced at the State Reformatory to the Highway Department for road purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 684, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

H. F. No. 493, A bill for an act to amend Laws 1913, Chapter 467, Section 33, being General Statutes 1913, Section 8229, (2), relating to workmen's compensation.

H. F. No. 21, A bill for an act to amend Section 8207, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 351, General Laws 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

H. F. No. 27, A bill for an act to amend Section 14. of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 209 General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to compensate the dependents of employes in all cases where death results to an employe, caused by injury arising out of and in the course of employment, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

H. F. No. 1073, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the workmen's compensation act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.

H. F. No. 782, A bill for an act to amend Section 8209, General Statutes of 1913, to provide for the payment of total permanent compensation out of a special fund in certain cases.

April 8, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 363, A bill for an act to authorize the publication of the summary of the annual statements of insurance companies in certain insurance trade journals.

S. F. No. 586, A bill for an act providing for the general care, improvement and supervision of the land owned and acquired by the State of Minnesota under the provisions of Chapter 376, Laws of 1895, which land is situated in Renville County and known as the battle field of Birch Coulie.

S. F. No. 299, A bill for an act permitting counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand people to appropriate money for the purpose of advertising, improving or developing the agricultural resources of such counties and the payment of such money to incorporated development societies, amending Section 734 General Statutes 1913.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 627, A bill for an act to regulate the repapering, repainting and re-calclmining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings, to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.

H. F. No. 936, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 2769 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of common school districts.

H. F. No. 413, A bill for an act establishing the Minnesota War Records Commission; providing for the compilation of records and the collection of materials relating to the participation of the state and its citizens in the world war, and for the preparation, publication and distribution of a memorial record and history of Minnesota's part in the war; and appropriating money for the carrying out of the provisions of this act.

H. F. No. 979, A bill for an act authorizing municipal subdivisions of the state to appropriate funds in aid of the work to be carried on by the Minnesota War Records Commission.

H. F. No. 1166, A bill for an act amending Section 823 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of county auditors in certain counties.

H. F. No. 1021, A bill for an act to provide for the relief, assistance and support of children of school age required by law to attend school.

H. F. No. 1177, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of certain cities to provide, by resolution, that one of the judges of the municipal court of any such city shall act as a Court of Conciliation and small debtors' court

H. F. No. 1198, A bill for an act to regulate cold storage of certain articles of food and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 631, A bill for an act to establish the ninth State Fish Hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commissioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 8, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 782, A bill for an act to amend Section 8209, General Statutes of 1913, to provide for the payment of total permanent compensation out of a special fund in certain cases.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation

H. F. No. 1073, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the workmen's compensation act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 27, A bill for an act to amend Section 14, of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 209 General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to compensate the dependents of employes in all cases where death results to an employe, caused by injury arising out of and in the course of employment, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 21, A bill for an act to amend Section 8207, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 351, General Law 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 493, A bill for an act to amend Laws 1913, Chapter 467, Section 33, being General Statutes 1913, Section 8229, (2), relating to workmen's compensation.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 684, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

H. F. No. 1166, A bill for an act amending Section 823 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of county auditors in certain counties.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 627, A bill for an act to regulate the repapering, repainting and re-calculining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings, to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

H. F. No. 1021, A bill for an act to provide for the relief, assistance and support of children of school age required by law to attend school.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. F. No. 979, A bill for an act authorizing municipal subdivisions of the state to appropriate funds in aid of the work to be carried on by the Minnesota War Records Commission.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gillam moved that H. F. No. 979 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed

H. F. No. 979,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 936, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 2769 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of common school districts.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. F. No. 413, A bill for an act establishing the Minnesota War Records Commission; providing for the compilation of records and the collection of materials relating to the participation of the state and its citizens in the world war, and for the preparation, publication and distribution of a memorial record and history of Minnesota's part in the war; and appropriating money for the carrying out of the provisions of this act.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Orr moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 413 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 325, No. 51 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 325 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 413,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 325,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1177, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of certain cities to provide, by resolution, that one of the judges of the municipal court of any such city shall act as a Court of Conciliation and small debtors' court

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Guilford moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1177 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 899, No. 94 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 899, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1177,

Were read the second time.

S. F. No. 899,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1198, A bill for an act to regulate cold storage of certain articles of food and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

H. F. No. 631, A bill for an act to establish the ninth State Fish Hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commissioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 631 be made a Special Order for Tuesday, April 15, 2:00 P. M., in conjunction with S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902 and H. F. Nos. 666 and 1189.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that H. F. No. 979 be taken from the table.

H. F. No. 979 was taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Benson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 979 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 818, No. 46 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 818 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 979,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 818,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 10:30 A. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of H. F. No. 667.

H. F. No. 667,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 667, A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition, or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition, and to provide for the suspension of laws inconsistent herewith in certain cases; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and the injunction of the person creating, keeping or maintaining or aiding in the same and providing penalties for violations of this act

Was read the third time.

Mr. Peterson moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Peterson moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peterson moved the adoption of the following amendment to H. F. No. 667 as recommended by the Committee on Temperance.

That said House File be amended as follows: By striking out all of Section 2 thereof after the word "alcohol" where said word occurs in line 6 of said Section 2, and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "and provided further, that nothing in this act shall prevent the manufacture, sale or transportation of ethyl alcohol for chemical, mechanical, medicinal, pharmaceutical, scientific or industrial purposes, or of liquor for medicinal purposes, or of wine for sacramental purposes, or the use of so much alcohol as is necessary for legitimate purposes of extraction, solution or preservation in the manufacture of anything other than a beverage, or the sale or transportation of liquor by pharmacists or wholesale druggists, all upon the conditions and under the restrictions herein prescribed, and not otherwise; and provided further, that nothing in this act shall prevent the manufacture of United States Pharmacopoeia or National Formulary preparations, upon the conditions and under the restrictions herein prescribed, and not otherwise."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Carley offered the following amendment to the amendment on H. F. No. 667, printed on Page 18 of the Senate Journal of April 4th.

Amend the amendment by striking out of line 10 the words: "or wholesale dealer"; and by striking out all after the word "retail" in the last part of said amendment.

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 27 and nays 39, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Carley,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Brooks,	Fowler,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Handlan,	Nord,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,	Gjerset,
Benson,	Cliff,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Gooding,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Guilford,

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Hall,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Hamer,	Larson,	Nolan,	Sageng,	Ward,
Hegnes,	Lee,	Orr,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Hopp,	Lindsley,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Wold,
Jackson,	Madigan,	Peterson,	Swanson,	

So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Putnam moved that the following amendment as proposed to H. F. No. 667 by the Committee on Temperance be indefinitely postponed.

That said House File be further amended by striking out the words "fermented" and "or malt" where the same occur in line 3 of Section 1 of the engrossed copy of said H. F. No. 667, and further amend by inserting after the word "volume" where the same occurs in line 5 of the engrossed copy of H. F. No. 667 the following, to-wit: "and fermented and malt liquors which contain more than two per cent of alcohol by weight at sixty degrees Fahrenheit, which said fermented and malt liquors containing not to exceed two per cent of alcohol by weight, shall not be sold however, except in the following manner: by the manufacturer or wholesale dealer in quantities of not less than two gallons in closed containers or packages, not to be consumed on the premises where the sale is made nor shall the same be sold anywhere at retail except in dining rooms of bona fide hotels and restaurants licensed as such."

Which motion prevailed.

Which amendment was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to amend H. F. No. 667, by striking out the word "containing" where it occurs in the fourth line of Section 1 of the original engrossed bill, and insert in place thereof the words: "Whenever any of said liquors or liquid contain."

Which amendment was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Dwyer moved that the Senate do now recess until 3:30 P. M.
Which motion did not prevail.

SPECIAL ORDER—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to amend H. F. No. 667, by striking out all of Section 27 in the original engrossed bill and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

This act is intended to provide for the enforcement of Article XVIII of the Constitution of the United States of America, under

the concurrent power clause thereof, and the provisions of the act of Congress of November 21, 1918, "commonly known as War Prohibition" and shall take effect from and after January 16, 1920, and in case the sale of intoxicating liquor, shall, prior to January 16, 1920, become unlawful in this state by the terms and provisions of any act of Congress, or pursuant to the proclamation of the President of the United States issued by virtue of any act of Congress, then and in such case this act shall thereupon take effect and be in force and continue in force during such time prior to January 16, 1920, as such sale of intoxicating liquor shall continue to be unlawful by reason of any such Act of Congress or proclamation of the President of the United States, but in any event shall be in full force and effect from and after January 16, 1920.

All laws and parts of laws, ordinances and charter provisions inconsistent herewith are hereby suspended and made inoperative during such period prior to January 16, 1920, as this act may become and remain in force by reason of the sale of intoxicating liquor being unlawful, by and under the terms and provisions of any Act of Congress, or pursuant to the proclamation of the President made by virtue of any Act of Congress, but, if prior to January 16, 1920, the sale of intoxicating liquors shall cease to be unlawful under any such act of Congress or any such proclamation then and in such case all laws or parts of laws of this state, ordinances and charter provisions suspended during such period, shall again become operative and be in force and shall so continue until January 16, 1920, and provided further, that in case the said Article XVIII to the Constitution of the United States shall at any time become void or inoperative, then this act shall become and be suspended and inoperative.

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Erickson,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Fowler,	Millett,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Ward,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Benson,	Cliff,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Gooding,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Gandrud,	Gjerset,	Guilford,

Hall,	Larson,	Naplin,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Hamer,	Lee,	Nolan,	Sageng,	Turnham,
Hopp,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Jackson,	Madigan,	Palmer,	Stepan,	Wold,
Johnson,				

So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bessette moved to amend H. F. No. 667 as follows:

At the end of Section 2, strike out the period and insert a semicolon and the following words: "provided, however, that no patent or proprietary medicine intended for human consumption shall be sold or offered for sale which contains more than 10% alcohol by volume.

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 11 and nays 51, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Callahan,	Dwyer,	Loonam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Kuntz,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,				

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lee,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Reed,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Schmechel moved to amend H. F. No. 667 as follows:

By inserting at the end of Section 2 thereof, immediately following the word "otherwise," the following words, to-wit:

"Provided, further, that the provisions of this section shall not be deemed to prohibit the importation and introduction into the state of wine for sacramental purposes purchased without the state by any regularly appointed and ordained priest, minister or pastor of any church or established religious organization."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	Ward,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Rockne,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Besette,	Callahan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Kingsbury,	Loonam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin moved that H. F. No. 1158 be made a Special Order for Tuesday, April 15, 11:00 A. M.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Cliff moved that H. F. Nos. 803 and 1065 be made a Special Order for Friday, April 11, 4:00 P. M.

Which motion did not prevail.

By unanimous consent the Special Order on S. F. Nos. 467 and 483 was postponed until later in the afternoon.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 7:30 P. M.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved as a substitute motion that the Senate do now recess until 4:00 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 4:00 P. M.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 4:00 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of H. F. Nos. 860 and 861.

H. F. No. 860, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section relates to the salary and expenses of the commissioner of highways, the deputy commissioner of highways, the several assistant engineers, the clerical and technical assistants of the highway department and the expense of maintaining the offices of the highway department.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 861, A bill for an act authorizing the county board of any county to designate an assistant engineer of the highway department of the state to act as superintendent of maintenance on state roads and as such to issue time checks for work done in the maintenance of state roads under the provisions of Chapter 182, Laws 1915.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nord,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Rask,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Reed,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Sageng,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Stepan,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. Nos. 467 and 483.

Mr. Nord moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,	

Mr. Nord moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 467, A bill for an act to develop the agricultural resources of the State of Minnesota by land colonization within the state, and creating a State Colonization Commission.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Nord moved to amend S. F. No. 467 as follows:

In Section 1 line 16, strike out the word "access" and insert in lieu thereof the word "excess." In Section 1 line 18, strike out the word "biannually" and insert in lieu thereof the word "biennially."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 467 and moved its adoption:

In Section 2 line 12, strike out the word "approved" and insert in lieu thereof the word "authorized."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 21, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nord,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Callahan,	Erickson,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Coleman,	Fowler,	Millett,	Swanson,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lee,	Nolan,	Wold,
Cliff,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 483, A bill for an act to amend Section 6142 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, providing a minimum capitalization of mortgage loan and land companies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Besette,	Erickson,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Cliff, from the Committee on Public Institutions and Buildings, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 771, A bill for an act to provide against fraud on hospitals, sanitariums, public or private institutions for care and treatment of the sick or disabled and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed and returned to author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 771,

Was indefinitely postponed and returned to its author.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 421, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 3, Section 1, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 421, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 3, Section 1, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 421,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 421, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 3, Section 1, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Callahan,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 751, A bill for an act relating to public warehouses on the right of way of railroads.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 533, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 312 of the General Laws of Minnesota, 1903, as amended by Chapter 141 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1907; Chapter 364 of the General Laws of 1909; Chapter 396 of the General Laws of 1913; and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1913; authorizing cities having a population of 10,000 or less, and all villages and boroughs of this state organized under the General Laws or under a special law, to establish and maintain a general system of sewers, and to maintain, alter, relay and extend any existing systems of sewers, and to provide for the cost thereof, and to create sewer districts within the limits of such cities, villages or boroughs.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 999, A bill for an act making the continuance on record of instruments conveying real estate or an interest therein, where such conveyance does not affirmatively show that the grantors were married, for 20 years prima facie evidence that such grantors were unmarried and the continuance on record of such instruments for thirty years conclusive evidence that grantors were unmarried unless persons claiming by virtue of such marriage commence action to determine their rights prior to January 1st, 1920 and file lis pendens in office of Register of Deeds in county where such land lies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. At the beginning of the title of the bill, add the words, "A bill for."

2. Strike out the words, "and the continuance on record of such instruments for thirty years conclusive evidence that grantors were unmarried" where they occur in the 5th and 6th lines of the title of the bill.

3. Strike out Section 1 of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the following:

"Section 1. That whenever a deed, assignment, or other instru-

ment affecting the title to real estate shall have been filed or recorded in the office of the register of deeds of any county, or in any public office authorized to receive such instrument for filing or recording, and shall have continued on record for twenty years and such instrument does not affirmatively show whether the grantor or assignor or person who executed the instrument was married, such filing or recording and continuance thereof for such twenty year period shall be prima facie evidence that such grantor or assignor or person who executed the instrument was an unmarried person at the time of the making and delivery of such instrument, unless prior to January 1, 1920, any person claiming any estate in the land affected by such instrument, by, through or under such person or his or her spouse, heirs, or devisees, shall commence an action to recover such estate and shall file a notice of lis pendens at the time of the commencement of the action in the office of the register of deeds in the county where such land is situated."

4. Strike out all of Section 2 of the bill.

5. Renumber Section 3 of the bill correspondingly.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 979, A bill for an act to amend Section 720, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the establishment and maintenance of tuberculosis sanatoria in counties of the state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of said act after the enacting clause and substituting therefor the following:

Section 1. That Section 720, General Statutes Minnesota Laws 1913, be amended so as to read as follows:

"720. A county or group of counties wishing to establish a sanatorium as indicated in Section 1 (717) shall through the board or boards of county commissioners appropriate one-half the necessary funds in apportioned amounts as hereafter provided for the establishment, construction and equipment of the same and may issue bonds therefor in the manner provided by law for the issuance by counties of bonds for other purposes. The state treasurer shall pay out of the funds hereafter provided under this act one-half the cost of the erection and equip-

ment of each such sanatorium including cost of site, which payment shall be made in the manner provided by law for the payment of expense incurred by the state board of control in the erection and equipment of public buildings; provided, that the amount contributed by the state towards the cost of the erection and equipment of each of such sanatorium including cost of site shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), except where five or more counties unite to erect and equip such sanatorium, in which event the amount contributed by the state shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00). Whenever any such sanatorium has been erected and equipped said county sanatorium commission shall have full charge and control of the maintenance of the same, but may confer with the state board of control with reference thereto or respecting the purchase of supplies therefor whenever it desires so to do, and said state board of control shall aid in the securing of favorable contracts for the purchase of supplies when so called upon." (1).

Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Memorandum: (1) indicates that the following words contained in Section 720 have been omitted in the above amendment.

"Said county sanatorium commission shall determine by resolution each year prior to July 1st, the amount of money necessary for the maintenance of such sanatorium during the following year and a certified copy of such resolution shall be forthwith forwarded to the board or boards of county commissioners, and such board or boards may in their discretion at the regular meeting in July include the properly approved and apportioned amount in the annual levy of county taxes. In no case shall the amount of such levy in any one year exceed one mill on the dollar of assessed valuation. For the maintenance of each free patient treated in the sanatorium, the sum of five dollars (\$5.00) per week shall be paid to said county or group of counties by the state treasurer out of funds appropriated under this act, which payments shall be made monthly upon warrants of the state auditor, drawn upon the state treasurer, provided that the president and executive secretary of the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives certify that the institution has been properly conducted. In case two or more counties unite in a decision to establish a sanatorium, the county sanatorium commission shall apportion by resolution one-half the estimated total cost of site, erection and

equipment and the estimated total cost of maintenance for the ensuing year between or among said counties, and designate the amount to be raised by each county, which said apportionment shall be based approximately upon the respective population of said counties as determined by the last previous federal or state census. When so apportioned said commission shall forward to the board of county commissioners of each county a certified copy of such resolution, and each county board shall then proceed to pay if it has funds available for that purpose or to make a tax levy for the amount apportioned to its county. All moneys collected or received for such sanatorium purposes except cost of site, erection and equipment shall be deposited in the treasury of said county or counties to the credit of the tuberculosis sanatorium funds, and shall not be used for any other purpose and shall be paid out in a manner provided by law for other county expenses by the proper officers of said county or counties upon the properly authenticated vouchers of the county sanatorium commission signed by the president and secretary thereof and all moneys collected or received by the president and secretary thereof and all moneys collected or received to be used toward the payment of the cost of site, erection and equipment of such sanatorium shall be sent by each county treasurer to the state treasurer to be placed to the credit of said sanatorium and shall be paid out in the manner as in this section provided for other payments toward cost of site, erection and equipment of said sanatorium."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 898, A bill for an act to authorize the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to prescribe a uniform system of accounting by public local warehousemen receiving and shipping grain; prescribing proper blanks, books and records to be used and to authorize the revocation of license of any such warehouseman who shall fail to comply with the requirements of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 898,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 996, A bill for an act to amend Section 4445 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to terminal elevator storage charges.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 996,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1016, A bill for an act to amend Section 4452, General Statutes 1913, relating to Minnesota grades of grain.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1017, A bill for an act to amend Section 4448, General Statutes 1913, relating to Boards of Grain Inspection.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 359, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 4436, General Statutes 1913, having reference to the licensing of Public Terminal Warehouses.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1000, A bill for an act to amend Section 4445, of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to schedules of rates and maximum charges at terminal elevators.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 1000, 1017, 1016, 979, 999, 533 and 751,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 359,
Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that H. F. No. 502 be recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health and laid on the table.
Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 337, No. 36 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 337, A bill for an act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a state expert printer, and defining their duties.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Carley moved to amend S. F. No. 337 as follows:

By striking from line 20 of Section 4 the words "agricultural and" and by striking from said line the word "societies" and substituting therefor the word "society."

By inserting immediately after the word "printing" in line 24 of Section 4 the following:

"The state agricultural society shall provide for the printing of all advertising matter, premium lists, catalogues, blanks, cards, reports and all other printing necessary for the conduct of its business and purchase such furniture, supplies and equipment as may be required by it, and the expense thereof shall be paid by such society out of its own funds."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Coleman,	Dwyer,	Gillam,
Besette,	Carley,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,	Gjerset,
Blomgren,	Cashel,	Cumming,	Fowler,	Hall,
Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Denegre,	Gandrud,	Hamer,

Hegnes,	Larson,	Millett,	Sageng,	Turnham,
Hopp,	Lee,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven.
Jackson,	Lindsley,	Nolan,	Stepan,	Vibert,
Johnson,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Ward,
Kingsbury,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Widell,
Kuntz,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Swanson,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that S. F. No. 1035 be recalled from the Committee on General Legislation and laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that S. F. No. 1035 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act amending Chapter 429, General Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 105, General Laws of 1919, being "An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof and for prosecutions and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Securities Commission," by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 6-A, to be inserted between Sections 6 and 7.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1035,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act amending Chapter 429, General Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 105, General Laws of 1919, being "An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof and for prosecutions and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Securities Commission," by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 6-A, to be inserted between Sections 6 and 7.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS--CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved that S. F. No. 1027 be taken from the table.
Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1027

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Swanson then moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 1027 was passed be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend S. F. No. 1027 by striking out the comma after the word "compensation" in the title of said bill and inserting the following words between the words "compensation" and "expenses"; "of county officers and their"; and further to amend Section 1 by inserting between the word "the" and "officers" the word "county," where they appear in the fifth line of said section; and further to amend Section 8 by striking out the word "necessarily" in the eighth line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "necessary."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, April 10, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nörd,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Turnham, Benson and Handlan were excused for today.

Mr. Kingsbury was excused for this afternoon.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,*Hon. Thos. Frankson,*
President of the Senate.

ST. PAUL, April 9, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Hall be permitted to introduced a bill entitled:

A bill for an act to authorize the State Drainage Commission to construct a relief channel to carry the waters of the Redwood River around the City of Marshall and to appropriate money to defray in part the cost of such improvement.

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1 of Article 4 of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hall introduced—

S. F. No. 1039, A bill for an act to authorize the State Drainage Commission to construct a relief channel to carry the waters of the Redwood River around the city of Marshall and to appropriate money to defray in part the cost of such improvement.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,*Hon. Thomas Frankson,*
President of the Senate.

ST. PAUL, April 9, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Carley be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

A bill for an act to amend Section 5204, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Laws 1917, relating to the sale of public lands.

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley introduced—

S. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 5204, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Laws 1917, relating to the sale of public lands.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 5204, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Laws 1917, relating to the sale of public lands.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1040,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 5204, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Laws 1917, relating to the sale of public lands.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Devold,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Vibert.
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Wold.
Cliff,	Hall,	Lee,	Putnam,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 405, A bill for an act requiring registers of deeds to record and return instruments within thirty days.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 582, A bill for an act providing for town ditches and local assessments therefor for the drainage of lands and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds in anticipation of the collection of such assessments.

H. F. No. 311, A bill for an act requiring villages and cities of the Fourth Class to provide and maintain public rest rooms, with toilet and lavatory facilities.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 508, A bill for an act providing for the establishment of a depositor's guaranty fund to guarantee payments of general deposits and the establishment of a commission to supervise and control such fund; also establishing the rate of interest that may be paid, contracted for, accepted or received by a depositor or depositors, and fixing penalties for violations of this act; and providing for the liquidation of insolvent banks.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 900, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Timber Commissioners to require the purchaser of timber located upon state lands to cut clean all standing timber upon lands covered by permit issued to said purchaser.

H. F. No. 483, A bill for an act to amend Subdivisions 2 and 8 and adding subdivision 22 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913, relating to the salaries of the judges, officers and employees of the Supreme Court, the employees in the office of state librarian, and judges of the district court.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 674, A bill for an act requiring mortgagees to pay mortgage registry taxes and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

H. F. No. 836, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 295 of the Laws of Minnesota 1915 relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the State now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000 and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.

H. F. No. 349, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 4599 General Statutes, 1913, having reference to the licensing of grain and Agricultural Commission merchants.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 9, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 483, A bill for an act to amend Subdivisions 2 and 8 and adding subdivision 22 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913, relating to the salaries of the judges, officers and employees of the Supreme Court, the employees in the office of state librarian, and judges of the district court.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 311, A bill for an act requiring villages and cities of the Fourth Class to provide and maintain public rest rooms, with toilet and lavatory facilities.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 349, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 4599 General Statutes, 1913, having reference to the licensing of grain and Agricultural Commission merchants.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

H. F. No. 508, A bill for an act providing for the establishment of a depositor's guaranty fund to guarantee payments of general deposits and the establishment of a commission to supervise and control such fund; also establishing the rate of interest that may be paid, contracted for, accepted or received by a depositor or depositors, and fixing penalties for violations of this act; and providing for the liquidation of insolvent banks.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 508 be given its second reading and placed on General Orders.

Mr. Putnam moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Putnam moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the adoption of the motion,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 19 and nays 36, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Baldwin,	Cashel,	Erickson,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Johnson,	Millett,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Devold,	Lee,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

Those who voted in the negative were :

Adams,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Reed,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Hall,	Nord,	Sageng,	
Denegre,	Hamer,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Fowler,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,	

Which motion did not prevail.

H. F. No. 508 was then referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 900, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Timber Commissioners to require the purchaser of timber located upon state lands to cut clean all standing timber upon lands covered by permit issued to said purchaser.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 900 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 733, No. 31 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 733 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 900,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 733,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 836, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 295 of the Laws of Minnesota 1915 relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the State now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000 and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 674, A bill for an act requiring mortgagees to pay mortgage registry taxes and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 582, A bill for an act providing for town ditches and local assessments therefor for the drainage of lands and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds in anticipation of the collection of such assessments.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Drainage.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 313, A bill for an act to amend section 252, General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, as amended by Chapter 400 of the Session Laws of 1913, being subdivision 2 of Chapter 5A of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the salaries of judges and certain other officers of the Supreme and District Courts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 313,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Ward, from the Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 569, A bill for an act to provide for field experiments on sandy soils.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 569,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, it is generally agreed that the time is now ripe for the consolidation of the activities of the State Board of Health and the so-called Advisory Commission, and that the duties of the Advisory Commission be performed through the State Board of Health, and

Whereas, it is apparent that the reason for not so consolidating the two (2) said departments is the unpopularity of the present Secretary of the State Board of Health, and the objections on the part of the said Advisory Commission to having the affairs of the State Sanitariums conducted under the supervision of the present Secretary of the State Board of Health.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that it is the sense of this Senate that the State Board of Health should call upon the Secretary to resign, and that if the present State Board of Health does not see fit so to do, that the Governor of this State should take such action in the premises as will bring about a change in the personnel of said Board and the removal of the said present Secretary thereof.

Be it further resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate send to His Excellency the Governor, and to the President of the State Board of Health, a copy of this resolution.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Orr.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 702, A-bill for an act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays 3. as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Lee,	Orr,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Lindsley,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Johnson,	Millett,	Rockne,	Widell,
Coleman,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Bessette,	Erickson,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 762, A bill for an act to amend Section 5265, General Statutes 1913, relating to sale of timber on state lands.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nord,	Swanson,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Carley,	Lee,	Loonam,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 760, A bill for an act to prescribe certain duties of the surveyor general of logs and lumber and prescribing duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Carley,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 247, A bill for an act to provide for the elimination of certain lands from state forests.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Erickson,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 726, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 223 Laws 1917, which said chapter is entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision of such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Erickson,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 476, A bill for an act to amend Section 4973, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians by the State Medical Examining Board.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Hopp moved to amend Senate File No. 476 by striking out the period at the end of line seventeen (17) in Section 1 of the printed bill and inserting the following:

"provided further, that any physician licensed in any state who is a graduate of a recognized medical college, and who shall have served in overseas service in the army or navy of the United States for a period of not less than six months, and upon a payment of a fee of Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), and upon a proper showing of such service and license by said applicant, shall be licensed to practice as a physician and surgeon in this state without further examination, and, provided further, that such application for such license shall be made within one year from the taking effect of this act."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Orr,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 148, A bill for an act requiring stock yards at terminal markets to be provided with feeding and watering troughs.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 457, A bill for an act providing the procedure of the Probate Court to secure a grant of title to real estate located in the Dominion of Canada in performance of contract for the sale thereof by a deceased person.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 147, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing Subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 551, A bill for an act to empower counties bordering on the Red River of the North to make appropriations to aid and assist townships within said counties bordering on said river in paying for, erecting, repairing and improving and rebuilding bridges across the said Red River of the North in such townships.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 663, A bill for an act authorizing county boards to grant petitions of school board to have lands adjacent to or projecting into school districts set off and made a part of such districts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Romberg.
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Callahan,	Devold,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Wold,
Colman,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 937, A bill for an act to provide in certain cases for the separation from cities containing 10,000 inhabitants or less, and from school districts contained in such cities, of unplatted agricultural lands included in the corporate limits of such city, and attaching the same to an adjoining town and school district in the same county.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert.
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 718, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of County Commissioners.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 718 by striking out the figures "684" where the same appear in the title and insert in lieu thereof the figures "685".

Further amend by striking out the word "salaries" where the same appears in the title.

Further amend by striking out the period after the word "commissioners" where it appears in the title and by adding the following words "in certain counties".

Further amend by striking out all after the figure "1" in line one of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That Section 685, General Statutes of Minnesota 1915, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"685. The several members of the county boards of this state in counties containing less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants shall receive three dollars per day for each and every day necessarily occupied in the discharge of their official duties while acting on any committee under the direction of the board, and ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled in attending such committee work, and shall also be entitled to mileage of ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled for attending meetings of the board, not to exceed twelve meetings in any one year; and in addition, the chairman of the county board shall receive ten cents per mile each way for going to the county seat to sign warrants during recess of the county board.

Provided, however, if a county commissioner uses his own team or automobile in the necessary performance of the official duties of his office, he shall be allowed for the use thereof such reasonable amount as the use of a team or an automobile could be hired for, under the same circumstances, from a person engaged in the livery business in the same locality. Such allowance, however, shall not exceed ten cents (10c) per mile for each mile actually traveled, and no charge shall be made or paid for the time consumed by such county commissioner's conveyance while in waiting.

Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

(Bill and proposed amendment to lie over.)

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 454, A bill for an act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Cashel,	Cosgrove.	Devold,
Bonniwell,	Callahan,•	Coleman,	Cumming,	Dwyer,
Boylan,	Carley,	Conroy,	Denegre,	Erickson,

Fowler,	Hopp,	McGarry,	Reed,	Swanson,
Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Gjerset,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sageng,	Widell,
Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Hall,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Stepan,	
Hamer,	Lee,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Hegnes,	Loonam,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 478, A bill for an act to validate certain debts contracted, and pecuniary liabilities incurred, by the authorities of counties of this State, having a population of less than 16,000 inhabitants, in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rask,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Callahan,	Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Carley,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Widell,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 818, A bill for an act entitled. An act legalizing certain bonds heretofore issued by school districts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Cashel,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cliff,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 641, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90, General Laws of 1913, entitled, An act relating to railroad rates in this state and to increase the powers and

further define the duties of the Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission in relation to the same and to define, prevent and punish unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of freight on railroads in this state, and prohibiting any railway company doing business in this state from charging or receiving any greater compensation for the transportation of a like kind or class and quantity of property or freight of any description for a shorter than for a longer distance over the same line and empowering and directing the board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission to make and promulgate a schedule of reasonable maximum rate of charges for the transportation of freight and cars and vesting said board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission with power of classification of freight and of rates and railroads and prescribing a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto and providing penalties and punishments for violations of the provisions thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams.	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Vibert.
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Widell,
Carley,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset.	Lee,	Sageng.	
Conroy,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Schmichel,	
Cosgrove	Guilford,	Loonam,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 888, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Dwyer,	Hall,	Lee,
Bonniwell,	Coleman,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Lindsley,
Boylan,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Loonam,
Brooks,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,	Jackson,	McGarry,
Callahan,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Millett,
Carley,	Devold,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,

Nord,
Orr,
Reed,

Rockne,
Romberg.

Sageng,
Schmechel,

Stepan,
Van Hoven,

Vibert,
Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that H. F. Nos. 1189 and 666 be printed.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Erickson moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Devold was excused for the afternoon.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall moved that the following proposed amendment to S. F. No. 718 be withdrawn—

To amend S. F. No. 718 by striking out the figures "684" where the same appears in the title and insert in lieu thereof the figures "685."

Further amend by striking out the word "salaries" where the same appears in the title.

Further amend by striking out the period after the word "Commissioners" where it appears in the title and by adding the following words "in certain counties."

Further amend by striking out all after the figure "1" in line 1 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That Section 685, General Statutes of Minnesota 1915, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"685. The several members of the county boards of this state in counties containing less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants shall receive three dollars per day for each and every day necessarily occupied in the discharge of their official duties while acting on any committee under the direction of the board, and ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled in attending such com-

mittee work, and shall also be entitled to mileage of ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled for attending meetings of the board, not to exceed twelve meetings in any one year; and in addition, the chairman of the county board shall receive ten cents per mile each way for going to the county seat to sign warrants during recess of the county board.

Provided, however, if a county commissioner uses his own team or automobile in the necessary performance of the official duties of his office, he shall be allowed for the use thereof such reasonable amount as the use of a team or an automobile could be hired for, under the same circumstances, from a person engaged in the livery business in the same locality. Such allowance, however, shall not exceed ten cents (10c) per mile for each mile actually traveled, and no charge shall be made or paid for the time consumed by such county commissioner's conveyance while in waiting.

Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested:

S. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners or the body charged with control of the park system of any city now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 and not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, to build and construct or cause to be built and constructed, sidewalks and curb and gutter along the parkways of any such city and assess the cost thereof on abutting property.

S. F. No. 574, A bill for an act creating a board of estimate and taxation in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution, and defining its powers and duties and regulating taxation, finance and indebtedness therein.

S. F. No. 619, A bill for an act relating to and providing for the levy of additional school taxes in school districts in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants.

S. F. No. 316, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

S. F. No. 969, A bill for an act to amend Section 824, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of Minnesota, for 1917, Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 472, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 of Chapter 366, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 376, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 2, 3 and 4, Chapter 361, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1909, as amended by Chapter 203, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 137, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapters 510 and 481, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 129, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 1, Chapter 142, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 434, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2, Chapter 193, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 412, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 80, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Chapter 190, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 83, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 3 of Chapter 122 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 3, Chapter 191 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, Section 1008, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, regulating salaries of certain county officers, their assistants, deputies and clerks in all counties in this state having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and less than three hundred and thirty thousand (330,000) inhabitants.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 389, A bill for an act to authorize cities of the first class to levy taxes for defraying the current expenses of such cities.

S. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act authorizing the county board of any county in this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$300,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits and having at any time an area of over 5,000 square miles to erect and maintain an automobile storage garage and repair shop on the court house grounds and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund of said county.

S. F. No. 520, A bill for an act authorizing any county of this state which now is or hereafter may be so located with reference to another state, that it is desirable and necessary for the public interests to construct a highway across a portion of such adjoining state, to appropriate and expend county road funds of such county in acquiring a road right of way across such state and constructing and maintaining thereon a highway leading therefrom into this state.

S. F. No. 1011, A bill for an act authorizing the County Sanitorium Commission in any county of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting a new building or buildings for enlarging such sanitorium in the manner now provided by law, to issue properly authenticated vouchers or warrants upon the sanitorium fund of said county, not exceeding the total amount permitted by law to be levied as a tax upon the taxable property of said county for the maintenance of such sanitorium.

S. F. No. 449, A bill for an act to authorize the state auditor to lease the surface of any unsold state land for additional room for stockpiling, storing, handling or depositing thereon and removal therefrom of ore, ore material, stripping or waste taken from other state lands under state mineral lease.

S. F. No. 573, A bill for an act authorizing cities having over 50,000 inhabitants in the State of Minnesota to issue and sell bonds for public school purposes in such cities.

S. F. No. 587, A bill for an act amending Chapter 103 of the Laws of 1917, amending Chapter 185, Laws of 1911, relating to the acquisition of lands for streets, parks and parkways in cities of the first class and the improvement and government thereof, and government of existing streets and **parkways**.

S. F. No. 918, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities in Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a Home Rule Charter to use and dispose of its surplus and unused products and furnish fire protection and use of fire apparatus to other municipalities and communities outside of such cities to make connections with and use the sewers and sewer systems of such cities.

S. F. No. 897, A bill for an act amending Section 53 of Chapter 264 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Duluth and the salaries of the judges and clerks thereof.

S. F. No. 614, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 230, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, an act relating to government of cities of the first class and authorizing the levy of taxes for play ground purposes.

S. F. No. 759, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by home rule charter to designate and redesignate the ward boundaries of such cities.

S. F. No. 190, A bill for an act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a Home Rule Charter.

S. F. No. 1005, A bill for an act fixing the salary and compensation of the County Attorney, in all counties which now have or may hereafter have an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits, and an area of over 5,000 square miles; and repealing the provisions of any act inconsistent herewith.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted.

H. F. No. 393, A bill for an act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more, and providing a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and distribution of such pension and funds.

H. F. No. 832, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 201 of General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, approved April 18, 1911, entitled, An act authorizing cities of the first class in the State of Minnesota to establish and maintain a purchasing department as a branch of the city government, and to appoint purchasing agents and other employes of such department and to prescribe their duties and make rules and regulations for the conduct and management of such purchasing department, as amended by Chapter 234, Session Laws of 1915.

April 10, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1027, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and compensation, expenses and clerk hire, in all counties in this state now or hereafter having not less than thirty-five or more than forty congressional townships, and now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million (\$16,000,000) nor more than twenty million (\$20,000,000), and prescribing the amounts thereof.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1220, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 148, Session Laws of 1919, the same being an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution, and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections, approved April 2, 1919.

April 10, 1919. —————

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1038, A bill for an act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229, Laws 1909, (Section 9330 General Statutes 1913) which section authorizes the Board of Control to furnish crush rock produced at the State Reformatory to the Highway Department for road purposes.

April 10, 1919. —————

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 624, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4476, 4477, 4478, 4479, 4481, 4483, 4489, 4497 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the general supervision of the grain interests of the state and to repeal acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 10, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Gjerset, moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 624 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Ward,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 969, that a Conference Committee of five (5) be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Palmer moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 1020 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Guilford, moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 574 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Sageng,	Wold,

Mr. Dwyer voted in the negative.

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Brooks moved that S. F. No. 619 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 619,

Was laid on the table.

Mr. Brooks moved that S. F. No. 316 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 316,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 393, A bill for an act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more, and providing a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and distribution of such pension and funds.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 832, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 201 of General

Laws of Minnesota for 1911, approved April 18, 1911, entitled, An act authorizing cities of the first class in the State of Minnesota to establish and maintain a purchasing department as a branch of the city government, and to appoint purchasing agents and other employees of such department and to prescribe their duties and make rules and regulations for the conduct and management of such purchasing department, as amended by Chapter 234, Session Laws of 1915.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 1220, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 148, Session Laws of 1919, the same being an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections, approved April 2, 1919.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President of the Senate appointed the following conferees on S. F. No. 969:

Messrs. Denegre, Jackson, Handlan, Van Hoven and Orr.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1014, A bill for an act relating to liability under cancelled mineral leases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 909, A bill for an act limiting the time within which an action may be brought to set aside certain deeds and mortgages made by executors and administrators, and legalizing such deeds and mortgages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1008, A bill for an act to amend Section 7715 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, governing actions relating to land.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 1008

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1102, A bill for an act to amend Section 8025, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the filing of notices of lis pendens and providing for discharge thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. Nos. 1014 and 909,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED

H. F. No. 1102,
Was read the second time.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 10, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I hereby respectfully request that Mr. Gjerset may be permitted to introduce in the Senate the annexed bill.

“A bill for an act to amend Chapter 381 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917 entitled, An act to prohibit the monopolization of markets for food products in this state or interfere with or restrict the freedom of such markets.”

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 1041, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 381 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, entitled, An act to prohibit the monopolization of markets for food products in this state or interfere with or restrict the freedom of such markets.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1041, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 381 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, entitled, An act to prohibit the monopolization of markets for food products in this state or interfere with or restrict the freedom of such markets.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1041,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1041, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 381 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, entitled, An act to prohibit the monopolization of markets for food products in this state or interfere with or restrict the freedom of such markets.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Conroy,	Denegre,
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Cumming,	Fowler,

Gillam,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Gjeraset,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,	Vibert,
Gooding,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Guilford,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Stepan,	
Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that H. F. No. 502 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 502,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 502 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 966, No. 151 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 966 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 502,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 966,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Callahan moved that H. F. No. 782 be recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 782,

Was recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 782 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 637, No. 102 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 637 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 782,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 637,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 280 be recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health and laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 280,

Was recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health and laid on the table.

Mr. Boylan moved that H. F. No. 1158 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 5, A bill for an act relating to primary and General Election ballots.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 36 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Wold,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Ribenack,	
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Sageng,	
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 707, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 146, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 relating to final examination of accounts of county officers and payment of last month's salary.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Erickson,	Guilford,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Hall,
Bessette,	Carley,	Cosgrove,	Gjeraset,	Hamer,
Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Denegre,	Gooding,	Hegnes,

Hopp,	Madigan,	Orr,	Schmechel,	Vibert,
Jackson,	Millett,	Palmer,	Stepan,	Widell,
Johnson,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Wold,
Lee,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Loonam,	Nord,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 508, A bill for an act to amend Section 3806 of Chapter 22, General Statutes 1913, and acts amendatory thereto, relating to forestry and forest fires.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Sageng,	

Messrs. Madigan and Sullivan, J. D., voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 425, A bill for an act relating to habitual criminals and providing punishment for the offense of "habitual offending" as herein defined.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Orr,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Palmer,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 366, A bill for an act to prevent fraud and deception in the manufacture and sale of concentrated commercial feeding

stuffs and providing for registration and labeling thereof and repealing Chapter 383 General Laws of Minnesota 1907, and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Widell,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 961, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 118, of the Laws of 1915, relating to appropriations for armories or organizations of the Minnesota National Guard.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Cliff offered the following amendment to S. F. No. 961:

1. By striking out of the title of the printed bill the following words: "so as to read as follows."

2. By inserting after the word and figure "Section 1" the following words:

"That Section 1 of Chapter 118 of the Laws of 1915, be and hereby is amended so as to read as follows:"

3. By striking out the words and figures "twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000)" where they appear in line 6 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000)".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Cashel,	Coleman,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Carley,	Cliff,	Conroy,

Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Reed,	Ward,
Cumming,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Denegre,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,
Dwyer,	Hamer,	Orr,	Schmechel,	
Erickson,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Gillam,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Vibert,	

Messrs. Lee and Loonam voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 666, A bill for an act providing for the codification and revision of the dairy and food laws.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Gandrud moved to amend S. F. No. 666 of the printed bill by striking out the words "and before the adjournment of the present legislative session" where these words appear after the word "act" in line 6 of Section 1 of said printed bill.

Further amend by striking out the syllable "per" where it appears at the end of line 3, Section 3, and the syllable "form" appearing at the beginning of line 4, Section 3, and insert in lieu thereof the words "pay such actual expenses and for."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 30, General Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 805, A bill for an act relating to the exhumation and examination of dead bodies, when necessary, for the purpose of determining the cause of death.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hopp moved to amend S. F. No. 805 by adding to the end of Section 1 the following: "Provided, however, that no such order shall be made except in aid of criminal investigations or proceedings and provided further that no evidence obtained by virtue of this act shall be competent or admissible in any court or proceeding, except in a prosecution for a felony."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 805 to lie over.

S. F. No. 718, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 718 by striking out the figures "684" where the same appears in the title and insert in lieu thereof the figures "685."

Further amend by striking out the word "salaries" where the same appears in the title.

Further amend by striking out the period after the word "commissioners" where it appears in the title and by adding the following words "in certain counties."

Further amend by striking out all after the figure "1" in line 1 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That Section 685, General Statutes of Minnesota 1915, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"685. The several members of the county boards of this state

in counties containing less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants shall receive three dollars per day for each and every day necessarily occupied in the discharge of their official duties while acting on any committee under the direction of the board, and ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled in attending such committee work, and shall also be entitled to mileage of ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled for attending meetings of the board, not to exceed twelve meetings in any one year; and in addition, the chairman of the county board shall receive ten cents per mile each way for going to **the county seat to sign** warrants during recess of the county board, and any such commissioner shall receive such mileage whether he uses his own conveyance or uses any other medium of travel.

Section 2. This act shall not apply to any county in this state, now or hereafter having a population of not less than forty-five thousand (45,000) nor more than sixty thousand (60,000) according to the last Federal census, and consisting of not less than thirty-five (35) nor more than forty-five (45) congressional townships.

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Which amendment was read and ordered printed in the Journal.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Sullivan, J. D., in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Sullivan, J. D., reported that the committee had considered

S. F. Nos. 1007 and 515.

Also

H. F. Nos. 60 and 58,

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 110, 12, 421, 229, 963, 415, 563, 413 and 598.

Also

H. F. Nos. 307 and 427,

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. Nos. 232, 131 and 549,

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 559,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

H. F. Nos. 178, 19 and 681,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

H. F. No. 171,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

• Offered by Mr. Denegre:

Amend H. F. No. 171 by inserting after the word "of such ditch tax" as the same appear on the fifth line from the last line of the first page of the original engrossed bill, the words "with interest thereon".

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

H. F. No. 6,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Hegnes:

Amend H. F. No. 6 by striking out the period at the end of line 8 of Section 2 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma, and by inserting after said comma the following:

"Provided, however, that in all counties of the state in which the office of the Register of Deeds is on a salary basis said registration fees shall be paid by the Register of Deeds into the county treasury, and that in counties where the Register of Deeds is on a fee basis, one-half of all such fees shall be paid into the county treasury."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Guilford:

Amend H. F. No. 6 by striking out the comma where the same appears after the word "contract" in line 3 of Section 8 of the printed bill, and by inserting a comma after the word "representative" in line 3 of Section 8 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Denegre:

Amend H. F. No. 6 by inserting in the middle of the blank space in line 14 of Section 4 of the printed bill the word "sex."

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, April 11, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Benson, Boylan and Bessette were excused for this afternoon.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

ST. PAUL, April 10, 1919.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 405, An act requiring registers of deeds to record and return instruments within thirty days.

S. F. No. 363, An act to authorize the publication of the summary of the annual statements of insurance companies in certain insurance trade journals.

S. F. No. 299, An act permitting counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand people to appropriate money for the purpose of advertising, improving or developing the agricultural resources of such counties and the payment of such money to incorporated development societies, amending Section 745, General Statutes 1913.

S. F. No. 586, An act providing for the general care, improvement and supervision of the land owned and acquired by the State of Minnesota under the provisions of Chapter 376, Laws of 1895, which land is situate in Renville County and known as the Battle Field of Birch Coulie.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 218, A bill for an act amending Section 1, of Chapter 194, General Laws for 1915, authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases and appropriating money therefor.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 263, A bill for an act to amend Section 1911 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913 relating to the separation of villages and townships.

H. F. No. 1225, A bill for an act to provide for the transportation Home of Regimental Units of the Minnesota National Guard drafted into the military service of the United States.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 973, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof made and entered into within fifteen months prior to April 6, 1917, and vesting in the District Court of this State jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

H. F. No. 826, A bill for an act abolishing the office of State Oil Inspector and transferring his powers to the Dairy and Food Commissioner, providing for appointment of a Chief Oil Inspector and Deputy Oil Inspectors, amending Sections 3622, 3623, 3626, 3627, 3628, 3630 and 3631 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 271, Session Laws Minnesota 1915, and Chapter 331 Session Laws Minnesota 1917, all relating to gasoline and illuminating oils and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

H. F. No. 316, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3302 and 3359, Chapter 19, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled, An act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any municipality containing fifty thousand inhabitants or more may provide salvage corps fire patrol with competent superintendent for the purpose of discovering and preventing fire, suitable rooms for their accommodation and necessary apparatus to save and preserve property and life at and after a fire, and to provide a platoon system and funds for the payment thereof.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 11, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 316, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 3339, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled, An act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any Municipality containing five thousand inhabitants or more may provide salvage corps fire patrol with competent superintendent for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires, suitable rooms for their accommodation and necessary apparatus to save and preserve property and life at and after a fire.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Callahan moved that H. F. No. 316 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 316,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 973, A bill for an act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof made and entered into within four months prior to October 21, 1916, and vesting in the District Court of this State jurisdiction to determine the amount of such loss.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 263, A bill for an act to amend Section 1191 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913 relating to the separation of villages and townships.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 1225, A bill for an act to provide for the transportation Home of Regimental Units of the Minnesota National Guard drafted into the military service of the United States.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 826, A bill for an act abolishing the office of State Oil Inspector and transferring his powers to the Dairy and Food Commissioner, providing for appointment of a Chief Oil Inspector and Deputy Oil Inspectors, amending Sections 3622, 3623, 3626, 3627, 3628, 3630 and 3631 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 271, Session Laws Minnesota 1915, and Chapter 331 Session Laws Minnesota 1917, all relating to gasoline and illuminating oils and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Coleman moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No.

826 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 679, No. 67 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 679 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 826,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 679,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1176, A bill for an act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1176 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 891, No. 155 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 891 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1176,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 891,

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 968, A bill for an act providing for the incorporation of villages from out of the territory of certain villages already incorporated or attempted to be incorporated in this State.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Millett moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 968 be given its second reading, printed and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 968,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 791, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws 1909, and Chapter 253, Laws 1915, except as to pending proceedings.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord moved to amend H. F. No. 791 as follows: Strike out all of Section 1 in the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 1. That in addition to the power heretofore granted by law, any city in the State of Minnesota of the fourth class is hereby authorized and empowered to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of extending or repairing any pumping plant, reservoir system, or any system of water mains, or either or any of them, now owned and operated by any such city.”

Which amendment was adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 791, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws, 1909, and Chapter 253, Laws 1915, except as to pending proceedings.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 791,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 791, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws. 1909, and Chapter 253, Laws, 1915 except as to pending proceedings.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hall,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	McCarthy,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset.	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled an act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision in such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the following words as they appear in lines 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of Section 1 of said act:

"Each person so appointed shall receive a salary of \$1,080 per annum, to be paid in monthly installments out of the county treasury, together with all actual expenses certified by the judge to have been necessarily incurred by them in the performance of their duties."

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Each person so appointed shall receive such salary not exceeding \$1,200 per annum as shall be recommended by the judge in charge of the juvenile division of the district court and approved by the county board. Such salary shall be paid in semi-monthly installments

out of the county treasury, together with all expenses certified by the judge to have been necessarily incurred by them in the performance of their duties."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1018 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar without printing.

Which motion prevailed

S. F. No. 1018,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Brooks moved that S. F. No. 619 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 619,

Was taken from the table.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Brooks moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 619 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Millett,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,	
Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford offered the following and moved its adoption.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, there is pending before the Senate of the State of Minnesota, H. F. No. 20, being "A bill for an act creating a State Industrial Accident Compensation Board for the State of Minnesota; creating an Industrial Insurance Fund; providing for the payment of compensation to injured employes and to the dependents of employes killed in the course of their employment,

And whereas, the subject matter of said H. F. No. 20 is of great importance, not only to employers and employes, but also to all the people of the State of Minnesota.

And whereas, there are so many various and conflicting claims and statements made in reference to the insurance plan proposed in said H. F. No. 20 and in reference to the experience of other states that have adopted various plans of State Industrial Insurance.

And whereas, it is necessary that the members of the Legislature of this State should ascertain fully and accurately all facts necessary to the correct solution of the important questions involved in said H. F. No. 20 before it can intelligently legislate upon this important question,

Now therefore, be it resolved, that the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota have a Commission of five (5) members appointed consisting of two members of the Senate to be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor, two members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House and one member to be appointed by the Governor of the State.

That it shall be the duty of said Commission:

(1) To thoroughly and carefully investigate and consider the entire subject of State Industrial Accident Compensation and a State Industrial Insurance Fund.

(2) To investigate and consider the operation of laws enacted in other states concerning the above mentioned subject matter so as to determine whether such laws are successful, having due regard to the rights of employers, employes and the public.

(3) To make a written report to the Legislature of 1921 on or before January 15, 1921 of the results of their investigation, making specific Findings of Fact as to all matters of importance in reference to the subject matter, of their investigation.

(4) To make such conclusions from the facts found as they shall deem advisable.

That the members of such Commission shall be paid the sum of ten (\$10) dollars per diem for their services as members of such

Commission and their necessary expenses, to be paid upon presentation of an itemized, verified statement thereof.

That said Commission shall have authority to employ any needed help and assistance in performing their duties.

That within twenty (20) days after their appointment and qualification said Commission shall organize and select a chairman and secretary. The secretary may or may not be a member of such Commission.

That there is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules, on notice of debate by Mr. Callahan.

Mr. Putnam moved that the vote whereby H. F. No. 888 passed be re-considered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam then moved that H. F. No. 888 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

ST. PAUL, April 11, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Nolan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act authorizing the board of county commissioners to allow compensation to attorneys assisting the county attorney in criminal proceedings."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this state.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to allow compensation to attorneys assisting the county attorney in criminal proceedings.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to allow compensation to attorneys assisting the county attorney in criminal proceedings.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1042,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to allow compensation to attorneys assisting the county attorney in criminal proceedings.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Ward,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Brooks moved that H. F. No. 1102 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cashel moved at 10:55 A. M. that the Senate do now recess for five minutes for the purpose of hearing an address by the Honorable Franklin L. Ellsworth of the Second Congressional District.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 11:00 A. M. after having heard an address by Mr. Ellsworth.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 11:00 A. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of the motion to reconsider the vote whereby H. F. No. 20 failed to pass.

Mr. Jackson moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Mr. Jackson moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the motion to reconsider the vote whereby H. F. No. 20 failed to pass,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 30 and nays 35, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Nord,	Sageng,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Lee,	Orr,	Schmechel,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Rask,	Stepan,
Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Reed,	Swanson,
Cumming,	Jackson,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,

So the motion did not prevail.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 3:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3:30 P. M.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Loonam was excused for the rest of the week.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson moved that H. F. No. 27 be recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 27,

Was recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 27 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 179, No. 91 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 179 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 27,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 179,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson moved that H. F. No. 21 be recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 21,

Was recalled from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 21 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 177, No. 125 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 177 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 21,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 177,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cliff moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. Nos. 803 and 1065 be advanced to the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to the following House File:

H. F. No. 147, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to the compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing Subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Also that the House requests a Conference Committee of three to be appointed on the part of the Senate to serve with a like committee on the part of the House.

Messrs. Kingsley, Wilkinson and Briggs being appointed on the part of the House.

OSCAR ARNESON.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 11, 1919

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of three be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like Committee of the House.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following Conference Committee on H. F. No. 147.

Messrs. Denegre, Putnam and Madigan.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 969, A bill for an act to amend Section 824, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913. as amended by Chapter 133, Session

Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of Minnesota, for 1917, Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 472, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 of Chapter 366, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 376, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 2, 3 and 4, Chapter 361, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1909, as amended by Chapter 203, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 137, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapters 510 and 481, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 129, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 1, Chapter 142, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 434, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2, Chapter 193, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 412, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 80, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Chapter 190, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 83, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 3 of Chapter 122 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 3, Chapter 191 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, Section 1008, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, regulating salaries of certain county officers, their assistants, deputies and clerks in all counties in this state having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and less than three hundred and thirty thousand (330,000) inhabitants.

Messrs. Levin, Corning, Greene, T. J., Oberg and Dilley being appointed on the part of the House.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 11, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act amending Chapter 429, General Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 105, General Laws of 1919, being "An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof and for prosecutions and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State

Securities Commission," by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 6-A, to be inserted between Sections 6 and 7.

S. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to allow compensation to attorneys assisting the County Attorney in criminal proceedings.

April 11, 1919. —————

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 412, A bill for an act to amend Section 3380 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for the year 1913, relating to farmers mutual insurance companies.

H. F. No. 600, A bill for an act relating to the powers of school boards in common districts containing ten or more townships.

H. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing salaries and clerk hire of the County Auditor and the County Treasurer in counties now and hereafter having not less than fifty or more than seventy full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not more than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars.

H. F. No. 815, A bill for an act providing for participation of certain teachers in the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

H. F. No. 940, A bill for an act relating to dangerous railroad crossings over streets and public highways.

H. F. No. 984, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of thirty thousand, or less, according to the last state or national census, in which is located a city of the third class, operating under a home rule charter, to acquire by gift from such city an interest in and to any hospital and hospital equipment which may now or hereafter belong to such city; authorizing such city to make such gift, and providing for the method by which such hospital shall be operated after it becomes the joint property of such county and such city.

H. F. No. 1008. A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913 entitled, An act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.

H. F. No. 1075, A bill for an act to amend Section 259, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to municipal courts in certain cities and villages.

H. F. No. 1091, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Armory Supervisors to sell state armory sites and buildings in certain cases.

H. F. No. 1187, A bill for an act relating to the obstruction of Public Highways and providing penalties.

H. F. No. 1145, A bill for an act to fix the salary of county auditors in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 11, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE.

Mr. Gillam moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 390 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 390, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1040, A bill for an act to amend Section 5204, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76 Laws 1917, relating to the sale of public lands.

S. F. No. 476, A bill for an act to amend Section 4973 General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians by the State Medical Examining Board.

S. F. No. 128, A bill for an act entitled, An act to legalize certain proceedings in Probate Court.

S. F. No. 331, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

S. F. No. 422, A bill for an act to amend Section 1016, General Statutes 1913, relating to the traveling expenses of county superintendents.

S. F. No. 450, A bill for an act to provide for the licensing of dental nurses, and providing the duties and rights of dental nurses.

S. F. No. 457, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public armory building in such city.

S. F. No. 576, A bill for an act to amend Section 3, Chapter 335, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909, same being Section 238, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of clerks of the District Court in certain counties in this state.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 11, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 600, A bill for an act relating to the powers of school boards in common districts containing ten or more townships.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing salaries and clerk hire of the County Auditor and the County Treasurer in counties now and hereafter having not less than fifty or more than seventy full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not more than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 654 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 845, No. 71 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 845 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 654,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 845,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 815, A bill for an act providing for participation of certain teachers in the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. F. No. 984, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of thirty thousand, or less, according to the last state or national census, in which is located a city of the third class, operating under a home rule charter, to acquire by gift from such city an interest in and to any hospital and hospital equipment which may now or hereafter belong to such city; authorizing such city to make such gift, and providing for the method by which such hospital shall be operated after it becomes the joint property of such county and such city.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 984 be read the second time and substituted for S. F.

No. 745, No. 4 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 745 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 984,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 745,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1008, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913 entitled, An act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cliff moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1008 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 832, No. 86 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 832 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1008,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 832,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1075, A bill for an act to amend Section 259, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to municipal courts in certain cities and villages.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1075, A bill for an act to amend Section 259, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to municipal courts in certain cities and villages.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1075

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1075, A bill for an act to amend Section 259, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to municipal courts in certain cities and villages.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 36 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Stegan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Wold,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Putnam,	
Carley,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Romberg,	
Col-man,	Gjeraset,	Kingsbury,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1091, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Armory Supervisors to sell state armory sites and buildings in certain cases and appropriating money for the upkeep, repair and erection of state armories.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 1145, A bill for an act to fix the salary of county auditors in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1145 be given its second reading and placed on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1145

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1145

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 412, A bill for an act to amend Section 3380 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for the year 1913, relating to farmers' mutual insurance companies.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

H. F. No. 1187, A bill for an act relating to the obstruction of Public Highways and providing penalties.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

H. F. No. 940, A bill for an act relating to dangerous railroad crossings over streets and public highways.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bonniwell moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 940 be read the second time, and substituted for S. F. No. 767, No. 99 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 767 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 940

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 767

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 48, A bill for an act prohibiting, in certain cases, state, county and municipal officers from being candidates for election to offices other than those of which they are incumbents.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 48,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1023, A bill for an act forbidding charges to be made against candidates for public office within limited periods before election.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 1023,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 674, A bill for an act granting the right to vote for certain offices and on certain propositions and matters to women.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 674,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 661, A bill for an act extending to women the right to vote at any primary election in this state, held for the purpose of nominating candidates for any elective office, or held for the purpose of choosing delegates to any convention held for the purpose of nominating candidates for elective offices.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 661,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 215, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota granting to the people the direct power of the initiative and referendum as additional means to secure and control legislation and as an additional means by which the people may amend the Constitution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 215,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 193, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 3 of Section 534 of General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 193,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1006, A bill for an act to amend Section 687 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to vacancies in county offices.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 52, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 76, Section 1 and Chapter 167, Section 3, of the Session Laws of 1915, relating to the election of County Surveyors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sageng, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 51, A bill for an act regulating the issuance and circulation of statements affecting candidates for office at any primary or general election, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1001, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision (2) of Section 2632, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, prescribing regulations concerning the driving of motor vehicles.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 632, A bill for an act entitled an act to amend Section 981 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of county surveyors.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1166, A bill for an act amending Section 823 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of county auditors in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend H. F. No. 1166 by substituting a period in place of a comma after the word "law" in line 17 of sub-division 3 of the type-written bill, and insert quotation mark after said period, and strike out balance of said sub-division 3.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Naplin moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1166, A bill for an act amending Section 823 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of county auditors in certain counties.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1166

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1166, A bill for an act amending Section 823 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of county auditors in certain counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Widell,
Carley,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Wold,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 1001 and 1006

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 632, 51 and 52

Were read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bonniwell moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 964, No. 131 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 964, A bill for an act to amend Section 5030, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, in relation to compensation of members of the State Board of Pharmacy.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 36 and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lee,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	
Carley,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	
Cashel,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 718, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expense and allowances of county commissioners.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hall moved that the following amendments as offered to S. F. No. 718 on April 10, and appeared on pages 34 and 35 of the Senate Journal for the 64th Day, be adopted.

Amend S. F. No. 718 by striking out the figures "684" where the same appears in the title and insert in lieu thereof the figures "685."

Further amend by striking out the word "salaries" where the same appears in the title.

Further amend by striking out the period after the word "commissioners" where it appears in the title and by adding the following words "in certain counties."

Further amend by striking out all after the figure "1" in line 1 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That Section 685, General Statutes of Minnesota 1915, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"685. The several members of the county boards of this state in counties containing less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants shall receive three dollars per day for each and every day necessarily occupied in the discharge of their official duties while acting on any committee under the direction of the board, and ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled in attending such committee work, and shall also be entitled to mileage of ten cents per mile each way for every mile necessarily traveled for attending meetings of the board, not to exceed twelve meetings in any one year; and in addition, the chairman of the county board shall receive ten cents per mile each way for going to the county seat to sign warrants during recess of the county board, and any such commissioner shall receive such mileage whether he uses his own conveyance or uses any other medium of travel.

Section 2. This act shall not apply to any county in this state, now or hereafter having a population of not less than forty-five thousand (45,000) nor more than sixty thousand (60,000) according to the last Federal census, and consisting of not less than thirty-five (35) nor more than forty-five (45) congressional townships.

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended :

And the roll being called, there were yeas 36 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Widell,
Brooks,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Wold,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 984, A bill for an act authorizing any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of thirty thousand, or less, according to the last state or national census, in which is located a city of the third class, operating under a home rule charter, to acquire by gift from such city an interest in and to any hospital and hospital equipment which may now or hereafter belong to such city; authorizing such city to make such gift, and providing for the method by which such hospital shall be operated after it becomes the joint property of such county and such city.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Larson,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, SATURDAY, April 12, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Widell,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Messrs. Gjerset, Cashel, Palmer, Turnham and Bessette were excused for today.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 356, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2168, 2174, 2180, 2181 and 2184, Revised Laws of 1905, being part of Chapter 31 thereof, which chapter relates to the inspection of steam vessels

and boilers and the licensing of engineers, also amending said Chapter 31 by adding thereto three (3) new sections, said amendments and new sections providing for the appointment of a Board of Boiler Inspectors, a chief boiler inspector and a deputy chief boiler inspector, fixing their salaries, prescribing their powers and duties, providing a fund for the payment of their salaries and expenses, providing for the licensing of masters and pilots of steam vessels and boats and gasoline boats and vessels carrying passengers for hire, fixing fees for the inspection of boilers and licensing of engineers, masters and pilots, creating a boiler inspector's fund and imposing certain charges and duties on insurance companies doing a boiler insurance business in this state.

April 11, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 269, A bill for an act relating to salaries for employes in the department of weights and measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.

H. F. No. 659, A bill for an act authorizing cities and villages to license and regulate the sale of non-intoxicating beverages.

H. F. No. 807, A bill for an act relating to the establishment of zones for protection against fires around certain cities and villages in this state.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 11, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 807, A bill for an act relating to the establishment of zones for protection against fires around certain cities and villages in this state.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 807 be given its second reading, printed and placed on General Orders, and that it then be referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 807

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 807

Was referred to the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 269, A bill for an act relating to salaries for employes in the department of weights and measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

H. F. No. 659, A bill for an act authorizing cities and villages to license and regulate the sale of non-intoxicating beverages.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 112, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing the City Council or other governing body of any city now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to fix the salary of the assistant fire chief of such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Conroy moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 112, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing the City Council or other governing body of any city now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to fix the salary of the assistant fire chief of such city.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 112

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 112, A bill for an act entitled an act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any city now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to fix the salary of the assistant fire chief of such city.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays 2, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hall,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Sageng,	

Messrs. Jackson and Orr voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1225, A bill for an act to provide for the transportation home of regimental units of the Minnesota National Guard **drafted into the military service of the United States.**

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1225, A bill for an act to provide for the transportation home of regimental units of the Minnesota National Guard **drafted into the military service of the United States.**

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1225

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1225, A bill for an act to provide for the transportation home of regimental units of the Minnesota National Guard **drafted into the military service of the United States.**

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Wold,
Conroy,	Gooding,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1073, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the Workmen's Compensation Act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 493, A bill for an act to amend Laws 1913, Chapter 467, Section 33, being General Statutes 1913, Section 8229 (2), relating to workmen's compensation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 684, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision (c), Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employes for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 922, A bill for an act to prohibit compulsory medical

examinations and treatment, including dental and physical, of persons residing in this state, except in certain cases, without their consent, and, in case of minors, without the consent of their parents or guardians; and prescribing remedies against, and penalties for, violation thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. 922

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 89, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 3673 General Statutes 1913, relating to the adulteration of ice cream.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 89

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 998, A bill for an act amending Section 4972, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians from other states

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 998

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 810, A bill for an act to regulate the repapering, repainting and recalcimining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 810

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 721, A bill for an act to regulate the manufacture and sale of carbonated and still beverages, commonly known as soft drinks, and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGarry moved as a substitute motion for the recommendation of the Committee on Public Welfare and Health on S. F. No. 721, that S. F. No. 721 be given the second reading, printed and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 721

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act forbidding written or printed advertising matter in containers used in the sale of food products and providing a penalty for violation.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1198, A bill for an act to regulate cold storage of certain articles of food and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Handlan, from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 627, A bill for an act to regulate the repapering, repainting and recalcimining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 1010

Was read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 627, 1198, 684, 493 and 1073

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall moved that H. F. No. 659 be recalled from the Committee on Temperance.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 659

Was recalled from the Committee on Temperance.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 659 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 419, No. 105 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 419 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 659

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 419

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED

Mr. Gandrud moved that H. F. No. 1065 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Gandrud moved that H. F. No. 803 be printed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Larson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, the Hon. John A. Rystrom, a member of this Senate

during the 1915-1917 sessions, representing the counties of Chisago and Pine, constituting the 56th Legislative District, passed away Saturday, April 5, 1919, and,

Whereas, the high character and public services of said Senator Rystrom during his service as a member of this body deserve an expression of our respect and veneration for his memory ;

Therefore, be it resolved, that the President of the Senate be, and he is hereby requested to appoint a committee of three members of the Senate to arrange and report such resolutions or memorial exercises as in the judgment of the committee will fittingly express the respect and veneration which the members of this Senate feel for the memory of our late fellow member, Senator John A. Rystrom.

Which resolution was adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following Committee on Memorial Exercises: Messrs. Larson, Sageng and Peterson.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Putnam, Madigan, Vibert, Cumming and Hopp introduced the following resolution:

Be it resolved that the Secretary of the Senate be and hereby is instructed to draw his warrants for one hundred and fifty (\$150) each, in favor of the following named persons, to-wit:

Rose Cook, telephone operator.

Eva Olson, telephone operator.

Lucetta Mangin, telegraph operator.

For compensation for the present session of the Legislature.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Wold moved that the rules be suspended, and that S. F. No. 545, No. 64 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 941, No. 36 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 941, A bill for an act to authorize the recording of certificates of discharge from the United States Army, Navy and Marine corps.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 999, No. 156 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 999, A bill for an act making the continuance on record of instruments conveying real estate or an interest therein, where such conveyance does not affirmatively show that the grantors were married, for 20 years prima facie evidence that such grantors were unmarried and the continuance on record of such instruments for thirty years conclusive evidence that grantors were unmarried unless persons claiming by virtue of such marriage commence action to determine their rights prior to January 1, 1920, and file lis pendens in office of register of deeds in county where such land lies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Devold,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng.
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Swanson,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord moved that S. F. No. 480 be recalled from the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 480 was recalled from the Committee on State Development and Immigration.

Mr. Nord moved that S. F. No. 480 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 480

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that 500 additional copies of the Senate Journal for January 31 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Benson moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 809, No. 40 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to provide that the positions of director of the State teachers' employment bureau and secretary Board of Trustees of the teachers' insurance and retirement fund may be held by the same person and that his salary may be paid one-half from the Department of Education maintenance appropriation and one-half from the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Carley,	Gooding,	Larson,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lee,	Reed,	Swanson,
Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Dwyer,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Naplin moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 367, No. 110 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1001, No. 167 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1001, A bill for an act to amend subdivision (2) of Section 2632, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, prescribing regulations concerning the driving of motor vehicles.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 826, No. 67 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 893, No. 79 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 101, No. 131 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Coleman moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1196, No. 136 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Millett moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 742, No. 32 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 742, A bill for an act authorizing cities or villages in this state by a majority vote of the council thereof to modify the conditions upon which lands have been heretofore or may hereafter be deeded to school district.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Carley,	Guilford,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 625, No. 46 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 625, A bill for an act to amend Section 17, Chapter 35, General Laws of 1915, relating to the recording of conveyances of land assessed for sewer construction.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Carley,	Devold,	Hall,	Johnson,
Benson,	Coleman,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Kuntz,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	Larson,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Lindsley,
Brooks,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,

Naplin,
Nolan,
Nord,

Putnam,
Rask,
Reed,

Romberg,
Sageng,
Schmechel,

Stepan,
Sullivan, J. D.,
Swanson,

Vibert,
Widell,
Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 751, No. 154 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Sageng in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and the President having resumed the chair, Mr. Sageng reported that the committee had considered,

S. F. Nos. 448, 763, 761, 677, 675, 734, 746, 716, 788, 391, 727, 94, 903, 924, 817, 706, 858, 876 and 841,

Also

H. F. Nos. 829, 979, 353, 870, 812 and 933.

Which the committee recommends to pass.

S. F. Nos. 173, 110, 12, 421, 229, 415, 413, 681, 665, 132, 688, 697, 633, 603, 696, 813, 854,

Also

H. F. Nos. 307, 427, 26, 900,

Which the committee reports progress.

S. F. Nos. 563, 480, 748, 915 and 874,

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed.

Also

S. F. No. 598,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Benson—

To amend S. F. No. 598, by striking out Sections 2, 3 and 4 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 2. The county board of any county may, upon the

nomination of the county superintendent of schools, appoint a supervisor of teaching for the county, who shall possess such qualifications as may be fixed by the superintendent of education of the State, and when such supervisor of teaching has been so appointed, the county board shall fix his salary and provide for the payment of the traveling and other expenses of such supervisor in such amount as the board may deem necessary and proper in order to carry out the work of such supervisor.

Further amend by renumbering Section 5 as Section 3.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 345,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendment:

Offered by Mr. Guilford—

Amend S. F. No. 345 by striking out the words “or town” where the same appear in line 1 of Section 1 of the bill and substituting in place thereof the word “or” after the word “city” in line 1 of Section 1.

Also strike out the words “or town” in line 3 of Section 4 of the bill and substitute in place thereof the word “or” after the word “city” in said line 3 of Section 4.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 747,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Sullivan, G. H.—

Amend S. F. No. 747, as follows:

Strike out the words “one dollar per day” where they occur in line 5 of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the following words: “the same amount paid by the county where the jail is situate.”

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

H. F. No. 654,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Adams—

Amend H. F. No. 654, as follows:

1. By striking out the word “commissioner” where the same

appears in line 6 of Section 1 of the original bill and inserting in lieu thereof, the word, "commission."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

H. F. No. 135,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Widell—

Amend H. F. No. 135 as follows:

Add at the end of Section 1 the following words:

Provided this act shall not apply to suburban electric cars running in part on city streets.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

H. F. No. 924,

Which the committee recommends to pass, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Gandrud—

Amend H. F. No. 924 by striking out the words "its passage" where they occur in Section 2 of the said bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words "June 1, 1919."

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

H. F. No. 653,

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Adams—

Amend H. F. No. 653 as follows:

1. By striking out the word "commissioner" where the same appears in line 8 of Section 1 of the original engrossed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "commission."

2. By adding at the end of Section 6 of said bill, the following words: "provided that the total compensation from all sources of said county auditor and said clerk of district court, shall not exceed two thousand dollars (\$2000.00) each in any one year."

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 963

Which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendments, and further privilege of amending on the Calendar.

Offered by Mr. Rask:

Amend S. F. No. 963—

By striking out of line 5 in Section 4 of the printed bill the words “not exceeding.”

Further amend by striking out of line 6 in Section 4 of the printed bill the words “one record clerk at fourteen hundred dollars a year.”

Further amend by striking out of line 7 in Section 4 of the printed bill the following words “one naval clerk at sixteen hundred dollars a year.”

Which amendment was adopted.

S. F. Nos. 676, 360, 848 and 622,

Which the Committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

H. F. Nos. 343 and 413,

Which the Committee recommends to pass, with the privilege of amending on the Calendar.

S. F. No. 660

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Swanson—

Amend S. F. No. 660 by inserting after the word “physician” and before the word “Where,” in line 5, Section 1, of the printed bill, the following:

“Similarly, said board shall, upon majority request, dissolve a county board of health established by it hereunder.”

To further amend by striking out, in line 3, Section 2, of the printed bill, the words:

“He shall be required to give his entire time to the duties of his office.”

To further amend by striking out all of Section 5 of the printed bill.

To further amend by renumbering Sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 to read Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Which amendment was adopted.

Also

S. F. No. 627

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Guilford:

Amend S. F. No. 627 by adding at the end of Section 1 of said act the following words "provided that the total amount of such liability shall not exceed the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars."

Which amendment was adopted.

Offered by Mr. Guilford:

Amend S. F. No. 627 by inserting the words "statutes of the" after the word "any" where the same first appears in line 3 of Section 1 of said act.

Further amend Section 1 of said act by striking out the words "or any lawful regulation or requirement of any state or municipal authority" where the same appears in lines 3 and 4 of Section 1 of said act. Amend by inserting the word "or" after the word "law" in line 6 of Section 1 of said act.

By striking out the words "or lawful regulation or requirement of any state or municipal authority" where the same appear in line 7 of Section 1 of said act.

Which amendments were adopted.

Also,

S. F. No. 748

Which the committee recommends to be indefinitely postponed, with the following amendments:

Offered by Mr. Swanson:

Amend S. F. No. 748, Section 1, line 6 of the printed bill by inserting the word "resident" between the words "the" and "tax."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sageng then moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 12, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that the Senate Committee on Drainage be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act to amend Chapter 44, and amendments thereto, of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, relating to drainage as follows: Add to said chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A, authorizing the court or board, under certain conditions, to modify the terms of contracts for ditch construction, 5548-A relating to the division and apportionment of assessments, 5552-C providing for the making and filing of a plat of tile drainage systems, 5597-B, 5597-C, 5597-D, 5597-E and 5597-F providing that the overflow from certain municipal sewage systems may be discharged, under certain restrictions into drainage ditches and 5672-B providing for additional assessments and bond issue to finish paying cost of ditch under certain conditions. Amend sections 5480, 5482, 5529, 5532, 5597 and 5635 of the General Statutes of 1913 and also Section 5481, as amended by Chapter 273 of the General Laws of 1915, 5541, 5571 and 5636 of the said General Statutes of 1913 as amended by Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, and 5552-A and 5552-B as contained respectively in Sections 14 and 15 of Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917. Said sections above specified relating to public ditches and the draining of lands, the assessment of damages and benefits resulting therefrom, creating the office of State Drainage Commissioner and defining his duties and the duties of engineers and state and county officials so far as the same relates to drainage and drainage ditches, providing for appeals in certain cases, providing for the payment of the cost of labor and material and of bridges over drainage ditches under certain conditions and repealing certain sections.

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The Committee on Drainage introduced—

S. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 44, and amendments thereto, of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, relating to drainage as follows: Add to said chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A. Directing the public examiner to adjust the drainage fund accounts in various counties and providing for the payment of the expense thereof; 5548-A. Relating to the division and apportionment of assessments, 5552-C. Providing for the making and filing of a plat of tile drainage systems, 5597-A. 5597-B, 5597-C, 5597-D, 5597-E and 5597-F. Providing that the overflow

from certain municipal sewage systems may be discharged, under certain restrictions into drainage ditches and 5672-B. Providing for additional assessments and bond issue to finish paying cost of ditch under certain conditions. Amend Sections 5480, 5482, 5529, 5532, 5597 and 5635 of the General Statutes of 1913 and also Sections 5481, as amended by Chapter 273 of the General Laws of 1915, 5541, 5571 and 5636 of the said General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, and 5552-A, and 5552-B as contained respectively in Sections 14 and 15 of Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917. Said sections above specified relating to public ditches and the draining of lands. The assessment of damages and benefits resulting therefrom, providing for rehearings of petitions for ditches, providing for drainage into drainage ditches already established. Creating the Department of Drainage and Waters, providing for officers and defining their duties, prescribing the duties of engineers and state and county officials so far as the same relates to drainage and drainage ditches, providing for appeals in certain cases, providing for the payment of the cost of labor and material and of allowance of claims, providing for payment of bridges over drainage ditches under certain conditions and repealing certain sections.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, and that S. F. No. 1043 be given its second reading, printed and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1043,

Was read the second time.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 418, A bill for an act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

S. F. No. 423, A bill for an act to amend Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries of county treasurers, and the sums to be allowed to county treasurers for clerk hire, in certain counties.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1209, A bill for an act requiring warning signs to be placed on certain roads rendered impassable by reason of the construction or improvement thereof or bridges and culverts thereon.

April 12, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 256, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

S. F. No. 285, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salaries of county commissioners.

S. F. No. 429, A bill for an act to amend Section 2979, General Statutes 1913, relating to compulsory school attendance, and to establish the English language as the basic language of instruction.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 12, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1209, A bill for an act requiring warning signs to be placed on certain roads rendered impassable by reason of the construction or improvement thereof or bridges and culverts thereon.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hegnes moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1209 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1209,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Blomgren, from the Committee on Temperance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 777, A bill for an act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 777,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate do now adjourn until Monday 11:00 A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, April 14, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Turnham was excused until Friday of this week.

Mr. Conroy was excused for today.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 12, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 576, An act to amend Section 3, Chapter 335, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909, same being Section 238, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of clerks of the District Court in certain counties in this state.

St. Paul, April 11, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 389, An act to authorize cities of the first class to levy taxes for defraying the current expenses of such cities.

S. F. No. 449, An act to authorize the State Auditor to lease the surface of any unsold state land for additional room for stockpiling, storing, handling, or depositing thereon and removal therefrom of ore, ore material, stripping or waste taken from other state lands under State Mineral Lease.

S. F. No. 520, An act authorizing any county of this state which now is or hereafter may be so located with reference to another state, that it is desirable and necessary for the public interests to construct a highway across a portion of such adjoining state, to appropriate and expend county road funds of such county in acquiring a road right of way across such state and constructing and maintaining thereon a highway leading therefrom into this state.

S. F. No. 573, An act authorizing cities over 50,000 inhabitants in the state of Minnesota to issue and sell bonds for public school purposes in such cities.

S. F. No. 1011, An act authorizing the county sanitorium commission in any county in this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting a new building or buildings for enlarging such sanitorium in the manner now provided by law, to issue properly authenticated vouchers or warrants upon the sanitorium fund of said county, not exceeding the total amount permitted by law to be levied as a tax upon the taxable property of said county for the maintenance of such sanitorium.

S. F. No. 1034, An act authorizing the county board of any county in this State, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$300,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits and having at any time an area of over 5,000 square miles, to erect and maintain an automobile storage garage and repair shop on the court house grounds and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund of said county.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

St. Paul, April 12, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 190, An act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a home rule charter.

S. F. No. 587, An act amending Chapter 103 of the Laws of 1917, amending Chapter 185, Laws of 1911, relating to the acquisition of lands for streets, parks and parkways in cities of the first class and the improvement and government thereof, and government of existing streets and parkways.

S. F. No. 614, An act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 230, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, an act relating to government of cities of the first class and authorizing the levy of taxes for play ground purposes.

S. F. No. 897, An act amending Section 53 of Chapter 264 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the municipal court of the City of Duluth and the salaries of the judges and clerks thereof.

S. F. No. 759, An act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by home rule charter to designate and redesignate the ward boundaries of such cities.

S. F. No. 918, An act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under

a home rule charter to use and dispose of its surplus and unused products and furnish fire protection and use of fire apparatus to other municipalities and communities outside of such cities and to provide for and permit other municipalities and communities outside of such cities to make connections with and use the sewers and sewer systems of such cities.

S. F. No. 1005, An act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, in all counties which now have or may hereafter have an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,-000 exclusive of money and credits, and an area of over 5,000 square miles; and repealing the provisions of any act inconsistent herewith.

S. F. No. 218, An act amending Section 1 of Chapter 194, General Laws for 1915, authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts in certain cases and appropriating money therefor.

S. F. No. 1020, An act to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners or the body charged with control of the park system of any city now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 and not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, to build and construct or cause to be built and constructed, sidewalks and curb and gutter along the parkways of any such city and assess the cost thereof on abutting property.

S. F. No. 1027, An act fixing the salaries and compensation, expenses and clerk hire, in all counties in this state now or hereafter having not less than thirty-five or more than forty congressional townships, and now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million (\$16,000,000) nor more than twenty million (\$20,000,000), and prescribing the amounts thereof.

S. F. No. 1038, An act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229, Laws 1909, (Section 9330, General Statutes 1913) which section authorizes the Board of Control to furnish crush rock produced at the State Reformatory to the Highway Department for road purposes.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 12, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Vibert be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes, and appropriating \$40,000 out of the General Revenue Fund of the state to be loaned to such villages on such bonds for the state by the State Board of Investment."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Vibert introduced—

S. F. No. 1044, A bill for an act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes, and appropriating \$40,000.00 out of the general revenue fund of the state to be loaned to such villages on such bonds for the state by the State Board of Investment.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 14, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Cliff be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act to legalize decrees of distribution of probate courts in certain cases."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this state.

Yours very truly,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Cliff introduced—

S. F. No. 1045, A bill for an act to legalize decrees of distribution of probate courts in certain cases.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cliff moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1045, A bill for an act to legalize decrees of distribution of probate courts in certain cases.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1045,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1045, A bill for an act to legalize decrees of distribution of probate courts in certain cases.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Carley,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Ward,
Cliff,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	
Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, April 14, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Van Hoven be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act to amend Section 2461 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913 relating to the appointment and compensation of employes in city owned armories."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the constitution of this state.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Van Hoven introduced—

S. F. No. 1046, A bill for an act to amend Section 2461, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of employes in city owned armories.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 314, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2330 and 2331, General Statutes 1913, relating to the taxation of grain in elevators and warehouses.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 14, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 314, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2330 and 2331, General Statutes 1913, relating to the taxation of grain in elevators and warehouses.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 314 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 487, No. 8 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 487 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 314

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 487

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hopp, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 452, A bill for an act relative to the distribution of state aid to county and district agricultural societies and associations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 452 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 452

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1192, A bill for an act providing for the acquisition of certain land by the University of Minnesota; the construction of buildings at the University in accordance with a comprehensive building plan; levying a tax to provide funds therefor and authorizing the issuance of certificates of indebtedness by the University for such purposes, such certificates to be paid from the proceeds of the tax levy.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1192 be given its second reading and placed at the head of the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1192

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Callahan, from the Committee on Labor, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 440, A bill for an act relating to the payment of persons receiving compensation from the State of Minnesota.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Boylan, from the Committee on Commerce, Manufactures and Trade, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 503, A bill for an act to prohibit unlawful discrimination in the sale of certain commodities, and providing penalties for violations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 503,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 440,

Was read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, and that H. F. Nos. 26, 27, 809, 21, 1073, 493 and 684 be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 844, No. 27 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 844, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of education for unorganized territory, containing 75 or more townships or fractions thereof, in counties of this state, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding floating indebtedness.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hamer moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 256, and that a Conference Committee of three be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Hall moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 285, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Brooks,	Fowler,	Lee,	Palmer,	Schmechel,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Stepan,
Carley,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cumming,	Hall,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Devold,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Wold,
Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Romberg,	
Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sageng,	

Mr. Bonniwell voted in the negative.

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1021, No. 83 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1021, A bill for an act to give sellers and consignors of grain a first lien upon the membership of any member of any Chamber of Commerce or Board of Trade on account of any indebtedness arising from the purchase, or sale upon consignment, of grain by such member.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Rockne,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Romberg,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Coleman,	Hall,	Lee,	Putnam,	Widell,
Denegre,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Devold,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 1102 No. 106 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Dwyer moved that S. F. No. 24, No. 30 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that H. F. No. 402, No. 49 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 653, No. 38 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 653, A bill for an act fixing the salaries and clerk hire

of the County Auditor, County Treasurer, Clerk of District Court, and Register of Deeds, in counties now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars and not more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Reed,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that S. F. No. 1014, No. 104 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that S. F. No. 639, No. 22 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved that S. F. No. 374, No. 32 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 995, No. 88 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 995, A bill for an act to amend Section 7971 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for the year 1913, as amended by the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the selection of jurors.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hamer moved that S. F. No. 415 be recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 415,

Was recalled from the Committee on Public Welfare and Health.

Mr. McGarry offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House concurring, that the Commissioner of Highways be authorized and directed to report to the Legislature at the time of its convening in 1921 recommendations of the Highway Department as to the best methods of development of a State Trunk Highway system with particular reference to S. F. No. 78, being Chapter — of the General Laws of 1919, entitled:

“An act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for and establishing a trunk highway system to be constructed, improved and maintained by the state: establishing and authorizing the creation of a fund for such

purpose by the taxation of motor vehicles, for issuance of bonds and otherwise."

Such reports to include, among other pertinent matters, investigations and reports upon the best methods of constructing permanent roads under climatic conditions prevailing in Minnesota including grades, road drainage, width of pavement and shoulders and the relation of these factors to the kind and quantity of traffic, methods of hard-surfacing roads and the availability of road-making materials in the different parts of the state, the character and density of the traffic on representative roads throughout the state and the character of road surfacing most economically adapted to the handling of such traffic, the actual cost of maintenance being considered and other factors in consideration with the construction and maintenance of such a system.

Which resolution was read and went over under the rules on notice of debate by Mr. Carley.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hegnes moved that H. F. No. 632, No. 110 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that H. F. No. 782, No. 35 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The President of the Senate announced the following conferees on S. F. No. 256: Messrs. Hamer, Carley and Bonniwell.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 121, No. 91 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 426 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 426,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Adams moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 426 and that a Conference Committee of three be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following conferees on S. F. No. 426: Messrs. Adams, Jackson and Denegre.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 611, A bill for an act to amend Sections 24 and 25 of Chapter 3, Laws 1913, entitled, An act relating to corrupt practices at primaries and elections and candidates to be voted for therein, and providing for punishments for violations thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millert,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 611 to lie over.

S. F. No. 647, A bill for an act relating to the election of trustees in villages organized under and governed, by Chapter 145 General Laws of Minnesota 1885.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cliff,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Besette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 412, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 379 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1901, entitled, An act to authorize and empower cities of this state which now have or hereafter may have no more than fifty thousand (50,000) and not less than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants, to make local improvements and to assess the cost thereof on property benefited thereby.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 1007, A bill for an act to amend Section 115, General Statutes 1913, so as to define more clearly the authority of certain public officials to validate certain claims against the state.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 171, A bill for an act to amend Section 2128, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes, repealing inconsistent laws.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 60, A bill for an act to prohibit the use of oleomargarine as a substitute for table butter in State Institutions.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays 19, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Cliff,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Sageng,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Reed,
Bessette,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Palmer,	Ribenack,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Millett,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Coleman,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Putnam,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 515, A bill for an act to amend Section 2226, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of railroad companies owning or operating any line of railroad situate within or partly within this state, and to provide for the submission of this act to the people of this state for their approval or rejection.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Larson,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 681, A bill for an act to amend Section 14, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, relating to State aid for Public Schools, and for the method of its distribution.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Benson moved to amend H. F. No. 681, printed bill, by striking out the words and figures "five dollars (\$5.00)" where they appear in line 11, Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "three dollars (\$3.00)".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Benson moved to amend H. F. No. 681, printed bill, by adding at the end of Section 1, the following: "provided, however, that this act shall not effect any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this state."

Further amend by striking out Section 2 of said bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after August 1st, 1919."

Which amendment was adopted.

H. F. No. 681 as amended to lie over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, April 15, 1919.

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

Mr. Callahan moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rask,	

Mr. Callahan moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 14, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 356, An act to amend Sections 2168, 2174, 2180, 2181 and 2184, Revised Laws of 1905, being part of Chapter 31 thereof, which chapter relates to the inspection of steam vessels and boilers and the licensing of engineers, also amending said Chapter 31 by adding thereto three (3) new sections, said amendments and new sections providing for the appointment of a board of boiler inspectors, a chief boiler inspector and a deputy chief boiler inspector, fixing their salaries, prescribing their power and duties, providing a fund for the payment of their salaries and expenses, providing for the licensing of masters and pilots of steam vessels and boats and gasoline boats and vessels carrying passengers for hire, fixing fees for the inspection of boilers and licensing of engineers, masters and pilots, creating a boiler inspector's fund and imposing certain charges and duties on insurance companies doing a boiler insurance business in this state.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 14, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir.—I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

INSPECTOR OF STEAM VESSELS AND BOILERS.

James F. Doran, Washington County, for the 43rd Senatorial District, for the term ending January 31, 1921;

Gus Fabianke, Martin County, for the 9th Senatorial District, for the term ending January 31, 1921;

A. W. Bergstrom, Kandiyohi County, for the 25th Senatorial District, for the term ending January 31, 1921;

Ole J. Mebust, Marshall County, for the 67th Senatorial District, for the term ending January 31, 1921.

STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY.

L. T. Arduser, Hennepin County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1922;

Ernest H. Kiekenapp, Lincoln County, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1922.

MEMBER STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS.

I. C. Edwards, Otter Tail County, for the term ending April 12, 1920;

E. A. Martner, Hennepin County, for the term ending April 12, 1921;

P. D. Peterson, Fillmore County, for the term ending April 12, 1922;

W. H. Konkler, St. Louis County, for the term ending April 12, 1923;

W. H. Vreeland, Ramsey County, for the term ending April 12, 1924.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 15, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir:—I respectfully request that Senators Rask and Nolan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act providing for the construction and erection of a building to constitute a memorial for the services and sacrifices of the citizens of this state in the wars of the United States; the acquisition of a site therefor and levying a tax for the defraying of the cost and expense thereof, and authorizing the Board of Control to issue and sell certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of the collection of such tax, the proceeds of the sale of such certificates to be used in carrying into effect the provisions of this act."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this state.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Rask and Nolan introduced—

S. F. No. 1047, A bill for an act providing for the construction and erection of a building to constitute a memorial for the services and sacrifices of the citizens of this state in the wars of the United States; the acquisition of a site therefor and levying a tax for the defraying of the cost and expenses thereof, and authorizing the Board of Control to issue and sell certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of the collection of such tax, the proceeds of the sale of such certificates to be used in carrying into effect the provisions of this act.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 15, 1919.

Sir:—I respectfully request that Senators Denegre and G. H. Sullivan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act to authorize the pledge of United States Liberty or Victory Loan Bonds as security for the performance of any public work."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this state.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Denegre and Sullivan, G. H., introduced:

S. F. No. 1048, A bill for an act to authorize the pledge of United States Liberty or Victory Loan Bonds as security for the performance of any public work.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended, and that S. F. No. 1048 be given its second reading, printed and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1048

Was read the second time.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 844, A bill for an act authorizing county boards of education for unorganized territory, containing 75 or more townships or fractions thereof, in counties of this state, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding floating indebtedness.

S. F. No. 433, A bill for an act authorizing the sale and disposition of that certain frame dwelling owned by the state in connection with the experiment station for the dairy and food department, within one mile of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota, and providing for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale.

S. F. No. 584, A concurrent resolution relating to a request and demand for a modification of the Federal Grades of grain and to the establishment and promulgation of Minnesota grades on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce.

S. F. No. 872, A bill for an act providing for the payment of loss or damage by fire or tornado to state property, requiring same to be kept safe from fire loss, and repealing certain laws inconsistent herewith.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 14, 1919.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 652, A bill for an act to amend Section 2272, General Statutes of 1913, fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 683, A bill for an act to amend Section 8673, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the conducting of public pool or billiard halls or rooms, or public bowling alleys, and prescribing the time when the same shall be closed and remain closed.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 886, A Concurrent Resolution providing for the creation of a commission known as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tide Water Commission.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the resolution do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., from the Committee on General Legislation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 630, A bill for an act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the period at the end of Section 1 of the printed bill and insert after the word "run" the following:

"Provided that this act shall not affect any action or proceeding now pending in reference to the recovery of such license fee or any part thereof."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 827, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to manufacture, gather, purchase and store ice and sell and distribute ice to such cities and the several departments thereof and the inhabitants of such cities and to acquire all necessary lands, ice plants, buildings, property, machinery and equipment necessary and convenient therefor, and to issue bonds to defray the costs thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 827

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 828, A bill for an act to authorize and empower cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to engage in and conduct and carry on the business of carrying and transporting passengers for hire upon the public streets and highways of such cities and to acquire, purchase, equip, own, maintain, use and operate automobiles, motor buses, motor vehicles and other vehicles and property of any kind necessary therefor and to make rules and regulations for the proper conduct of such business and to issue and sell municipal bonds to defray the costs and expenses thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 828

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 499, A bill for an act to amend Section 2148 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sales.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "is" where the same occur in the 23rd line of Section 1 of the bill, the word "no".

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1046, A bill for an act to amend Section 2461, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of employees in city owned armories.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that S. F. No. 1046 be re-referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 1046

Was re-referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 858, A bill for an act to authorize the modification of certain contracts for the construction of county and judicial ditches.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 992, A bill for an act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 992

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 981, A bill for an act to amend Section 5, Chapter 442 of the General Laws of 1917, relating to drainage on boundary waters and formation of drainage and flood control districts and co-operation with drainage authorities in the adjoining states.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 263, A bill for an act to amend Section 1190, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the separation of villages and townships.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Palmer, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 15, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 782, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1453, 1454, 1455, and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons and to provide such pensions for assistant matrons and other police women.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "forty-five" where the same appear in lines 13 and 14 of Section 2 of the act, and substituting in place thereof the word "fifty."

Further amend said act by striking out the word "ten" where the same appears in line 17 of Section 2 of the original act, and substituting in place thereof the word "twenty."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 370, A bill for an act to authorize any city of the first class not governed by a home rule charter to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of arching, covering over or diverting any creek in such city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 370 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 370

Were read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act to amend the title and Sections 1, 2, 4 and 13 of Chapter 272, Laws 1915, which chapter is entitled, An act relating to the duties of coroners and prescribing the manner and procedure of holding examinations and inquests by coroners, in counties having a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 914, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 517 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in Municipal Courts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 914, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 517 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in Municipal Courts.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 914

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 914, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 517 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in municipal courts.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Erickson,	Larson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 782, 981, 630, 886, 683 and 652,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 1035, 15, 263, 858 and 499,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Peterson and Fowler offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, the Senate has just been advised of the death of Mrs. Lydia Thurber, the daughter of Hon. George A. Turnham of Hennepin County;

Now therefore be it resolved, that the members of the Senate learn with profound regret of the sorrow which has come to their fellow member, Honorable George A. Turnham of Hennepin County, by reason of the sickness and death of his estimable daughter.

They are mindful of the great loss which he and his family have sustained in this bereavement and they assure him of their heart-felt sympathy with himself and wife in their time of sorrow and trial.

The Secretary of the Senate is directed to enter this minute on the Journal of this date and to send a copy thereof to Senator Turnham.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

Mr. Denegre offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrants for the sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) in favor of each of the following Senators:

Archie Coleman.

C. N. Cosgrove,

G. H. Sullivan,

in payment of the first installment of salary for each of said Senators for their respective terms.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Blomgren moved that S. F. No. 569, No. 90 on General Orders, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance, retaining its place on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 569

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Adams moved that H. F. No. 1145 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1145

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1145 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 848, No. 57 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 848 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1145

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 848

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nord moved that H. F. No. 793, No. 26 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar, with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Brooks moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 316, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Larson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Carley,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Widell,
Cliff,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Special Order on H. F. Nos. 666, 1189 and 631 and S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902 set for 2:00 P. M. today, be postponed until Thursday, April 17, 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 654, No. 56 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 654, A bill for an act fixing salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor and the county treasurer in counties now and hereafter having not less than fifty or more than seventy full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not more than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold;	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Reed,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Stepan,	
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall moved that S. F. No. 1039 be recalled from the Committee on Drainage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1039

Was recalled from the Committee on Drainage.

Mr. Hall then moved that S. F. No. 1039 be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1039

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Nord moved that H. F. No. 957 be recalled from the Committee on Insurance.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 957

Was recalled from the Committee on Insurance.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 957 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 806, No. 22 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 806 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 957

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 806

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Bessette moved that S. F. No. 280 be taken from the table.
Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 280

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 280 be given its second reading and printed together with the proposed amendments.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 280

Was read the second time.

Mr. Bessette moved to amend S. F. No. 280 to read as follows—

By striking out all of Section 4, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 4. It shall be unlawful for any manufacturer or person in this state to expose for sale or otherwise dispose of any patent or proprietary medicine intended for internal consumption of man manufactured in this state, or which may be manufactured without this state, and offered for sale or sold or given away, or otherwise disposed of within this state, which contains more than 10% of alcohol by volume.”

Further amend by striking out all of Sections 8 and 6.

Further amend Section 7 in lines 1 and 2 by striking out the words “physician or veterinarian,” and in line 7 of said Section 7, strike out the words “and live stock values aggregate large sums.”

Further amend by renumbering Section 4 as Section 3, and Sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 as Sections 4, 5, 6 and 7.

Mr. Orr moved that H. F. No. 280, No. 44 on General Orders, be advanced to the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry moved that 1,000 copies of H. F. No. 862 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 1192, A bill for an act providing for the acquisition of

certain land by the University of Minnesota; the construction of buildings at the University in accordance with a comprehensive building plan; levying a tax to provide funds therefor and authorizing the issuance of certificates of indebtedness by the University for such purposes, such certificates to be paid from the proceeds of the tax levy.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 178, A bill for an act providing for free tuition in the state university and at the state normal schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 178, printed bill as follows:

1st.—Strike out the word “other” where it occurs in line 12 of Section 1.

2nd.—Insert the following immediately after the words “United States Government” where they occur in line 13 of Section 1: “or any other college or school approved by the State Department of Education.”

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Benson moved to amend the title to said bill by adding after the word “work” in the 2nd line, the following: “and other colleges and schools in the state.”

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

CORRECTION.

H. F. No. 419 received its first reading on March 31st as H. F. No. 491, page 1082 of the Senate Journal.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 58, A bill for an act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of a felony.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Larson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Swanson,
Bovlan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 6, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Guilford moved to amend H. F. No. 6, by inserting a new sentence in line 6 of Section 2 of the printed bill thereof after the word "applicant" reading as follows: "if the applicant is a corporation the form of application and certificate hereafter provided for shall be appropriate to a corporation."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hegnes moved to amend H. F. No. 6 as follows:

After the word "Treasury" where it appears in the 5th line of the amendment as printed on page 36 of the Journal of date, April 10, 1919, insert the following:

"Provided, that in all counties where the Register of Deeds is on a fee basis and where the fees of such office, including the fees received under this act, does not exceed three thousand dollars, or where the salary of the Register of Deeds is fixed by special law at eighteen hundred dollars or less, such fees shall be retained by the Register of Deeds."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays 4,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boylan,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Sageng,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of depend-

ent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision in such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage,
The question being taken on the passage of the bill,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Nord,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 545, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2376 and 2377, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws 1917, which sections relate to noxious weeds.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Wold moved to amend S. F. No. 545, by inserting after the word "notice" where it appears in line 12, Section 3, of the printed bill, the following:

"It shall be the duty of any such official giving any such notice to mail a duplicate copy thereof to the County Auditor."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended.
And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 963, A bill for an act to amend Sections 37, 43, 53, 60 and 62 of Chapter 400, Session Laws 1917, entitled, An act to conform the organization, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the Federal law relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 598, A bill for an act to make provision for supervisors of teaching in rural schools.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nord,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Hopp,	Johnson,	Lee,	Loonam,
Hall,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 448, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 209, Laws of Minnesota, 1915, relating to settlement and payment of compensation under said chapter and fees of the clerk of court for filing papers

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were.

Adams,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Besette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Widell,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Putnam,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 677, A bill for an act to amend Section 1968, General Statutes of 1913, relating to powers and duties of school boards.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millet,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Besette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 345, A bill for an act requiring Chief of the Fire Department in every city, village or town to make inspections of buildings and keep records thereof.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Denegre,	Fowler,
Anderson,	Carley,	Cosgrove,	Devold,	Gandrud,
Blomgren,	Cliff,	Cumming,	Erickson,	Gjerset,

Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Reed,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Guilford,	Lee,	Nolan,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Hall,	Lindsley,	Nord,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Hamer,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Sageng,	Widell,
Hopp,	McGarry,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	
Johnson,	Madigan,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 979, A bill for an act authorizing municipal subdivisions of the state to appropriate funds in aid of the work to be carried on by the Minnesota War Records Commission.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 675, A bill for an act to provide for the regulation of traffic in eggs, to provide for the licensing of dealers in eggs; to prevent fraud and misrepresentation in dealing in eggs and to prevent the sale of eggs unfit for human food.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Larson,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Lee,
Bessette,	Cliff,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,	Lindsley,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Hopp,	Loonam,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Gjeraset,	Jackson,	Millett,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Gooding,	Johnson,	Naplin,
Callahan,	Devold,	Hall,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,

Orr, Palmer, Peterson,	Putnam, Rask, Reed,	Romberg, Sageng, Schmechel,	Stepan, Sullivan, J. D., Swanson,	Van Hoven, Vibert, Widell,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 343, A bill for an act to amend Section 693, G. S. 1913, relating to the incidental fund.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to amend H. F. No. 343 by striking out of lines 6 and 7 of the printed bill the words "and the mileage and per diem of assessors attending the annual meeting with the auditor."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millet,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 413, A bill for an act establishing the Minnesota War Records Commission; providing for the compilation of records and the collection of materials relating to the participation of the state and its citizens in the world war, and for the preparation, publication and distribution of a memorial record and history of Minnesota's part in the war; and appropriating money for the carrying out of the provisions of this act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Denegre,
Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Dwyer,
Benson,	Boylan,	Carley,	Cumming,	Erickson,

Gandrud,	Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Schmechel,
Gillam,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Stepan,
Gjerset,	Jackson,	McGarry,	Rask,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Gooding,	Johnson,	Madigan,	Reed,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Hall,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Swanson,
Hamer,	Larson,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Handlan,	Lee,	Nord,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 746, A bill for an act to amend Section 6434, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the power of a local building and loan association to deal in real estate.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Adams moved to amend S. F. No. 746 as follows, viz:

Strike out all of lines 8, 9, 10 and 11 beginning with the word "also" and ending with the word "thereof" in Section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words:

"Also in transactions involving the purchase by a stockholder of improved real estate for home purposes, it may when authorized by its by-laws acquire the title thereof whether subject to outstanding contract for deed or not, and if no contract exists it may give to such stockholder a contract to convey the same as upon a sale thereof."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

Mr. Palmer voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 924, A bill for an act to amend Section 4, Chapter 238, Laws 1915, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 410, Laws 1917, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 716, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 9102, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 788, A bill for an act to legalize conveyances of real property heretofore made by a married man or married woman directed to his or her spouse, and the record of such conveyance.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Coleman,	Devold,	Gandrud,
Benson,	Boylan,	Cosgrove,	Dwyer,	Gillam,
Besette,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Erickson,	Gooding,

Hall,	Johnson,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Hamer,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Handlan,	Lee,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	
Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Stepan,	
Hopp,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Jackson,	Madigan,	Rask,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 135, A bill for an act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 391, A bill for an act providing for sanitation in the operation of railroad cars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rockne,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Denegre,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Sullivan, J. D.,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 870, A bill for an act providing that where a patent is issued to a deceased patentee, title shall inure to and become vested in the heirs, devisees or assignees of such deceased patentee.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Besette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Orr,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Ward,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to prescribe the summons in Municipal Courts in villages and cities of the fourth class, however organized.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 94, A bill for an act to amend Section 7020, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 285 of the General Laws of 1917, relating to liens for labor and material for improvement of real estate.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Naplin moved to amend S. F. No. 94, by inserting the word "or" between the words "grubbing" and "breaking" in line 9 of Section 1 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Reed,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Larson,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	Lee,	Sageng,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Orr,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Peterson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 924, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3343 and 3344, General Statutes 1913, which said sections as so amended relate to the taxation of insurance companies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Palmer,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Peterson,	
Carley,	Gooding,	Larson,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 817, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 128, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing the cities of the first class to designate and establish restricted residence districts and to prohibit the erection, alteration and repair of buildings thereon for certain prohibited purposes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 210 of the Laws of 1915 of Minnesota, known as the act for the regulation of warehousemen in cities of the first class other than grain and cold storage warehousemen.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the Senate do now adjourn—

The question being taken on the adoption of the motion to adjourn,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 26 and nays 33, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Denegre,	McGarry,	Reed,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Erickson,	Nord,	Ribenack,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Gjerset,	Orr,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gooding,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Widell,
Brooks,				

Those who voted in the negative were:

Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Ward,
Carley,	Hall,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Larson,	Peterson,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the motion did not prevail.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS—CONTINUED.

S. F. No. 360, A bill for an act relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Health in the sanitation of labor camps and provisions for the enforcement thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 23 and nays 30, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Bessette,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Palmer,	
Callahan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Romberg,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Hall,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill failed to pass.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 849, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By adding at the end of Section 5 of the typewritten bill the following paragraph:

"A person subletting land for the use of which he receives royalty shall be required to pay taxes only on the difference between the amount of royalty paid by him and the amount received."

And when so amended a majority of the committee, seven members, being Adams, Baldwin, Fowler, McGarry, Widell, Vibert and Hegnes, recommends that the bill be indefinitely postponed, and a minority of the committee, six members, being Anderson, Hopp, Johnson, Nolan, Gillam and Gjerset, recommends the bill for passage.

By unanimous vote the committee further recommends to the Senate that the majority report and the minority report together with the bill, H. F. No. 849, be made a Special Order in the Senate for Monday, April 21, at 2 o'clock P. M.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, and H. F. No. 849 together with the report of the Committee and Majority and Minority reports thereon, be made a Special Order for Monday, April 21, 2 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SIXTY-NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, April 16, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove.	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Fowler was excused for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Mr. Conroy was excused for today.

PETITIONS, LETTERS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
Lieut. Governor,

Dear Sir: I received the kind resolutions of sympathy passed by the Senate, and the gift of flowers for my daughter's funeral.

Please express to my fellow members the grateful appreciation of myself and family for their very friendly and helpful expressions.

GEO. A. TURNHAM AND FAMILY.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. •

St. Paul, April 14, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Magnus Johnson be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act levying a tax of six mills upon each dollar of assessed valuation of all taxable property within the state for each year for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the 'Returned Soldiers' Fund'; providing for the payment thereof to returned soldiers; defining the powers and duties of the Adjutant General with reference thereto; and making the appropriation therefor."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Johnson introduced—

S. F. No. 1049, A bill for an act levying a tax of six mills upon each dollar of assessed valuation of all taxable property within the state for each year for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the "Returned Soldiers' Fund"; providing for the payment thereof to returned soldiers; defining the powers and the duties of the Adjutant General with reference thereto; and making the appropriation therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. •

St. Paul, April 15, 1919.

*Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Gjerset be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act relieving counties of liability to incorporated cities, boroughs or villages on account of the failure of county auditors to apportion, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 239, General Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 159, Laws of 1915, penalties and interest accruing upon taxes heretofore levied upon real estate."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 1050, A bill for an act relieving counties of liability to incorporated cities, boroughs or villages on account of the failure of county auditors to apportion, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 239, General Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 159, Laws of 1915, penalties and interest accruing upon taxes heretofore levied upon real estate.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 1050, A bill for an act relieving counties of liability to incorporated cities, boroughs or villages on account of the failure of county auditors to apportion, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 239, General Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 159, Laws of 1915, penalties and interest accruing upon taxes heretofore levied upon real estate.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1050

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1050, A bill for an act relieving counties of liability to incorporated cities, boroughs or villages on account of the failure of county auditors to apportion, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 239, General Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 159, Laws of 1915, penalties and interest accruing upon taxes heretofore levied upon real estate.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gooding,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Boylan,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 15, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Boylan be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of more than \$250,000,000 and an area of over 5,000 square miles, to build an addition to a district court building located at a place other than the county seat of said county and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund and to issue a county warrant on said fund to pay the cost thereof before or after the levying of a tax for such purpose."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Boylan introduced—

S. F. No. 1051, A bill for an act authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of

more than \$250,000,000 and an area of over 5,000 square miles, to build an addition to a district court building located at a place other than the county seat of said county and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund and to issue a county warrant on said fund to pay the cost thereof before or after the levying of a tax for such purpose.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Boylan moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 1051, A bill for an act authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of more than \$250,000,000 and an area of over 5,000 square miles, to build an addition to a district court building located at a place other than the county seat of said county and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund and to issue a county warrant on said fund to pay the cost thereof before or after the levying of a tax for such purpose.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1051

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1051, A bill for an act authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of more than \$250,000,000 and an area of over 5,000 square miles, to build an addition to a district court building located at a place other than the county seat of said county and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund and to issue a county warrant on said fund to pay the cost thereof before or after the levying of a tax for such purpose.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,
Anderson,
Bessette,

Blomgren,
Bonniwell,
Boylan,

Brooks,
Callahan,
Carley,

Cashel,
Cosgrove,
Cumming,

Dwyer,
Erickson,
Gandrud,

Gillam,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Gjerset,	Johnson,	Millett,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Hall,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Sageng,	Ward,
Hamer,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Handlan,	Larson,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Hopp,	McGarry,	Putnam,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested herewith returned:

S. F. No. 466, A bill for an act to amend Sections 5015, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020 and 5021, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Dental Examiners and the licensing of dentists and the practicing of dentistry and fixing the fees to be charged therefor in the State of Minnesota, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the manner of taking appeals from orders made by the Board of Dental Examiners.

S. F. No. 691, A bill for an act requiring the state auditor and state treasurer to credit the State Agricultural Society with interest earnings on money received by the society from the operation of the state fair, rentals and sale of property and deposited with the state treasurer.

S. F. No. 300, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1 of Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which Section 88 was amended by Section 28, Laws 1917, by adding thereto at the end thereof a new subdivision and which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to the repair and maintenance of bridges of town and county roads and also the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to roads which have become impassable.

S. F. No. 475, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employes.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 776, A bill for an act authorizing certain villages and cities to acquire land for use as a place within which to tie horses and park automobiles.

S. F. No. 986, A bill for an act to amend Section 1252, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to annual village elections.

S. F. No. 1021, A bill for an act to give sellers and consignors of grain a first lien upon the membership of any member of any chamber of commerce or board of trade on account of any indebtedness arising from the purchase, or sale upon consignment of grain by such member.

S. F. No. 445, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of main sewers.

S. F. No. 456, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of extending, and improving the public water works system owned and operated by any such city.

S. F. No. 742, A bill for an act authorizing cities or villages in this state by a majority vote of the council thereof to modify the conditions upon which lands have been heretofore or may hereafter be deeded to school districts.

S. F. No. 479, A bill for an act relating to the high school board examinations and repealing Sections 2893 and 2894, General Statutes of 1913.

S. F. No. 455, A bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and installing a water filtration plant for use in connection with the public water works system owned and operated by such city.

April 15, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 234, A bill for an act to provide for an additional assistant attorney general.

S. F. No. 326, A bill for an act memorializing Congress to establish a standard of motor gasoline according to specifications for motor gasoline.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 282, A bill for an act relating to court bonds, undertakings, recognizances and other securities.

April 15, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 43, A bill for an act to amend Section 1988, General Statutes 1913, an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the per cent of "full and true value" at which property in each class shall be assessed.

H. F. No. 593, A bill for an act amending Section 3995 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, pertaining to Pension for Soldiers disabled in Indian Massacre.

H. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.

April 15, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 4, A bill for an act entitled an act to abolish the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, and to repeal Chapter 261, Laws of Minnesota 1917.

H. F. No. 623, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 11 of Section 1268, General Statutes 1913, relating to powers of village councils.

April 15, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 939, A bill for an act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of County Free Libraries, and for contracts between boards of county commissioners and existing public libraries.

H. F. No. 871, A bill for an act to amend Section 5219, General Statutes 1913, providing for the appraisal of state lands, appointment of appraisers and their compensation.

H. F. No. 805, A bill for an act to legalize the refunding bonds of villages in certain cases.

H. F. No. 1083, A bill for an act limiting the time within which an action may be brought to set aside certain deeds and mortgages made by executors and administrators, and legalizing such deeds and mortgages.

H. F. No. 1174, A bill for an act legalizing certain deeds, mortgages satisfactions and releases of mortgages or other liens upon land, powers of attorney and the record thereof heretofore defectively executed, acknowledged or made.

H. F. No. 926, A bill for an act to amend Section 6259, G. S. 1913, relating to the liability in certain cases of persons or corporations owning or operating telegraph lines.

H. F. No. 1208, A bill for an act to amend Section 8061 General Statutes 1913, relating to the publication of the summons in actions to determine adverse claims to real estate.

H. F. No. 435, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws 1915, relating to state aid to certain schools.

H. F. No. 1169, A concurrent resolution providing for the creation of a commission known as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Commission.

H. F. No. 1150, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 12, Section 294, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 149, Laws 1917, fixing salaries in state treasurer's office.

H. F. No. 492, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing boards of county commissioners in counties containing not less than 80 congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$25,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000, to levy and raise annually a tax for county road and bridge purposes, not exceeding 10 mills on the dollar of the taxable valuation of the county.

H. F. No. 894, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 327, Laws 1917, relating to sale of timber on state lands and regulating the issuance of permits.

H. F. No. 1128, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge purposes additional to that which it is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for

purposes of town government, and providing for the collection of such tax and the expenditure of funds derived therefrom.

H. F. No. 902, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Timber Commissioners to determine the number of sections of land or fractions thereof to be covered by and described in a timber permit.

H. F. No. 1041, A bill for an act amending Section 1161, General Statutes 1913, relating to fees of town treasurers, as amended by Chapter 295, Laws 1917.

H. F. No. 1142, A bill for an act providing for additional clerk hire for judges of probate in certain counties.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 15, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Hopp moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 691 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Romberg,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Swanson.
Carley,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Hopp,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Cumming moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 300 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the repassage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hamer,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Handlan,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Carley,	Guilford,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on

S. F. No. 426, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390, General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their deputies and clerks in certain counties of this State.

And that Messrs. Levin, Corning, Greene, T. J., were appointed such committee on the part of the House.

April 15, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on

S. F. No. 256, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

And that Messrs. Wilkinson, Gislason, J. B., Hammer, were appointed such committee on the part of the House.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 15, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 4, A bill for an act entitled an act to abolish the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, and to repeal Chapter 261, Laws of Minnesota 1917.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended, and that H. F. No. 4 be given its second reading and placed on General Orders.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the motion as made by Mr. Bessette,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 19 and nays 45, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Anderson,	Cashel,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Rask,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Lee,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Loonam,	Romberg,	

Those who voted in the negative were :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the motion did not prevail.

H. F. No. 4,

Was referred to the Committee on Civil Administration.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 43, A bill for an act to amend Section 1988, General Statutes 1913, an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the per cent of "full and true value" at which property in each class shall be assessed.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 282, A bill for an act relating to court bonds, undertakings, recognizances and other securities.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 593, A bill for an act amending Section 3995, of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, pertaining to pension for soldiers disabled in Indian massacre.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

H. F. No. 623, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 11 of Section 1268, General Statutes 1913, relating to powers of village councils.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

H. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 492, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing boards of county commissioners in counties containing not less than 80 congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$25,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000, to levy and raise annually a tax for county road and bridge purposes, not exceeding 10 mills on the dollar of the taxable valuation of the county.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 492, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing boards of county commissioners in counties containing not less than 80 congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$25,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000, to levy and raise annually a tax for county road and bridge purposes, not exceeding 10 mills on the dollar of the taxable valuation of the county.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 492,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 492, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing boards of county commissioners in counties containing not less than 80 congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$25,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000, to levy and raise annually a tax for county road and bridge purposes, not exceeding 10 mills on the dollar of the taxable valuation of the county.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 435, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws 1915, relating to state aid to certain schools.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

H. F. No. 805, A bill for an act to legalize the refunding bonds of villages in certain cases.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 871, A bill for an act to amend Section 5219, General Statutes 1913, providing for the appraisal of state lands, appointment of appraisers and their compensation.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 871 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 681, No. 10 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 681 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 871,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 681,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 894, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 327, Laws 1917, relating to sale of timber on state lands and regulating the issuance of permits.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 894 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 763, No. 15 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 763 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 894

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 763

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 902, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of Timber Commissioners to determine the number of sections of land or fractions thereof to be covered by and described in a timber permit.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 902 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 734, No. 16 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 734 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 902

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 734

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 926, A bill for an act to amend Section 6259, G. S. 1913, relating to the liability in certain cases of persons or corporations owning or operating telegraph lines.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

H. F. No. 939, A bill for an act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of County Free Libraries, and for contracts between boards of county commissioners and existing public libraries.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 1041, A bill for an act amending Section 1161, General Statutes 1913, relating to fees of town treasurers, as amended by Chapter 295, Laws 1917.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 1128, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge purposes additional to that which is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for purposes of town government, and providing for the collection of such tax and the expenditure of funds derived therefrom.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 1142, A bill for an act providing for additional clerk hire for judges of probate in certain counties.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. F. No. 1174, A bill for an act legalizing certain deeds, mortgages, satisfactions and releases of mortgages or other liens upon land, powers of attorney and the record thereof heretofore defectively executed, acknowledged or made.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 1169, A concurrent resolution providing for the creation of a commission known as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Commission.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1169 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No.

886, No. 102 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 886 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1169

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 102

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1150, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 12, Section 294, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 149, Laws 1917, fixing salaries of state treasurer's office.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1150 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 911, No. 66 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 911 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1150

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 911

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1208, A bill for an act to amend Section 8061, General Statutes 1913, relating to the publication of the summons in actions to determine adverse claims to real estate.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 1083, A bill for an act limiting the time within which an action may be brought to set aside certain deeds and mortgages made by executors and administrators, and legalizing such deeds and mortgages.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1083 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 909, No.

89 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 909 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1083

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 909

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Reed moved that H. F. No. 939 be recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 939

Was recalled from the Committee on Towns and Counties.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Reed moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 939 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 713, No. 43 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 713 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 939

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 713

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 475, and that a Conference Committee of three be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hopp moved that H. F. No. 1208 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1208

Was recalled from the Committee on Judiciary.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1208, A bill for an act to amend Section 8061, General Statutes 1913, relating to the publication of the summons in actions to determine adverse claims to real estate.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1208

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1208, A bill for an act to amend Section 8061, General Statutes 1913, relating to the publication of the summons in actions to determine adverse claims to real estate.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 180, A bill for an act to amend the title and Sections 1, 9 and 34 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, "An Act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation by way of damages for injuries due to accident received by an employe arising out of and in the course of employment, modifying common law and statutory remedies, in such cases; establishing an alternative elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder in certain cases."

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 180

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 176., A bill for an act creating a State Industrial and Insurance Board of the State of Minnesota; creating an Industrial Insurance Fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board, and of compensation, as provided by part two, Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended, to injured employes and to the dependents of employes who may be killed in the course of their employment, and repealing all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 176

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Jackson, from the Committee on Workmen's Compensation, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 610, A bill for an act changing the administration of part II of the Workmen's Compensation Law; providing for a Workmen's Compensation Board to have original jurisdiction over all compensation matters herein specified in place of the District Courts; empowering the Workmen's Compensation Board to supervise the licensing and regulating of insurance carriers writing Workmen's Compensation insurance in this state; the licensing of adjusters as in this act provided, and imposing penalties for the violation thereof; prescribing the powers, duties, and manner of procedure of the employees of the Workmen's Compensation Board; providing for co-operation of labor and industries whenever the work of that department and the Workmen's Compensation Board is interrelated.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 610

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 840, A bill for an act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 473, A bill for an act relating to lien of owners of breeding animals and providing a penalty.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 361, A bill for an act amending Chapter 250, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915 and authorizing the Secretary of State to modify the contract entered into on behalf of the State of Minnesota for the printing and publishing of the Supreme Court Reports under such act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Strike out all of the title of the bill, including the preamble, down to the enacting clause, and in lieu thereof, insert the following:

A bill for an act authorizing the Secretary of State on behalf of the State of Minnesota to cancel and annul, upon certain conditions, the contract entered into by him on behalf of the State of Minnesota on July 6th, 1915, for the printing and publishing of the Minnesota Reports; to reimburse the publishers of said reports under said contract for extra expenses incurred in the printing and publication of said reports, and to appropriate money therefor.

2. Strike out all of the bill after the enacting clause and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 1. The Secretary of State, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, is hereby authorized to cancel and annul the contract entered into by him on behalf of the State of Minnesota on July 6th, 1915, with Bronson West, Welles Eastman and Richardson Phelps for the printing and publication of the Minnesota Supreme

Court reports, if, within thirty (30) days after the passage of this act, any person, firm or corporation shall, in lieu of said contract, enter into a new contract with the Secretary of State on behalf of the State of Minnesota for the publication of said reports for the unexpired term of said contract, which said new contract shall be in words and figures, as follows:

This agreement, made and entered into this.....day of1919, by and between Julius A. Schmah, Secretary of State, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, party of the first part, andparty of the second part, witnesseth:

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises and of the benefits to be derived from the execution of this contract, the said party of the second part hereby covenants and agrees with the said party of the first part, acting on behalf of the State of Minnesota, as follows:

1. That the party of the second part will print and publish the Reports of the Supreme Court of the State of Minnesota, commonly known as the Minnesota Reports, beginning with Volume 141 and up to and including October 1st, 1921.

2. The second party hereby further agrees to publish and sell said Minnesota Reports for the sum of one and 75/100 (\$1.75) dollars per volume at its office in St. Paul, and at the sum or price of two and 10/100 (\$2.10) dollars per volume when delivered elsewhere in the State of Minnesota, and at all times keep the same on sale at its office in the city of St. Paul, Minnesota, in quantities of one or more copies at any one time and upon reasonable notice of not less than ten days, for the price agreed upon in said contract. The second party also agrees during the term of this contract to keep on sale at all times at its office in St. Paul, Minnesota, at prices, which shall not exceed the schedule of prices herein set forth, volumes 131 to 140, both inclusive, of said Minnesota reports heretofore printed and published pursuant to the contract of July 6th, 1915, referred to in Section 1 of this act.

It is understood and agreed that there will be no additional cost to the State of Minnesota for any additional miscellaneous expenses, such as special stamping or wrapping, author's corrections and similar items, such as were incurred in publishing volumes 131 to 140.

2A. Specifications shall be as follows:

Paper—Paper stock shall be substantially as shown in dummy volume herewith, Minnesota Reports, Volume No. 140 for identification, being commonly known as Law Book MF paper 38x50-120.

Composition—Shall be of type as shown by Volume 140, Minnesota Reports, using same faces and bodies of type as used therein and not other, and set to same measurements.

Presswork—Shall be done in first-class workmanlike manner, in which all letters and words are clearly and legibly printed in good black ink and all forms have uniformly the same amount of ink.

No. of Pages—The number of pages in each volume should not exceed six hundred and five (605) pages. Any number of pages in excess of this number, taking as an average four volumes, is to be paid for by the state at the rate of two and 00/100 (\$2.00) dollars per page per edition.

Binding—The standard binding shall be light Buckram, and on such volumes bound in sheep there shall be an extra charge of fifty (50) cents per book.

2B. Copy furnished by the Supreme Court Reporter to be definite and legible, and it is understood and agreed that the second party shall furnish the Reporter of the Supreme Court such reasonable numbers of galley, page and plate proof as may be necessary for the use in his office.

3. The second party will stereotype the said Reports and at all times keep the same on sale in the State of Minnesota at the contract price, and furnish the State any number of additional copies that may hereafter be required at said contract price, and that the copyright of said reports as published, under this contract, shall vest in and remain in the Secretary of State of Minnesota, for the benefit of the people of the State of Minnesota. Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent the parties of the second part, their representatives or assigns from continuing the printing, publishing and sale of such volumes as long as they shall comply in all respects with this contract.

4. That four hundred and fifty (450) copies of each of said volumes shall be printed, published and delivered to the Secretary of State within forty-five (45) days after the complete manuscript thereof shall be delivered by the reporter of the Supreme Court to the said party of the second part, which said four hundred and fifty (450) copies, and all other copies of said reports furnished to the State, or any of the officers of the State, shall be paid for by the State of Minnesota at the above mentioned rate of one and 75/100 (\$1.75) dollars per volume.

5. Whenever the reporter shall have delivered enough copy to fill two hundred (200) pages, within thirty (30) days thereafter

the party of the second part shall deliver to the reporter page proof of same, whether the copy be of cases, table of cases or index, provided, however, that any reasonable delay in the delivery of page proof, caused by the elements or strikes, shall not be deemed or computed a part of said time; in case of any dispute between the reporter and said party of the second part, as to the construction of this paragraph, or as to the computation of time, the decision of the Chief Justice shall be final.

6. In case said party of the second part shall fail to comply with the terms of this contract, for sixty days after written notice from the Secretary of State of its default herein, that then, and in such case the Secretary of State with the consent and approval of the Chief Justice, for the time being, may cause the work still remaining uncompleted under this contract, to be done, by other persons, and the expense thereof, over and above the amount agreed upon to be paid per volume shall be payable by said party of the second part to the said party of the first part.

7. Said second party shall at the time of making this contract execute and file with the Secretary of State of Minnesota, to be approved by the clerk of the Supreme Court a bond in the penal sum of five thousand and 00/100 (\$5000.00) dollars, conditioned to fulfill this contract in all particulars.

In consideration of the covenants and agreements of said party of the second part, and the performance of the same by said party, party of the first part agrees that of each volume of said reports so published by said party of the second part, it will take at least four hundred and fifty (450) copies, and as above provided, it will pay the party of the second part therefor, the sum of one and 75/100 (\$1.75) dollars per copy. That it will take and receive said copies as soon as delivered by the said party of the second part, which delivery is to be made within the time hereinbefore limited.

It witness whereof, the parties hereto have executed this contract in duplicate, the day and year first above written.

In presence of:

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Section 2. Such cancellation and annulment of said contract shall not become effective until such new contract and bond therein provided for shall have been executed in a manner approved by the Attorney General, nor until the original holders of said contract, or their assignees, have filed with the Secretary of State, in writing, their consent to such cancellation, nor until the original stereotype plates from which volumes 131 to 140, both inclusive, were printed under said contract shall have been, without cost to the State, surrendered to and deposited with the Secretary of State to be and forever remain the property of the State of Minnesota.

Section 3. That when such new contract and bond shall have been executed and approved in the manner aforesaid, and said stereotype plates surrendered and deposited in the manner aforesaid, the said Bronson West, Welles Eastman and Richardson Phelps shall be released from any further liability under said contract and the bond given by them to secure the performance of the same.

Section 4. The sum of one thousand seven hundred and sixty-seven and 12/100 (\$1767.12) dollars is hereby unconditionally appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated to reimburse Bronson West, Welles Eastman and Richardson Phelps for extra expenses incurred by them in the publication, pursuant to said contract, of volumes 131 to 140, both inclusive, of said reports, which said extra expenses consist of special stamping, wrapping, authors' corrections and extra pages, which said extras were not originally contemplated by either of the parties to said contract.

Section 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the amendments as proposed to S. F. No. 361 be printed in the Journal, and that the bill together with the report of the committee be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1036, A bill for an act regulating the business of auctioneering and providing for the licensing of auctioneers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 1036

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 764, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 2769 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of common school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 764

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 600, A bill for an act relating to the powers of school boards in common districts containing ten or more townships.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 936, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 2769 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of common school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 349, A bill for an act entitled An act to amend Section 4599, General Statutes 1913, having reference to the licensing of grain and agricultural commission merchants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 605, A bill for an act prohibiting the placing of advertising matter in certain places and prohibiting the removal of or injury to certain signs and inscriptions, and providing penalties therefor.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1028, A bill for an act to amend Section 2596, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, and to repeal Section 2599, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the building of bridges across navigable waters on county lines which are the boundary lines of the state and providing for the bonding of counties for such purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 831, A bill for an act to amend Section 2530, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the establishment, alteration and vacation of town roads.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1187, A bill for an act relating to the obstruction of public highways and providing penalties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 1208 and 605

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 1187, 831, 349, 936, 600, 473 and 840

Were read the second time.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on disagreeing votes of the House and Senate upon the Senate amendments to

H. F. No. 147, A bill for an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to the compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of rate supervisor and of assistant actuary, and repealing Subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.

Beg leave to report that your committees have met and considered the disagreeing votes and have agreed that the Senate recede from its amendments to said House File No. 147 and recommend to the respective houses that said House File No. 147 be repassed by both houses amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. The Commissioner of Insurance may appoint a deputy commissioner of insurance to assist him in his duties, who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-eight hundred dollars (\$2800); an actuary who shall receive an annual salary of forty-two hundred dollars (\$4200); a chief examiner who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-eight hundred dollars (\$2800); three assistant examiners who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2400) each; a rate supervisor who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-eight hundred dollars (\$2800); an assistant actuary who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500); a statistician who shall receive an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800); a license clerk who shall receive an annual salary of twelve hundred dollars (\$1200); a chief clerk who shall receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500); a

bookkeeper or cashier who shall receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500); four stenographers who shall receive an annual salary of not more than forty-eight hundred dollars (\$4800) in the aggregate; and at any time between the first day of January and the last day of June in each year may also appoint two additional clerks at not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100) per month each. All salaries authorized by this act shall be payable in monthly installments and shall be in full compensation for all services rendered in discharge of their respective duties; provided, that the actual and necessary expenses incurred by the commissioner or any salaried employe of the Department of Insurance in connection with any examination of an insurance company shall be repaid by the State Treasurer upon proper vouchers on condition that the same shall have previously been charged to such insurance company so examined and by such company paid into the State Treasury.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. PUTNAM,

JAMES D. DENEGRE,

J. E. MADIGAN,

Managers on the part of
the Senate

B. L. KINGSLEY,

R. A. WILKINSON,

W. C. BRIGGS.

Managers on the part of
the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on H. F. No. 147, and that the bill be repassed as amended. Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on H. F. No. 147 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Coleman,	Erickson,	Guilford,
Anderson,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Gandrud,	Hamer,
Baldwin,	Carley,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Handlan,
Blomgren,	Cashel,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Hegnes,
Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Gooding,	Jackson,

Johnson,
Kingsbury,
Kuntz,
Larson,
Lee,

Lindsley,
Loonam,
McGarry,
Madigan,
Millett,

Nolan,
Orr,
Peterson,
Putnam,
Ribnack,

Sageng,
Schmechel,
Sullivan, G. H.,
Sullivan, J. D.,
Swanson,

Van Hoven,
Vibert,
Ward,
Widell,
Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate do now recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:30 P. M.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Conroy was excused for tomorrow.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 15, No. 110 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 15, A bill for an act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery associations, whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,
Anderson,
Baldwin,
Benson,
Bessette,
Bonniwell,
Boylan,
Brooks,
Carley,
Cashel,

Cliff,
Coleman,
Cosgrove,
Cumming,
Denegre,
Devold,
Dwyer,
Erickson,
Gandrud,
Gillam,

Gjerset,
Gooding,
Guilford,
Hamer,
Handlan,
Hegnes,
Hopp,
Jackson,
Johnson,
Kingsbury,

Kuntz,
McGarry,
Madigan,
Millett,
Nolan,
Nord,
Palmer,
Peterson,
Putnam,
Rask,

Romberg,
Sageng,
Schmechel,
Sullivan, G. H.,
Sullivan, J. D.,
Van Hoven,
Vibert,
Ward,
Widell,
Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1169, No. 102 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1169, A concurrent resolution providing for the creation of a commission known as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Commission.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 888 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 888, A bill for an act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend H. F. No. 888 as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the bill as amended and insert in place thereof the following:

"Any village or city of the fourth class, whether organized under any general or special statutory law, which is limited by law to the levy of a tax for municipal purposes to an amount less than fifteen (15) mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property therein, may by resolution of the village or city council levy a tax for village or city purposes as the case may be, upon all

the taxable real and personal property of said village or city to an amount not exceeding fifteen (15) mills on the dollar of the assessed value of the taxable real and personal property therein; provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall not be construed as reducing the amount of taxes which may be levied by any other village or city for all purposes under existing laws.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kuntz moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 306, No. 61 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 306, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1, 2 and 3, Chapter 65, of the laws of 1915, relating to mutual liability insurance associations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Besette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved that H. F. No. 170, No. 1 on the Calendar, be re-referred to the Committee on Elections, retaining its place on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 170,

Was re-referred to the Committee on Elections.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Erickson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 143, No. 44 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

The question being taken on the adoption of the motion,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays 9, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Millett,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Lee,	Romberg,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bessette,	Denegre,	Gooding,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Rask,	

So the motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Reed moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 413, No. 9 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar.

The question being taken on the adoption of the motion,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 14 and nays 36, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Boylan,	Dwyer,	Naplin,	Reed,	Swanson,
Cashel,	Erickson,	Nord,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Devold,	McGarry,	Palmer,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Gandrud,	Guilford,
Benson,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Hall,
Blomgren,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Hamer,

Handlan,	Lee,	Nolan,	Rask,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Jackson,	Loonam,	Orr,	Romberg,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Johnson,	Madigan,	Peterson,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,
Kingsbury,	Millett,	Putnam,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Larson,				

So the motion did not prevail.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Benson moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 429 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 858, No. 108 on General Orders be advanced to the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Resolution fixing extra compensation for certain Senate employes:

Whereas, the salary of the Sergeant-at-Arms of the galleries, committee rooms, retiring rooms, cloak rooms and doorkeepers of the Senate was fixed in normal times, and the times are not normal now; that the high cost of living is far in excess of what it was at previous sessions when employes received the same wages:

Therefore, be it resolved, that John Gardner, Fred E. Geise, Isaac Jackowitz, Irvin N. West, Alfred Johnson, Louis A. Renge, Frank Bedell, Stanley Woznick, H. P. Nelson, Alfred Wood, D. F. Mc-

Grath, C. E. Bergman, Fred Rieger, P. J. Tennis and Alfred T. Webb constitute all of said Sergeant-at-Arms of galleries, committee retiring and cloak rooms, be granted an additional \$1.00 per day for their work during all of said session, and that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to issue a voucher for said additional pay to each from the day of their appointment.

J. H. BALDWIN,
N. S. HEGNES,
A. O. DEVOLD,
B. N. ANDERSON,
M. BOYLAN,
GUSTAF WIDELL,
JAMES DWYER,
LEONARD H. NORD,
F. L. PALMER,
W. J. KUNTZ.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Messrs. McGarry, Widell, Bessette, Erickson, Lindsley, Boylan, Baldwin, Handlan, Wold, Peterson and Carley introduced the following resolution:

Whereas, the pages of the Senate are young men above the age of usual pages, and receiving a salary of only three dollars (\$3.00) per day for such service and,

Whereas, the cost of living is unusually high and,

Whereas, the pages have rendered exceptionally efficient and satisfactory services and said pages have performed their duties at all times in a conscientious and courteous manner.

And now therefore be it resolved that the Secretary of the Senate be and hereby is authorized to draw his warrant in favor of each of the following pages: Roy Dilley, William Felstow, Chester Kaldahl, Eugene Simon, Arthur Barry and Walter Johnson, for a sum compiled at the rate of one dollar (\$1.00) per day, as additional compensation dating from January 7, 1919, to April 24, 1919.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Messrs. Hamer, Coleman and Cosgrove offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved, That the memorial resolutions on the death of Senators Dunn, Wallace and Weiss be engrossed, and that the Secretary be authorized to expend the sums necessary for such purpose from the funds for the Legislature expense.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gooding,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Boylan,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Brooks,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the resolution was adopted.

Messrs. Denegre, Callahan and Baldwin offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Harry R. Clarkson has officiated as clerk for the following committees, to-wit: Cities of the First Class, Labor and Railroads, and has also acted as clerk for the Ramsey and Hennepin delegations—having in fact done the work of three committee clerks, and

Whereas, in the performance of his duties he has been extremely diligent and efficient and has spent a large amount of time outside of the usual hours for the performance of such work, in a great many instances having been compelled to work until 10 o'clock in the evening and as early as 8 o'clock in the morning to properly take care of the work assigned to him, and whereas, the salary of said committee clerk was heretofore fixed in normal times, and that the times now are not normal and that the high cost of living is far in excess of what it was at the time the salary of said committee clerk was so fixed by this honorable body, and whereas, the work performed is reasonably worth \$7.50 per day, and

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate be and is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant payable to the order of said Harry R. Clarkson the sum of \$270.00.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the House and Senate on the House amendments to:

S. F. No. 969, A bill for an act to amend Section 824, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 133 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 474 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 874 and 875 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913 as amended by Chapter 135 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 472 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 of Chapter 366 Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911 as amended by Section 2 Chapter 376 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 2, 3, and 4 Chapter 361 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1909 as amended by Chapter 203 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 137 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapters 510 and 481 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1 Chapter 88 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, Section 2 Chapter 88 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 2 Chapter 129 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 1 Chapter 142 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Section 1 Chapter 434 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 Chapter 193 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Section 1 Chapter 412 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1 Chapter 80 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Chapter 190 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Section 1 Chapter 83 Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 3 of Chapter 122 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 3 Chapter 191 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, Section 1008 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 regulating salaries of certain county officers, their assistants, deputies and clerks in all counties in this State having or which may hereafter have a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and less than three hundred and thirty thousand (330,000) inhabitants.

Beg leave to report that your committees have met and considered the disagreeing votes and have agreed that the House recede from all its amendments to said Senate File No. 969, and recommend to the respective houses that S. F. No. 969 be repassed by both houses with amendments as follows:

Amend Section 1, line 19 of the printed bill by striking out the words and figures "one thousand three hundred (\$1,300.00)" and substitute in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirteen hundred and fifty (\$1,350.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thou-

sand two hundred (\$1,200.00) where the same appear in lines 20 and 21 of Section 1 of the printed bill and substitute in lieu thereof the words and figures "twelve hundred and fifty (\$1,-250.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand three hundred (\$1,300.00)" where the same appear in Section 2, line 11 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "fourteen hundred (\$1,400.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand three hundred (\$1,300.00" as they appear in line 13 of Section 2 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "fourteen hundred (\$1,400.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand two hundred (\$1,200.00)" where the same appear in line 14 of Section 2 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twelve hundred and fifty (\$1,250.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand three hundred (\$1,300.00" where the same appear in line 17 of Section 2 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "fourteen hundred (\$1,400.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand six hundred and fifty (\$1,650.00)" where the same appear in lines 18 and 19 of Section 2 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand and eighty (\$1,080.00)" where the same appear in line 36 of Section 4 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twelve hundred (\$1,200.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "three thousand two hundred and fifty (\$3,250.00)" where the same appear in lines 6 and 7 of Section 6 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "three thousand (\$3,000.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand seven hundred (\$1,700.00)" where the same appear in lines 10 and 11 of Section 8 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "two thousand (\$2,000.00)" where the same appear in line 6 of Section 9 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-two hundred (\$2,200.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "one thou-

sand two hundred (\$1,200.00)" where the same appear in line 8 of Section 10 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirteen hundred (\$1,300.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "nine hundred (\$900.00)" where the same appear in lines 9 and 10 of Section 10 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirteen hundred (\$1,300.00)".

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "nine hundred (\$900.00)" where the same appear in lines 9 and 10 of Section 10 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twelve hundred (\$1,200.00)".

Further amend by striking out the word "passage" at the end of Section 12 of the printed bill and substitute in lieu thereof the word and figures "May 1, 1919."

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES D. DENEGRE,
JOSEPH A. JACKSON,
PETER VAN HOVEN,
JAMES HANDLAN,
CHARLES N. ORR,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

JOHN R. LEVIN,
GUY E. DILLEY,
T. J. GREENE,
LEAVITT CORNING,
CHARLES A. OBERG.

Committee on the part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 969 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 969 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,	Hamer,
Benson,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Handlan,
Bessette,	Callahan,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Hopp,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Dwyer,	Gooding,	Jackson,

Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Swanson,
Kuntz,	Naplin,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,
Larson,	Nolan,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Vibert,
Lee,	Orr,	Reed,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Widell,
Loonam,	Palmer,	Ribenack,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Swanson moved that H. F. No. 623 be recalled from the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 623,

Was recalled from the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Swanson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 623 be given its second reading and placed on General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 623,

Was read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 611, A bill for an act to amend Sections 24 and 25 of Chapter 3, Laws 1913, entitled, An act relating to corrupt practices at primaries and elections and candidates to be voted for therein, and providing for punishments for violations thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Guilford moved to amend S. F. No. 611 by adding a new sentence at the end of Section 2 in line 21 of the printed bill, reading as follows:

“Provided also that nothing in this act contained shall be construed to apply to disbursements made for or against any proposed amendment of the State Constitution.”

Also strike out the period after the word “forbidden” in line 21 of Section 2 and insert a comma in place thereof.

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Guilford moved to amend S. F. No. 611 by inserting after the words “as provided herein” where the same appear in line 16 of Section 1 of the printed bill the following:

“And provided that an amount not exceeding twenty-five (\$25) dollars may be spent in behalf of any candidate by any such person, association, society, league or other organization for any of the purposes for which money can lawfully be spent under the provisions of Chapter 3 Laws of 1912.”

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays 15, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,	Stepan,
Devold,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Sageng,	Swanson,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 314, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2330 and 2331, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the taxation of grain in elevators and warehouses.

Was read the third time.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate Mr. Anderson moved to amend the original engrossed copy of H. F. No. 314 as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "one" and before the word "mill" in line 5 of Section 1 of said bill the word "half."

2. By striking out the word "half" in line 6 of Section 1 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fourth."

Which amendment was adopted.

Having received the unanimous consent of the Senate Mr. Nolan moved to amend H. F. No. 314 by striking out of Section 3, the words and figures "July 1, 1920" and substituting the words "its passage."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 58 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 19, A bill for an act to establish a Department of Education, to create a State Board of Education, to define the powers and duties of such board, to abolish certain boards and offices, and to create a State Council of Education.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 19 by striking out all of Section 12 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 12. Any person officially connected with or employed by the Department of Education who shall be found inefficient or

guilty of any acts inconsistent with the duties of his office shall be removed from office by the authority which appointed him."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 19 by striking out the following words where they occur in lines 8, 9 and 10 of Section 1 of the printed bill: "the members of the said board shall serve without pay but they shall be reimbursed in manner according to law for all necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as members of the Board" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the members of said board shall receive as compensation for their services the sum of ten dollars (\$10) per day for each day actually spent in the performance of their duties and in addition thereto they shall be reimbursed in manner according to law for all necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as members of the Board."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 19 by striking out the word "Superintendent" where it occurs in lines 2, 4, 7, 10 and 16 of Section 5 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof in each case the word "Commissioner."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to amend H. F. No. 19 by striking out all of Section 4 of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof the following:

"Section 4. The State Board of Education shall be provided with suitable offices at the seat of government and the said board may provide all records, files and offices supplies required in the transaction of its business. A State Commissioner of Education shall be appointed by the Governor and the State Board of Education shall have the power to appoint or employ such other officers, directors and assistants as in its judgment and as determined by its rules of organization may be necessary; and the said board shall have power to fix the compensation of all appointees and employes under its control in sums not to exceed the moneys appropriated to the use of the board for the maintenance of the Department of Education.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to further amend said H. F. No. 19 by striking out of line 2 of Section 5 of the printed bill the follow-

ing words: "State Board of Education at its first meeting shall proceed to elect (a)".

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to further amend said H. F. No. 19 by striking out the word "who" after the word "education" in the third line of Section 5 of the printed bill.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to further amend H. F. No. 19 by striking out the word "whose" where it appears in line 3 of Section 5 of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof the word "his".

Which amendments were not adopted.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 19 by striking out all of Section 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 4. Officers, Assistants and Compensation.

The State Board of Education shall be provided with suitable offices at the seat of government and the said board may provide all records, files and office supplies required in the transaction of its business. The board shall have power to appoint a Commissioner of Education at a salary not to exceed \$5000 per annum; a Deputy Commissioner of Education at a salary not to exceed \$3500 per annum; one head of department at a salary not to exceed \$4000 per annum; four heads of departments, each at a salary not to exceed \$3500 per annum; five heads of departments or assistants, each at a salary not to exceed \$3000 per annum; four assistants, each at a salary not to exceed \$2500 per annum; two assistants, each at a salary not to exceed \$1500 per annum and clerks and stenographers at salaries not to exceed in the aggregate the amount appropriated by the Legislature for that purpose. The board shall designate the official title of all of its employes except that of the Commissioner of Education and fix their salaries subject to the limitations above stated, provided that the total amount paid for salaries shall not in any year exceed the amount appropriated for that purpose by the legislature."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Baldwin moved to amend Section 1 of the printed bill of H. F. No. 19 by striking out the word "five" where it appears in line 5 and insert in lieu thereof the word "three".

And in line 7 of said section strike out the figures "1922" and "1924" and insert in lieu thereof "1921" and "1922" respectively.

And further amending said section by inserting after the word

“board” where it appears the first time in line 12 the following language in the words and figures as follows: “Provided the salary and expenses of each member shall not exceed the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00) in any one year.”

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nord,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nolan moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTIETH-DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, April 17, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Rask was excused for today.

Mr. Erickson was excused for the morning session.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 15, 1919.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 128, An act entitled an act to legalize certain proceedings in the probate court.

S. F. No. 285, An act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salaries of county commissioners.

S. F. No. 331, An act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, and to provide for the payment of their expenses.

S. F. No. 390, An act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.

S. F. No. 418, An act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.

S. F. No. 422, An act to amend Section 1016, General Statutes 1913, relating to the traveling expenses of County Superintendents.

S. F. No. 423, An act to amend Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries of county treasurers, and the sums to be allowed to county treasurers for clerk hire, in certain counties.

S. F. No. 433, An act authorizing the sale and disposition of that certain frame dwelling owned by the state in connection with the experiment station for the dairy and food department, within one mile of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota, and providing for the disposition of the proceeds of such sale.

S. F. No. 450, An act to provide for the licensing of dental nurses, and providing the duties and rights of dental nurses.

S. F. No. 457, An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public armory building in such city.

S. F. No. 476, An act to amend Section 4973, General Stat-

utes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians by the State Medical Examining Board.

S. F. No. 574, An act creating a board of estimate and taxation in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution, and defining its powers and duties and regulating taxation, finance and indebtedness therein.

S. F. No. 619, An act relating to and providing for the levy of additional school taxes in school districts in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants.

S. F. No. 624, An act to amend Sections 4476, 4477, 4478, 4479, 4481, 4483, 4489, 4497 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the general supervision of the grain interests of the State and to repeal acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

S. F. No. 844, An act authorizing county boards of education for unorganized territory, containing 75 or more townships or fractions thereof, in counties of this state, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding floating indebtedness.

S. F. No. 872, An act providing for the payment of loss or damage by fire or tornado to state property, requiring same to be kept safe from fire loss, and repealing certain laws inconsistent herewith.

S. F. No. 1035, An act amending Chapter 429, General Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 105, General Laws of 1919, being "An act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota, providing for the enforcement thereof and for prosecutions and penalties for the violation thereof, and creating a State Securities Commission," by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 6-A, to be inserted between Sections 6 and 7.

S. F. No. 1040, An act to amend Section 5204, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Laws of 1917, relating to the sale of public lands.

S. F. No. 1042, An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to allow compensation to attorneys assisting the county attorney in criminal proceedings.

Concurrent Resolution relating to a request and demand for a modification of the federal grades of grain and to the establish-

ment and promulgation of Minnesota grades on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

ST. PAUL, April 16, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Adams be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act amending Section 18 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 116 Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 119 Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to designation of roads and streets as state highways and the improvement thereof, repealing Chapter 342, Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the improvement of county roads within certain cities of the first class in this state."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Adams introduced—

S. F. No. 1052, A bill for an act amending Section 18 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 116, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to designation of roads and streets as state highways and the improvement thereof, repealing Chapter 342, Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the improvement of county roads within certain cities of the first class in this state.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has refused to concur in the Senate amendments to

H. F. No. 667, A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition, or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition, and to provide for the suspension of laws inconsistent herewith in certain cases; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and the injunction of the person creating, keeping or maintaining or aiding in the same and providing penalties for violations of this act

And requests a Conference Committee of five to be appointed by the Senate to confer with a like committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Norton, Girling, Putnam, Moen and Dilley being such committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 667 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,
April 16, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sageng moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of five (5) be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The President announced the following conferees on H. F. No. 667: Messrs. Sageng, Putnam, Sullivan, J. D., Peterson and Blomgren.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on S. F. No. 256.

S. F. No. 256, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the dairy and food commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

And have repassed the bill, as amended.

OSCAR ARNESON,
April 16, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of the House and Senate upon the House amendments to

S. F. No. 256, A bill for an act fixing the salary of the dairy and food commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

Beg leave to report that your committees have met and considered the disagreeing votes and have agreed that the House recede from all of its amendments to said S. F. No. 256 and recommend to the respective houses that said S. F. No. 256 be repassed by both houses with amendments as hereinafter stated:

That Section 1 be amended by striking out all after the word "follows" in line 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The commissioner, thirty-five hundred dollars; assistant commissioner, twenty-four hundred dollars; secretary, two thousand dollars, chief chemist, three thousand dollars, chief clerk, thirteen hundred and twenty dollars; statistician, twelve hundred dollars; laboratory clerk and stenographer twelve hundred dollars; general clerks as in his judgment may be necessary not to exceed two at twelve hundred dollars each; two stenographers not to exceed twelve hundred dollars each; three assistant chemists and twenty inspectors at a minimum annual salary of twelve hundred dollars each, but the commissioner may, in consideration of faithful and continuous service, increase the salary of any assistant chemist or inspector not more than one hundred dollars for each year, such assistant chemist or inspector has been employed by the Department, until such salary reaches two thousand dollars, which shall be the maximum; provided that the provisions of this act shall not apply to Chapter 97, Laws 1913.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD HAMER,
JAMES A. CARLEY,
H. H. BONNIWELL,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

R. A. WILKINSON,
J. B. GISLASON,
O. E. HAMMER,

Managers on the part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hamer moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 256 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 256 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hall,	Larson,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Lee,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House as amended, of the following Senate File herewith returned:

S. F. No. 370, A Joint Resolution relating to rates on iron ore.
April 15, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to H. F. No. 6.

H. F. No. 6, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

And requests a Conference Committee of three to be appointed on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee on the part of the House.

Messrs. Corning, Parker and Kingsley being appointed such committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 6 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,
April 16, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of three be appointed on the part of the Senate to act as with a like committee of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The President announced the following Conferees on H. F. No. 6:

Messrs. Denegre, Hopp and Hegnes.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1045, A bill for an act to legalize decrees of distribution of Probate Courts in certain cases.

S. F. No. 999, A bill for an act making the continuance on record of instruments conveying real estate or an interest therein, where such conveyance does not affirmatively show that the grantors were married, for 20 years prima facie evidence that such grantors were unmarried unless persons claiming by virtue of such marriage commence action to determine their rights prior to January 1st, 1920 and file lis pendens in office of register of deeds in county where such land lies.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1234, A bill for an act to validate the sale of school sites in certain cases.

April 16, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 877, A bill for an act entitled An act providing for an old-age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of any county of this State now having, or hereafter having, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants.

H. F. No. 345, A bill for an act to amend Section 220, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relative to fees on deposits of money in court.

H. F. No. 131, A bill for an act requiring street railway companies operating in cities of the first class not having a Home Rule Charter to maintain a watchman at all places where the street railway tracks owned by it cross railroad tracks at grade, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

H. F. No. 997, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation lands, sites and buildings necessary therefor and to provide for maintaining and operating in connection therewith and therein refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement, and to make rules and regulations thereto and provide penalties for violations of such rules and regulations.

H. F. No. 575, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 137 of Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to and regulating the construction, alteration, maintenance, occupancy, use, equipment and removal of buildings and apartments for dwelling, lodging, hotel and similar purposes in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution.

H. F. No. 1099, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by Home Rule Charter to license and regulate Civil Engineers to do surveying within the corporate limits of such cities.

H. F. No. 1231, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of the first class and not governed under a Home Rule Charter to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense of increasing the police force of the city.

H. F. No. 930, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1453, 1454, 1455 and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons and to provide such pensions for assistant matrons and other police women.

H. F. No. 1221, A bill for an act to amend Section 2461, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of employees in city owned armories.

H. F. No. 966, A bill for an act fixing and regulating the salary of help in the office of the court commissioner in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 or over.

H. F. No. 376, A bill for an act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.

H. F. No. 905, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public markets in such cities.

April 16, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1051, A bill for an act authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of more than \$250,000.000 and an area of over 5,000 square miles, to build an addition to a district court building located at a place other than the county seat of said county and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund and to issue a county warrant on said fund to pay the cost thereof before or after the levying of a tax for such purpose.

S. F. No. 817, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 128, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled an act authorizing cities of the first class to designate and establish restricted residence districts and to prohibit the erection, alteration and repair of buildings thereon for certain prohibited purposes.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 985, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the

county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.

April 16, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 794, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1038 and 1039, General Laws of 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915, and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws of 1917, and Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 511 Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 330,000 inhabitants or over.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 16, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE.

Mr. Brooks moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 794 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed,

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Callahan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,
Anderson,	Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Benson,	Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Widell,
Boylan,	Devold,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Wold,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Brooks moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 797 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hopp,	Orr,	Vibert,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Boylan,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Callahan,	Gooding,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 797, A bill for an act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the municipal court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465 of General Laws of 1907 and Chapter 126 of General Laws of 1911, and Chapter 482 of General Laws of 1917, and to amend Section 287 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries and fixing the duties of certain city officers.

S. F. No. 577, A bill for an act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

S. F. No. 308, A bill for an act to amend Section 83, Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a State Highway Commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor, and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for high-

way purposes, as amended by Chapter 43 of the General Laws of 1917.

S. F. No. 698, A bill for an act relating to lost, stolen and unclaimed property in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by a home rule charter.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 273, A bill for an act authorizing and ratifying the payment of fees and expenses paid to any person for conveying insane patients to the State Hospitals.

S. F. No. 509, A bill for an act authorizing the creation of a department of city planning in cities of the First Class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, and defining the powers and duties of such a department.

S. F. No. 572, A bill for an act fixing the salary, compensation, duties and clerk hire of the county coroner and his deputies in counties now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

April 16, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act establishing additional terms of the district court of the Eleventh Judicial District in and for St. Louis County at the city of Virginia, at the village of Hibbing, and at the city of Ely in said county; providing for the officers of said court and the salaries of certain of such officers; the manner of conducting and powers of said court, the furnishing of accommodations for said court and its officers and care of prisoners, for grand and petit jurors for said court, for place of trial or appeals for municipal courts and justices of the peace, for determining the place of trial of all civil and criminal actions and the hearing of all proceedings of whatsoever kind; for filing of papers, entry of judgments, docketing of judgments, issuing of executions thereon at the city of Virginia and the village of Hibbing; for the division of business of said courts and joint sessions by the judges thereof, for a juvenile court, and for repealing all laws inconsistent herewith.

April 16, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 774, A bill for an act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue \$5,000 in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.

H. F. No. 797, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of salaries, for the period of their suspension, to officers heretofore suspended and reinstated by the Governor in certain counties.

H. F. No. 943, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24, Laws of 1907, and Section 8 of Chapter 24, Laws of 1907 as amended by Chapter 318, Laws of 1913, said Chapter 24, Laws of 1907, being entitled an act creating a fund and providing for the disbursement thereof, for pensions and relief by Firemens Relief Associations, in cities having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants.

H. F. No. 1168, A bill for an act amending Sections 2, 5 and 6 of Chapter 194, Laws 1903, being an act to enable municipalities to establish and acquire building line easements along streets, highways, parks and parkways, and defining the nature of such easements.

H. F. No. 876, A bill for an act entitled an act providing for an old age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of cities now having or hereafter having a population of over two hundred twenty thousand inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36 of the Constitution.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 16, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Brooks moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 698 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Wold,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Brooks moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 577 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, as amended, in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 556, A bill for an act validating the appropriation and expenditure of funds for certain purposes by certain political subdivisions of this state.

S. F. No. 557, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1204 and 1205, General Statutes 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 183, A bill for an act amending Section 2 of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, which said Chapter is entitled, An act to enable the guardians of insane persons to furnish aid for the support and maintenance of children of insane persons in certain cases, the same being Section 7450, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, and legalizing prior proceedings.

S. F. No. 262, A bill for an act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park.

S. F. No. 162, A bill for an act to amend Section 6171, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the manner of filling vacancies in the board of directors of corporations.

S. F. No. 194, A bill for an act authorizing any village of this State now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant to dispose of surplus electricity to consumers outside the corporate limits of such village.

S. F. No. 814, A bill for an act to amend Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

S. F. No. 387, A bill for an act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 229 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, entitled An act to establish municipal courts in incorporated cities having a population of less than five thousand (5000) inhabitants.

S. F. No. 546, A bill for an act fixing the salary of judges of probate court in certain counties.

S. F. No. 762, A bill for an act to amend Section 5265, General Statutes 1913, relating to sale of timber on state lands.

S. F. No. 254, A bill for an act to amend Section 4379 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 254, Session Laws 1915, relating to railroads.

S. F. No. 567, A bill for an act to amend Section 3345 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 207 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917 relating to disposition of Fire Department aid.

S. F. No. 9, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2557, 2558, 2559 and 2560 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to highways.

S. F. No. 707, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 146, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to final examination of accounts of county officers and payment of last months salary.

S. F. No. 394, A bill for an act permitting the forwarding of a check direct to payor.

April 17, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 963, A bill for an act to amend Sections 37, 43, 53, 60 and 62 of Chapter 400, Session Laws 1914, entitled: "An act to conform the organizations, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the Federal Law relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency."

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 17, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Hegnes moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 557 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill repassed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 131, A bill for an act requiring street railway companies operating in cities of the first class not having a Home Rule Charter to maintain a watchman at all places where the street railway tracks owned by it cross railroad tracks at grade, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 345, A bill for an act to amend Section 220, General Statutes of Minnesota 1915, relative to fees of deposits of money in court.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 376, A bill for an act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 200,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 575, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 137 of Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to and regulating the construction, alteration, maintenance, occupancy, use, equipment and removal of buildings and apartments for dwelling, lodging, hotel and similar purposes in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 877, A bill for an act entitled, An act providing for an old-age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of any county of this State now having, or hereafter having, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 905, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public parks in such cities.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 930, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1453, 1454, 1455 and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons and to provide such pensions for assistant matrons and other police women.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 966, A bill for an act fixing and regulating the salary of help in the office of the court commissioner in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 or over.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 997, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a Home Rule Charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation lands, sites and buildings necessary therefor and to provide for maintaining and operating in connection therewith and therein refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement, and to make rules and regulations relative thereto and provide penalties for violations of such rules and regulations.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 1099, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by Home Rule Charter to license and regulate Civil Engineers to do surveying within the corporate limits of such cities.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 1221, A bill for an act to amend Section 2461, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of employees in city owned armories.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Van Hoven moved that H. F. No. 1221 be laid on the table. Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1221

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1231, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of the first class and not governed under a Home Rule

Charter to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense of increasing the police force of the city.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 985, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 985 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 744, No. 2 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 744 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 985

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 744

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1234, A bill for an act to validate the sale of school sites in certain cases.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1234, A bill for an act to validate the sale of school sites in certain cases.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1234

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1234, A bill for an act to validate the sale of school sites in certain cases.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,	
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 774, A bill for an act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue \$5,000 in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 943, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24, Laws of 1907, and Section 8 of Chapter 24, Laws of 1907 as amended by Chapter 318, Laws of 1913, said Chapter 24, Laws of 1907, being entitled an act creating a fund and providing for the disbursement thereof, for pensions and relief by Firemens Relief Associations, in cities having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford moved that H. F. No. 943 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 943

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1168, A bill for an act amending Sections 2, 5 and 6 of Chapter 194, Laws 1903, being an act to enable municipalities to establish and acquire building line easements along streets, highways, parks and parkways, and defining the nature of such easements.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1168 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1168

Was read the second time.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 797, A bill for an act to provide for the payment of officers suspended by the Governor of their salaries for the period of suspension.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved that H. F. No. 797 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 797

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 876, A bill for an act entitled an act providing for an old age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of cities now having or hereafter having a population of over two hundred twenty thousand inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36 of the Constitution.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

H. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act establishing additional terms of the district court of the Eleventh Judicial District in and for St. Louis County at the city of Virginia, at the village of Hibbing, and at the city of Ely in said county; providing for the officers of said court and the salaries of certain of such officers; the manner of conducting and powers of said court, the furnishing of accommodations for said court and its officers and care of prisoners, for grand and petit jurors for said court, for place of trial of appeals from municipal courts and justices of the peace, for determining the place of trial of all civil and criminal actions and the hearing of all proceedings of whatsoever kind; for filing of papers, entry of judgments, docketing of judgments, issuing of executions thereon at the

city of Virginia and the village of Hibbing; for the division of business of said courts and joint sessions by the judges thereof, for a juvenile court, and for repealing all laws inconsistent herewith.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on S. F. No. 969, and re-passed the bill as amended.

S. F. No. 969 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

April 17, 1919.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

MAJORITY REPORT.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 240, A bill for an act classifying telephone companies for purposes of taxation, providing the method by which the property of the companies in each class shall be taxed and fixing the rate of taxation for each class.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MINORITY REPORT.

At the meeting of the committee at which the bill was recommended for passage the annexed amendment was proposed and was lost by a vote of four to four. Thereupon a motion was made that H. F. No. 240 be recommended for passage, upon which motion five members, Nolan, Johnson, Gillam, Gjerset and McGarry, voted in favor of the motion, and two members, Widell and Adams, voted in the negative. The minority of the committee hereby respectfully recommend to the Senate that the amendment be adopted and that as so amended the bill do pass.

Senators Vibert and Hegnes join in this minority recommendation.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE FILE NO. 240.

Amend H. F. No. 240 by striking out all thereof after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. All telephone companies of this state are hereby classified for the purpose of taxation in accordance with the gross amount

of their several annual earnings within this state for the preceding calendar year, as follows:

Class "A" shall include all companies operating rural telephone lines exclusively and who do not maintain or operate a "central office."

Class "B" shall include all other telephone companies not included in Class "A."

Section 2. All telephone companies, according to their classification as herein prescribed, shall, in lieu of all other taxes and assessments whatever upon such companies and their capital stock, pay into the state treasury, on or before March 1st, in each year, as follows:

Every telephone company in Class "A" shall pay a tax at the rate of fifteen cents for each telephone instrument used by such company in this state during the preceding calendar year.

Every telephone company in Class "B" shall pay 4% of its gross earnings derived from its business within this state during the preceding calendar year.

Section 3. On or before February 1st of each year, every telephone company operating within the state shall make and furnish an itemized statement to the Minnesota Tax Commission, and a duplicate to the Public Examiner, in such form as the Public Examiner with the approval of the Tax Commission, shall prescribe, containing a true and just report of the number of telephone instruments used by such company in this state during the year ending December 31 preceding, together with the gross earnings of such company, verified by the president, secretary, treasurer, individual owner or chief agent of such company in this state.

Section 4. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after January 1, 1920.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved the adoption of the Majority Report on H. F. No. 240.

Mr. Adams moved as a substitute motion that the Minority Report on H. F. No. 240 be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Which Minority Report was adopted.

Which amendments were adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 240, as amended, be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 264, No. 4 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 264 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 240

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 264

Was indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that H. F. No. 240 be printed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the Special Order on S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902 and H. F. Nos. 666, 1189 and 631 be postponed until 3 P. M. today.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the Senate do now recess until 3 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3 P. M.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Johnson was excused for next Saturday.

Mr. Kuntz was excused for this afternoon.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 3 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902 and H. F. Nos. 666, 1189 and 631.

H. F. No. 1189

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1189, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate, and codify the laws of the state relating to the preservation, protection, and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Turnham moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out the words "grant permission to take" where they occur in Section 114, line 2, and substitute in lieu thereof the words, "employ persons to take injurious species of wild animals, and".

Further amend by striking out in Section 114, line 3, the words "to any resident of this state".

To further amend by adding in Section 97, line 4, after the words "set lines in commercial fishing" and before the period, the words, "the length of fish to be determined by measurement from the tip of the nose to the fork of the tail."

To further amend by adding at the end of Section 85 the following:

"The commissioner may, when necessary to prevent the undue depletion of the fish in any lake or stream, prohibit the sale of any species of fish taken in any of the waters of this state."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Turnham moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 as follows:

By striking out all of Subdivisions 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Section 98 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Subdivision 1—The game and fish commissioner before issuing any licenses hereunder, shall advertise in one legal newspaper in each county in the state in which public waters are situated, which in his judgment contain fish of the varieties hereinbefore specified in such numbers as to warrant their taking by means of nets, and in said advertisement he shall invite bids for netting licenses in the public waters specified therein and shall state at what time and at what place the same will be opened and shall reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Subdivision 2—Licenses hereunder shall be procured from said commissioner. The applicant or bidder shall make an application in writing to said commissioner stating, (a) his name and residence, (b) the number and size of the nets or seines to be used, (c) the waters in which he intends to use them and his bid, to be made separately for each lake, for the privilege of taking such fish, which bid shall be a certain percentage of the gross proceeds which may be

realized from the sale of the fish so caught, but in no case less than ten per cent, and accompanied by a certified check or bidder's bond in the sum of \$1,000, and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to said commissioner. All applications shall be publicly opened on the day specified. The commissioner may reject any and all bids. If a license is issued it shall be thereupon issued to the highest responsible bidder, who shall execute and deliver a license bond to the commissioner in favor of the state in such sum, not exceeding \$5,000, and with such sureties as said commissioner may prescribe, conditioned upon his faithful compliance with the laws of this state and the regulations of the commissioner.

Subdivision 3—No such license shall be issued to any duly appointed game warden, nor to a person who is a partner of a game warden in a fishing or seining venture, nor to any person who had been convicted of violating the laws of this state relating to wild animals, within two years of the date of his application. No license shall be transferable nor shall any attempted transfer or assignment thereof be valid.

Subdivision 4—Such licensee shall pay as a license fee to the commissioner of the amount bid, based upon the total sum of money obtained from the sale of fish so caught. Such fees shall be paid to the commissioner monthly."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays 24, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Handlan,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Hegnes,	Loonam,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Vibert.
Cosgrove,	Johnson,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bessette moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 as follows:

In line 22 of Section 11, strike out the figures "25" where they

occur between the words "exceed" and "pounds" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "50".

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Widell moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out in Section 56, line 1, the words "except prairie chickens".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Widell moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out the last sentence of Section 54, reading as follows: "No prairie chicken shall be taken, killed, or had in possession prior to September 16, 1922."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 25 and nays 37, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Nord,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Devold,	Hopp,	Rask,	Swanson,
Carley,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Widell,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Putnam,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Bonniwell,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Boylan,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Gandrud moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out the number "15" in line 4 of Section 73, and insert in lieu thereof the number "10."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by adding in Section 102, subdivision 2, line 20, after the word "fyke" the words "or trap."

Which amendment was not adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the vote whereby the foregoing amendment was not adopted be now re-considered.

Which motion prevailed.

SPECIAL ORDER—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by adding in Section 102, subdivision 2, line 20, after the word "fyke" the words "or trap."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays 25, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Callahan,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Carley,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Coleman,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Larson,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bessette,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Cumming,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Ward,
Devold,	Gooding,	Lee,	Peterson,	Wold,

So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by adding in Section 102, line 23, after the words "than ten fyke nets" the words "or five trap nets," and to further amend by adding after the word "applicant" in line 23, the words "provided no trap nets shall be used in Lake of the Woods."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hegnes moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out in Section 102, subdivision 3, lines 35½, 36 and 37, as follows: "No license issued hereunder shall be transferable and no assignment or attempted transfer of any rights under such license shall be valid. No licensee shall assign, transfer or attempt so to do any license or any rights therein issued to him by the commissioner pursuant to this section."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Turnham moved to amend H. F. No. 1189, by adding after the words "prairie chicken" where they occur in line 6, Section 54 of the printed bill, the words "or sharp-tailed grouse."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by adding at the end of subdivision 1 as amended of Section 98 of said H. F. No. 1189 the following:

"Provided, however, that in all counties of this state lying southerly of the St. Croix river and tributary to the Mississippi river and having a population of 28,000 or over according to the last Federal census the respective boards of county commissioners shall have power to prohibit seining or fishing in any of the waters lying within the boundaries of their respective counties by a resolution adopted at their July meeting, and not otherwise. Waters so closed shall not be opened at any subsequent meeting of the board during the ensuing year. No county board shall enter into any contract for such fishing or seining, nor shall the board of any member thereof solicit, or receive any commission or payment of money for that purpose."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Boylan moved to amend Section 125 of H. F. No. 1189 by inserting the words "the nearest" in place of the word "any" at the end of line 7.

Further amend Section 125 line 14, by striking out the words "or without."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Boylan moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by adding after the word "remove" in Section 123 line 2, the words "for cause and after hearing."

Which amendment was not adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the vote whereby the following amendment was adopted be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Amend Section 125 of H. F. No. 1189 by inserting the words "the nearest" in the place of the word "any" at the end of line 7.

Further amend Section 125 line 14, by striking out the words "or without."

SPECIAL ORDER—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hegnes moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 as follows:

Section 102, subdivision 3, insert in line 36, after the word "valid" the words "without the written approval of the Commissioner".

And insert in line 37, after the word "him" the words "without such written approval".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Van Hoven moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out the words "and may be bought, sold and transported during the open season", where they appear in the last line of subdivision 6, Section 102, and inserting in lieu thereof the following words:

"No yellow pike, white fish, trout, pickerel or perch taken under license authorized by this section, shall be shipped to any point without the State of Minnesota except upon permit from the commissioner, and every package containing such fish authorized to be so shipped outside the state, must bear a distinctive mark or tag to be attached thereto at the time such shipment is made. No such fish shall be bought or sold within the state except in such places and under such rules as may be prescribed by the commissioner."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Cliff offered the following amendment to H. F. No. 1189:

Amend Subdivision 4 of Section 98 by adding thereto the following proviso:

"Provided, that no license shall be issued by the commissioner for commercial fishing where the compensation to be paid by the licensee or bidder is less than 10 per cent of the proceeds from fish caught where the total fish caught does not exceed 40,000 pounds per month nor less than 30 per cent of the proceeds where the total fish caught is not less than 40,000 pounds nor more than 100,000 pounds per month nor less than 40 per cent of the proceeds where the total fish caught per month exceeds 100,000 pounds."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Cliff offered the following amendment to H. F. No. 1189:

Amend Subdivision 4 of Section 98 as covered by the amendment offered by Senator Turnham and adopted:

By adding at the end of said subdivision where it appears in line 4, the following proviso:

"provided, that in all cases where licenses are issued for commercial fishing in any lake located within the limits of any drainage and flood control district, 40 per cent of the total proceeds realized from said fishing shall be paid by the state to the treasurer of the drainage and flood control district to be used in the upkeep of the drainage and flood control works of said district and a warrant shall be issued therefor by the state auditor upon certificate of the game warden as to the amount of fish caught in lakes within said district".

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Millett moved to amend Section 101 of H. F. No. 1189:

By striking out the words "between June 15th and April 15th following both inclusive" where they appear in line 3 thereof.

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out of Section 102, subdivision 1, line 9, the figures "\$50.00" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$25.00".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nord moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out the word "one" where it occurs in Section 102, subdivision 3, line 24, after the word "than" and before the word "boats" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Naplin moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by inserting after the period in line 37 of Section 102 the following: "Provided, however, that in no case shall any license be assigned or transferred to any person, firm or corporation already having the full number of nets allowed by law".

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Boylan moved to amend Section 125 of H. F. No. 1189 by inserting after the word "committed" in line 8 of the printed bill the words: "not more than 50 miles from the home of the accused person".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hegnes moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 by striking out the words "nor any pond net within one and a half miles" where they occur in Section 102, subdivision 5, line 42, and substituting in lieu thereof the words "nor any net within one mile".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Van Hoven moved to amend H. F. No. 1189 as follows:

Add to the end of Section 94 of the printed bill the following words: "In all cases where a dam has been heretofore constructed at the outlet of any lake in this state so as to restore the stage of water in such lake to its former level as evidenced by fixed natural monuments, or the high-water mark, it shall be the duty of the owner of such dam to maintain a uniform stage of water in such lake and to keep such dam in a good state of repair, and to operate the same so as to maintain the stage of water in such lake to its

restored level. In case of the failure of any such dam owner so to do he shall forfeit all prescriptive rights he may have acquired to maintain a dam at such point, and thereafter the owner or owners of land situated on such outlet may erect and maintain a dam therein in the same manner as though no dam had ever been erected or maintained therein."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Cliff offered the following amendment to H. F. No. 1189 and moved its adoption.

Amend Section 98 of the printed bill by striking out all of line 5 where it appears after the word "Wisconsin" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"and any waters lying in any county where the county board or the governing board of any drainage district has duly closed the same as hereinafter prescribed, provided a license so to do shall be first obtained from the commissioner as herein specified. Provided, further, that the county board of each county shall have power to prohibit such seining or commercial fishing in any of the waters lying within its boundaries by a resolution adopted each year at or prior to its regular July meeting. Provided, further, that where any lake lies within the boundaries of any organized drainage district the governing board of said district shall have and may exercise the rights herein granted to the county board with reference to the lakes within said district. Waters so closed shall not be open for commercial fishing during said year unless pursuant to arrangements between the board in control of said lakes and the commissioner. No county or drainage board shall enter into any contract for such fishing or seining nor shall any board or any member thereof solicit or receive any commission or payment of money in connection therewith."

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven.
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that Messrs. Widell and Cashel be excused from voting.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Swanson moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to summon Mr. Carley for the purpose of voting on the bill now under consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bessette moved that all absentees be excused from voting on the bill under consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

The President of the Senate then announced.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that H. F. No. 849 be printed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Special Order on H. F. No. 666 and 631 and S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902 be continued until Saturday, 10 A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now adjourn until Saturday, 10 A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, SATURDAY, April 19, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrød,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Fowler was excused for today.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred.

S. F. No. 588, A bill for an act setting apart and appropriating \$250,000 for the clearing of state lands and amending Section 1, Chapter 164, Laws of 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 588, A bill for an act setting apart and appropriating \$250,000 for the clearing of state lands and amending Section 1, Chapter 164, Laws of 1917.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 588,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 588, A bill for an act setting apart and appropriating \$250,000 for the clearing of state lands and amending Section 1, Chapter 164, Laws of 1917.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 666

Was read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 666, A bill for an act relating to state fishing operations, appropriating money for a revolving fund to be used in such operations, conferring certain powers on the Game and Fish Commissioner, and regulating the removal of fish from public waters in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Carley,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Orr,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Besette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Brooks,	Gooding,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 631,

Was read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 631, A bill for an act to establish the ninth State Fish Hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commissioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 33 and nays 27, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Callahan,	Dwyer,	Lindsley,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Carley,	Gillam,	Millett,	Van Hoven,
Besette,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nord,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Reed,	Widell,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	
Brooks,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Those who voted in the negative were :

Anderson,	Gooding,	Lee,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Benson,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Romberg,	
Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Sageng,	
Gjerset,	Larson,	Orr,	Schmechel,	

So the bill failed to pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Turnham moved that S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. Nos. 920, 470 and 902

Were indefinitely postponed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President of the Senate announced the following Conferees on S. F. No. 475: Messrs. Turnham, Hopp and Carley.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the House and Senate upon the amendments to

S. F. No. 426, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390 General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their deputies and clerks in certain counties of this state.

Beg leave to report that your Committee has met and considered the disagreeing votes and have agreed that the House recede from all of its amendments to said S. F. No. 426 and recommend to their respective houses that said S. F. No. 426 be repassed by both houses with amendments as hereinafter stated:

Amend by striking out in Section 1 in lines eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) the words and figures "twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2200)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-three hundred dollars (\$2300)".

Further amend by striking out in Section 1 in lines twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) the words and figures "twelve hundred dollars (\$1200)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirteen hundred and eighty dollars (\$1380.)."

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. ADAMS,

JOSEPH A. JACKSON,

JAMES D. DENEGRE,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN LEVIN,

LEAVITT CORNING.

T. J. GREENE,

Managers on the part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 426 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 426 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following House File and repassed the bill as amended:

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, buildings and improvements at state institutions and for other purposes.

H. F. No. 1010 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the House and Senate and on the amendments of the Senate to

H. F. No. 1010, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the current expenses, buildings and improvements at state institutions and for other purposes.

Beg to report that the duly appointed conferees of the respective bodies have met and considered the disagreeing items by the House and Senate as to H. F. No. 1010 and have agreed on the following report:

First: That the Senate recede from all of its amendments to said H. F. No. 1010.

Second: That they have agreed and hereby recommend to the House and Senate that H. F. No. 1010 as reported from the House be amended as follows:

1. Amend by inserting between lines 2 and 3 of Section 3 of the printed bill the following:

Dairy Barn July 31, 1921 \$10,000

2. Further amend by striking out the word "Three" in line 3 of Section 4 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Two;" and by striking out the word "Three" and the figures "\$100,000" in line 4 of Section 4 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Two" and the figures "\$30,000".

3. Further amend by inserting between lines 2 and 3 of Section 7 of the printed bill the following:

Cottage for Women..... July 31, 1921 \$70,000

4. Further amend by inserting at the beginning of Section 8 of the printed bill of said H. F. No. 1010 the following words:

Colonies for feeble-minded and epileptics.. July 31, 1920 \$75,000

Colonies for feeble-minded and epileptics.. July 31, 1921 75,000

5. Further amend said H. F. No. 1010 by inserting at the beginning of Section 12 the following words:

Cottage for feeble-minded boys July 31, 1921 \$65,000

Dairy barn, silo and milk room..... July 31, 1920 8,000

Additional lands July 31, 1920 12,000

6. Further amend said H. F. No. 1010 by inserting between lines 3 and 4 of Section 13 the following:

School building July 31, 1921 \$75,000

7. Further amend said H. F. No. 1010 by inserting between lines 5 and 6 of Section 14, the following:

Remodeling cottages July 31, 1921 \$5,000

8. Further amend said H. F. No. 1010 by striking out the figures "5000" where they appear in line 3 of Section 15 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "7,500," and by striking out the figures "5000" where they appear in line 5 of Section 15 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$7,500."

9. Further amend said H. F. No. 1010 by striking out the figures "15,000" where they appear in line 9 of Section 17 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "20,000."

And it is most respectfully submitted by your conferees that when said H. F. No. 1010 is so amended in accordance with the above that the recommendations of your conferees be adopted and the bill re-passed as so amended.

Most respectfully submitted,

THEODORE CHRISTIANSON,
L. O. TEIGEN,
ELMER E. ADAMS,
J. B. PATTISON,
J. N. JACOBSON,

Managers on the Part of the House.

A. J. ROCKNE,
W. A. NOLAN,
GUSTAF WIDELL,
J. D. SULLIVAN,
JOHN W. HOPP,

Managers on the Part of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on H. F. No. 1010 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on H. F. No. 1010 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 17, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 273, An act authorizing and ratifying the payment of fees and expenses paid to any person for conveying insane patients to the State hospitals.

S. F. No. 509, An act authorizing the creation of a department of city planning in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, and defining the powers and duties of such a department.

S. F. No. 546, An act fixing the salary of judges of probate court in certain counties.

S. F. No. 572, An act fixing the salary, compensation, duties and clerk hire of the county coroner and his deputies in counties now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

S. F. No. 707, An act to repeal Chapter 146, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to final examination of accounts of county officers and payment of last month's salary.

S. F. No. 762, An act to amend Section 5265, General Statutes, 1913, relating to sale of timber on state lands.

S. F. No. 817, An act to amend Chapter 128, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing cities of the first class to designate and establish restricted residence districts and to prohibit the erection, alteration and repair of buildings thereon for certain prohibited purposes.

S. F. No. 999, An act making the continuance on record of instruments conveying real estate or an interest therein, where such conveyance does not affirmatively show that the grantors were married, for 20 years prima facie evidence that

such grantors were unmarried and the continuance on record of such instruments for thirty years conclusive evidence that grantors were unmarried unless persons claiming by virtue of such marriage commence action to determine their rights prior to January 1st, 1920 and file *lis pendens* in office of Register of Deeds in county where such land lies.

S. F. No. 1045, An act to legalize decrees of distribution of probate courts in certain cases.

S. F. No. 1051, An act authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of more than \$250,000,000 and an area of over 5,000 square miles, to build an addition to a district court building located at a place other than the county seat of said county and to pay the cost thereof out of the General Fund and to issue a county warrant on said fund to pay the cost thereof before or after the levying of a tax for such purpose.

S. F. No. 234, An act to provide for an additional assistant attorney general.

S. F. No. 300, An act to amend subdivision (1) of Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which Section 88 was amended by Section 28, Chapter 119, Laws 1917, by adding thereto at the end thereof a new subdivision and which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to the repair and maintenance of bridges on town and county roads and also the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to roads which have become impassable.

S. F. No. 316, An act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.

S. F. No. 445, An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of main sewers.

S. F. No. 455, An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and installing a water filtration plant for use in connection with the public water works system owned and operated by such city.

S. F. No. 456, An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of extending, and improving the public water works system owned and operated by any such city.

S. F. No. 479, An act relating to the High School Board examinations and repealing Sections 2893 and 2894, General Statutes of 1913.

S. F. No. 986, An act to amend Section 1252, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to annual village elections.

S. F. No. 691, An act requiring the State Auditor and State Treasurer to credit the State Agricultural Society with interest earnings on money received by the society from the operation of the State Fair, rentals and sale of property and deposited with the State Treasurer.

S. F. No. 742, An act authorizing cities or villages in this state by a majority vote of the council thereof to modify the conditions upon which lands have been heretofore or may hereafter be deeded to school districts.

S. F. No. 776, An act authorizing certain villages and cities to acquire land for use as a place within which to tie horses and park automobiles.

S. F. No. 1021, An act to give sellers and consignors of grain a first lien upon the membership of any member of any chamber of commerce or board of trade on account of any indebtedness arising from the purchase, or sale upon consignment, of grain by such member.

Joint resolution offered by Richard Hamer, who moves its adoption.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 19, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I respectfully request that Senators Putnam and Rockne be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

“A bill for an act authorizing the attorney general to appoint a law clerk in the attorney general’s department, who shall have served in the military or naval forces of the United States and have been honorably discharged therefrom.”

This request is made under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Messrs. Putnam and Rockne introduced—

S. F. No. 1053, A bill for an act authorizing the Attorney General to appoint a law clerk in the attorney general’s department, who shall have served in the military or naval forces of the United States and have been honorably discharged therefrom.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1053, A bill for an act authorizing the Attorney General to appoint a law clerk in the attorney general’s department, who shall have served in the military or naval forces of the United States and have been honorably discharged therefrom.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1053,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1053, A bill for an act authorizing the Attorney General to appoint a law clerk in the attorney general’s department, who shall have served in the military or naval forces of the United States and have been honorably discharged therefrom.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,
Baldwin,
Benson,

Bessette,
Blomgren,
Bonniwell,

Brooks,
Callahan,
Carley,

Coleman,
Cosgrove,
Cumming,

Denegre,
Devold,
Gandrud,

Gillam,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Ribenack,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Gjerset,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Turnham,
Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Ward,
Hall,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Widell,
Hamer,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Handlan,	McGarry,	Reed,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Messrs. Lee and Loonam voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 19, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senators Sullivan, G. H., and Wold, be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act providing for the Minnesota Soldiers Relief Commission; defining its powers and duties and providing for aid and relief to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines in certain cases; authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and the issuance and sale of certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of the collection of such taxes and appropriating money therefor."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Sullivan, G. H., and Wold introduced—

S. F. No. 1054, A bill for an act providing for the Minnesota Soldiers Relief Commission; defining its powers and duties and providing for aid and relief to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines in certain cases; authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to provide funds therefor and the issuance and sale of certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of the collection of such taxes and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1054 be given its second reading, printing, and placed on the

Calendar, and that the subject matter of the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1054,

Was read the second time.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 475, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Also that the Speaker has appointed the following as members of the Conference Committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Praxel, Teigen, Herreid.

S. F. No. 475 herewith transmitted.

April 19, 1919. ———

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1151, A bill for an act relating to liability under cancelled mineral leases.

H. F. No. 1201, A bill for an act to provide for the taxation of freight line companies, and repealing Chapter 377, Laws 1911.

H. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in all places of employment, both inside and outside, by requiring the owners of such places, and, in certain cases, the owners of buildings, and grounds in or on which such places are located, to keep them in good sanitary condition; to require proper and adequate ventilation in such places; to require toilet facilities in such places; to require pure drinking water in such places; to require dressing rooms, locker rooms and washing facilities in certain of such places; to require a reasonable temperature to be maintained in such places; to prevent overcrowding in such places; to prohibit employes in such places from doing certain acts that are a menace to the health and safety of others; to require seats for women employes in such places, and providing penalties for violations of this act.

H. F. No. 1161, A bill for an act providing for the payment of delinquent taxes against freight line companies.

H. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to promote the safety of employes and the general public by requiring owners of certain buildings in which elevators are used jointly by two or more tenants to provide operators to run such elevators; also requiring such owner to provide locking devices on such elevators, and forbidding the use of such elevators under certain conditions.

H. F. No. 1160, A bill for an act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.

H. F. No. 1046, A bill for an act to amend Sections 78 and 82, General Statutes 1913, relating to duties of state treasurer, and repealing Chapter 524, Laws of 1913, providing for additional report by state treasurer.

H. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Section 845, General Statutes 1913, relating to receipts and payments of money by county treasurer.

H. F. No. 1054, A bill for an act to amend Section 3978 of the General Statutes of 1913, being Section 1805 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 129 of Laws of 1907, relating to the burial by counties of certain soldiers, sailors and marines who served the United States in certain wars.

H. F. No. 931, A Concurrent Resolution authorizing the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to investigate and determine the proper method of requiring the purchaser of grain, subject to dockage, to reimburse the producers and to report to the next legislature its findings as to proper legislation to enact for that purpose.

H. F. No. 1086, A bill for an act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, and places of refreshment, defining the same and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for violations of provisions of this act, and repealing Chapter 343 of the General Laws of 1905, Chapter 206 of the General Laws of 1911 and Chapter 659 of the General Laws of 1913.

H. F. No. 1088, A bill for an act to amend Section 5526 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 441 of the General Laws for 1917, relating to drainage.

H. F. No. 1199, A bill for an act authorizing the issuance of bonds by counties in certain cases.

H. F. No. 1237, A bill for an act providing for a tax levy to raise four million five hundred thousand dollars (\$4,500,000) to be ex-

pended in behalf of certain sailors, soldiers and marines of the state by a board composed of the state auditor, adjutant general and state treasurer and appropriating the same therefor, and authorizing such board to issue certificates of indebtedness to raise funds to carry out the aforesaid purpose prior to the levying and collection of such tax, the same to be retired from the proceeds of such taxes.

April 17, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 898, A bill for an act permitting the discharge of the overflow from sewerage treatment plants into public drainage ditches under certain conditions.

H. F. No. 922, A bill for an act relating to public warehouses on the right of way of railroads.

H. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act to amend Section 1142, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the powers and duties of town boards.

H. F. No. 903, A bill for an act to amend Section 5278, General Statutes 1913, regulating the extension of permits.

H. F. No. 738, A bill for an act to amend Section 8167, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure by action.

H. F. No. 737, A bill for an act to amend Section 8148, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement.

H. F. No. 1240, A bill for an act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a home rule charter.

H. F. No. 1229, A bill for an act permitting certain cities of the fourth class to acquire lands for park and fair ground purposes.

H. F. No. 1239, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 176 Laws of 1919, entitled, An act to amend subsection "G" of Section 8230 General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employe and workman, and excepting therefrom, employes of cities governed by home rule charters, who are compensated under the terms of said charters.

H. F. No. 1017, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to credit payments made upon lands purchased by Hugh D. Campbell, Helen M. Torinus, Martha E. Matthews and Roy F. Curley, in Roseau County from the State of Minnesota, under a mistake of fact, upon the purchase price of any other lands that may be purchased from the state by the persons above named within two years from the passage of this act; and directing the State Auditor to cancel the certificates of such sales.

H. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act to amend Section 1143 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the keeping without a license of a billiard, pool or pigeonhole table or bowling alley, and to the exhibiting without a license of any circus, theatrical performance or show of any kind, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

— April 17, 1919. —————

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of County and State funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision in such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

S. F. No. 306, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, 2, and 3, Chapter 65, of the Laws of 1915, relating to mutual liability insurance associations.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1232, A bill for an act to authorize the pledge of United States Liberty or Victory Loan Bonds as security for the performance of any public work.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 17, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 1088, A bill for an act to amend Section 5626 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to drainage.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1088 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1088,

Was read the second time.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1151, A bill for an act relating to liability under cancelled mineral leases.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1151 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 1014, No. 47 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 1014 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1151,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1014,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1201, A bill for an act to provide for the taxation of freight line companies, and repealing Chapter 377, Laws 1911.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford moved that H. F. No. 1201 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1201,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in all places of employment, both inside and outside,

by requiring the owners of such places, and, in certain cases, the owners of buildings, and grounds in or on which such places are located, to keep them in good sanitary condition; to require proper and adequate ventilation in such places; to require toilet facilities in such places; to require pure drinking water in such places; to require dressing rooms, locker rooms and washing facilities in certain of such places; to require a reasonable temperature to be maintained in such places; to prevent overcrowding in such places; to prohibit employes in such places from doing certain acts that are a menace to the health and safety of others; to require seats for women employes in such places, and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1056 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 858, No. 22 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 858 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1056,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 858,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1161, A bill for an act providing for the payment of delinquent taxes against freight line companies.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1161 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 892, No. 77 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 892 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1161,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 892,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to promote the safety of employes and the general public by requiring owners of certain buildings in which elevators are used jointly by two or more tenants to provide operators to run such elevators; also requiring such owner to provide locking devices on such elevators, and forbidding the use of such elevators under certain conditions.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 781 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 639, No. 48 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 639 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 781,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 639,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1199, A bill for an act authorizing the issuance of bonds by counties in certain cases.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 1199 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1199,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1160, A bill for an act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

H. F. No. 1046, A bill for an act to amend Sections 78 and 82, General Statutes, 1913, relating to duties of state treasurer, and repealing Chapter 524, laws of 1913, providing for additional report by State Treasurer.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1046 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 863, No. 65 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 863 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1046,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 863,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Section 845, General Statutes 1913, relating to receipts and payments of money by county treasurer.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1043 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 864, No. 37 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 864, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1043,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 864,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1054, A bill for an act to amend Section 3978 of the General Statutes of 1913, being Section 1805 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 129 of Laws of 1907.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 931, A Concurrent Resolution authorizing the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to investigate and determine the proper method of requiring the purchaser of grain, subject to dockage, to

reimburse the producers and to report to the next legislature its findings as to proper legislation to enact for that purpose.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Grain and Warehouse.

H. F. No. 1086, A bill for an act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, clubs, drug stores, Young Men's Christian Association, Young Women's Christian Associations, or similar institutions, and places of refreshment, defining the same and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Chapter 343 of the General Laws of 1905, Chapter 206 of the General Laws of 1911 and Chapter 569 of the General Laws of 1913.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1086 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1086,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Ribenack moved that S. F. No. 941, No. 28 on General Orders be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 941,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1237, A bill for an act entitled, An act to provide for the relief and assistance of soldiers, sailors and marines, and appropriating money therefor.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

H. F. No. 898, A bill for an act permitting the discharge of the overflow from sewerage treatment plants into public drainage ditches under certain conditions.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 898, be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 898

Was read the second time.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 922, A bill for an act relating to public warehouses on the right of way of railroads.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 922 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 751, No. 33 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 751 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 922,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 751,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act to amend Section 1142, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the powers and duties of town boards.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act to amend Section 1142, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the powers and duties of town boards.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1042,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1042, A bill for an act to amend Section 1142, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the powers and duties of town boards.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Colman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS--CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1232, A bill for an act to authorize the pledge of United States Liberty or Victory Loan Bonds as security for the performance of any public work.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1232, A bill for an act to authorize the pledge of United States Liberty or Victory Loan Bonds as security for the performance of any public work.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1232,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1232, A bill for an act to authorize the pledge of United States Liberty or Victory Loan Bonds as security for the performance of any public work.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Turnham,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that S. F. No. 1048, No. 56 on the Calendar, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1048,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 738, A bill for an act to amend Section 8167, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure by action.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 737, A bill for an act to amend Section 8148, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 1239, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 176 Laws of 1919, entitled, An act to amend Subsection "G" of Section 8230 General Statutes, 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employe and workman, and excepting therefrom employes of cities governed by home rule charters, who are compensated under the terms of said charters.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson moved that H. F. No. 1239 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1239,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1240, A bill for an act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a home rule charter.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford moved that H. F. No. 1240 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1240,

Was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 903, A bill for an act to amend Section 5278, General Statutes 1913, regulating the extension of permits.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 903 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 761, No. 14 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 761 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 903

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 761

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1229, A bill for an act permitting certain cities of the Fourth Class to acquire lands for park and fair ground purposes.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1229, A bill for an act permitting certain cities of the Fourth Class to acquire lands for park and fair ground purposes.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1229,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1229, A bill for an act permitting certain cities of the Fourth Class to acquire lands for park and fair ground purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1017, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to credit payments made upon lands purchased by Hugh D. Campbell, Helen M. Torninus, Martha E. Matthews and Roy F. Curley, in Roseau County, from the State of Minnesota, under a mistake of fact, upon the purchase price of any other lands that may be purchased from the state by the persons above named within two years from the passage of this act; and directing the state auditor to cancel the certificates of such sales.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1017, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to,

credit payments made upon lands purchased by Hugh D. Campbell, Helen M. Torninus, Martha E. Matthews and Roy F. Curley, in Roseau County, from the State of Minnesota, under a mistake of fact, upon the purchase price of any other lands that may be purchased from the state by the persons above named within two years from the passage of this act; and directing the state auditor to cancel the certificates of such sales.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1017,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1017, A bill for an act directing the State Auditor to credit payments made upon lands purchased by Hugh D. Campbell, **Helen M. Torninus, Martha E. Matthews** and Roy F. Curley, in Roseau County, from the State of Minnesota, under a mistake of fact, upon the purchase price of any other lands that may be purchased from the state by the persons above named within two years from the passage of this act; and directing the state auditor to cancel the certificates of such sales

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, .

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Carley,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that S. F. No. 823, No. 45 on General Orders, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 823

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act to amend Section 1143 General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913, relating to the keeping without a license of a billiard, pool or pigeon hole table or bowling alley, and to the exhibiting without a license of any circus, theatrical performance or show of any kind, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Anderson moved that H. F. No. 1034 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1034

Was laid on the table.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Senate do now recess until 2 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:00 P. M.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 26, No. 37 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 26, A bill for an act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209 General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employees sustaining personal injury.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Gillam,
Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Denegre,	Gjerset,
Benson,	Boylan,	Coleman,	Devold,	Gooding,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Dwyer,	Guilford,

Hall,	Lee,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,
Handlan,	Lindsley,	Palmer,	Stepan,	Widell,
Hopp,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Wold,
Jackson,	Madigan,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Kingsbury,	Millett,	Reed,	Swanson,	
Kuntz,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Turnham,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 27, No. 38 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 27, A bill for an act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to compensate the dependents of employes in all cases where death results to an employe, caused by injury arising out of and in the course of employment, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Jackson moved to amend H. F. No. 27 by striking out of line 1 of paragraph sixteen (16) of Section 1 of the printed bill the word "injury" where the same appears and insert in lieu thereof the word "accident."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Lee,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Millett,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 809, No. 39 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor, providing for information as to dependents in fatal cases, requiring a supplementary report when an accident previously reported results fatally, fixing a period for the filing of settlements and releases, and prescribing a penalty for failure to file the same.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Millett,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 21, No. 40 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 21, A bill for an act to amend Section 8207, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 351, General Laws 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employes for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Jackson moved to amend H. F. No. 21 by inserting in line 120 of Section 1 of the printed bill after the word "injury" the words "due to accident."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved to amend H. F. No. 21 by inserting between lines 44 and 45 of Section 1 of the printed bill the following

words: "For the loss of an arm below the elbow, sixty-six and two thirds ($66 \frac{2}{3}$) per centum of daily wages during one hundred and seventy-five (175) weeks."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1073, No. 41 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1073, A bill for an act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the Workmen's Compensation Act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Callahan,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Handlan,	Millett,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 493, No. 42 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 493, A bill for an act to amend Laws 1913, Chapter 467, Section 33, being General Statutes 1913, Section 8229, (2), relating to workmen's compensation.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Jackson moved that H. F. No. 684, No. 43 on the Calendar be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 684,

Was indefinitely postponed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 782, No. 51 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 782, A bill for an act to amend Section 8209, General Statutes of 1913, to provide for the payment of total permanent compensation out of a special fund in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none,
as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 910, A bill for an act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 980, A bill for an act to provide for the taxation of freight line companies, and repealing Chapter 377, Laws 1911.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 534, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 303, Laws 1917, relating to delinquent taxes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 534,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 488, A bill for an act to provide for the assessment of property subject to assessment under the provisions of Chapter 285, General Laws of 1911, omitted in the assessment of any year or years and to provide penalties for failure to list the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 488,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 330, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words and figures one million (\$1,000,000) dollars where the same appear in line 8 of Section 1 of the original House bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "six hundred thousand (\$600,000) dollars."

That said act be further amended by striking out the words and figures "five hundred thousand (\$500,000) dollars" where the same appear in lines 10 and 11 of Section 1 of said act and inserting in place thereof the words and figures "three hundred thousand (\$300,000) dollars."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 330, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage, as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 330

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 330, A bill for an act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Larson,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	McGarry,	Rask,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Madigan,	Reed,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Hall,	Nord,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Handlan,	Orr,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 826, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation, lands, sites and buildings necessary therefor and to provide for maintaining and operating in connection therewith and therein refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement, and to make rules and regulations relative thereto and provide penalties for violations of such rules and regulations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 826

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 914, A bill for an act authorizing and providing for the establishment of retirement boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota

having over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter, to provide the funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 4 by striking out in line 4, page 5, after the word "for" the words "an additional term of two years" and substituting therefor the words "one additional term not to exceed three years", and by striking out in line 5, page 5, Section 4, the words "and so on."

Amend Section 6 by striking out lines 7 to 20 inclusive of Section 6 and substituting therefor the following as per amendments hereto attached:

Retirement allowance for employes in the non-contributing class including common laborers:

Section 6. A retirement allowance, payable in equal monthly installments shall be granted to any laborer or other employe in the non-contributing class who satisfies the conditions hereafter specified.

Such retirement allowance shall be the actuarial equivalent of the accumulated amount of monthly installments of \$12.50 throughout the period of service of the retiring employe, accumulated to the date of retirement at four per cent compound interest; provided, that no such allowance shall exceed \$500.00 per annum.

Upon receipt of proof of death of any common laborer or other employe in the non-contributing class who has fulfilled the minimum age and service requirements for retirement on an allowance, (a) who is employed by the city, or (b) who is temporarily separated from the service of the city, or (c) who has been retired on an allowance, there shall be paid to the heir or heirs of such employe or to such trustee or trustees as the Retirement Board may select, the sum of \$150.00.

In order to be entitled to a retirement allowance, a common laborer or other employe in the non-contributing class shall be a resident of the city, shall have been employed thereby for a period which in the aggregate shall equal 20 or more periods of five or more months each in not to exceed an equal number of years, the last two of which shall have immediately preceded the date of retirement, and in addition thereto shall either (1) have attained the age of 55 years and have been declared by the medical board to be incapacitated for further service to the city or (2) shall have attained the age of 70 years.

Further amend Section 5 by adding after line 2 of page 6 the following:

“(h) Persons not citizens of the United States.”

Further amend by adding a new section thereto as follows:

“Section 23. No such pension system shall be effective until it shall have been ratified by a majority of the votes of the electors of the city cast upon the question at a general or special election. The pension system shall provide for such submission.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 914, A bill for an act authorizing and providing for the establishment of retirement boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter, to provide for funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage as amended,

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 914,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 914, A bill for an act authorizing and providing for the establishment of retirement boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter, to provide for funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Coleman,	Denegre,	Gjerset,
Bessette,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Devold,	Gooding,
Blomgren,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Dwyer,	Hall,
Bonniwell,	Carley,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Handlan,

Hopp,	Millett,	Reed,	Stepan,	Vibert,
Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Widell,
Larson,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Wold,
Lindsley,	Palmer,	Romberg,	Swanson,	
McGarry,	Peterson,	Sageng,	Turnham,	
Madigan,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 832, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 201 of General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, approved April 18, 1911, entitled, An act authorizing cities of the first class in the State of Minnesota to establish and maintain a purchasing department as a branch of the city government, and to appoint purchasing agents and other employes of such department and to prescribe their duties and make rules and regulations for the conduct and management of such purchasing department, as amended by Chapter 234, Session Laws of 1915.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 832,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the state educational institutions and for other purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out the figures "55,000.00" where they appear in line 2 of Section 5 of said H. F. No. 1193, and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "49,000.00."

2. Further amend by striking out the figures "16,000.00" where they appear in line 9 of Section 5 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "10,000.00."

3. Further amend by adding at the end of said Section 5 the following:

"Provided that the moneys appropriated by item 3 of said Section 5 shall be used exclusively by the Board of Regents for the

purpose of paving one-half of the frontage on the highway leading from the farm school at Crookston to the northerly boundary of the Farm school lands and for improving streets and roads on Farm school property and that in no event shall any of said money be available for said purpose until the county of Polk and the city of Crookston have made arrangements to provide for a complete paving system from the entrance of said Farm school into the city of Crookston."

4. Further amend by striking out all of Section 9 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 9. 1. For aid to high, graded, semi-graded, consolidated, industrial and rural schools to be distributed as provided by law.

Available for the year ending July 31, 1919 \$3,104,460.

Provided that of the amount specified in the provisions of item 1, \$115,000.00 shall be for aid to school districts of the state in the counties of Carlton, Aitkin and Pine which were devastated by the forest fires of October, 1918, such aid to be distributed to such school districts by the State Superintendent of Education, State Auditor and Chairman of the Minnesota Tax Commission under such rules and regulations as they may adopt.

Provided further, that out of the amount specified in item 1 of this Section there is hereby further appropriated for special assistance in addition to other school aid now provided by law in maintaining public schools in District No. 1, in the village of Proctor, in St. Louis county, where the taxable property is not sufficient to maintain the public schools by reason of the excessive amount of railroad property located therein not subject to local taxation to be expended by the Superintendent of Education through the school board of said district for teachers' wages and general maintenance,

Available for the year ending July 31, 1919 \$20,000.00

Available for the year ending July 31, 1920 \$10,000.00

Provided further, that out of the moneys appropriated by item 1 of this section there is hereby appropriated for special assistance in addition to other school aid now provided by law in maintaining public schools in independent school district No. 78, in Todd county, in the city of Staples, where recent fires and other burdens have caused an excessive tax rate in maintaining public schools in said city of Staples, to be expended and apportioned as other school aid for teachers' wages and general maintenance,

Available for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1919... \$10,000.00

Available for the year ending July 31, 1920.....\$10,000.00

2. For aid to high, graded, semi-graded, consolidated, industrial and rural schools to be disbursed as provided by law,

Available for the year ending July 31, 1920.....\$3,175,210.00

Provided that aid to the several classes of schools and all special departments entitled thereto shall be distributed by the superintendent of education and the high school pro rata, if the amounts specified as being available for the year ending July 31, 1919, and the year ending July 31, 1920, are insufficient to pay the aid in full."

5. Further amend by striking out the words and figures "Section 14" and "warrants payments" and by adding after Section 13 the following:

"Section 14. To provide for the tuition in the university and other schools and colleges of the state for discharged soldiers, sailors, marines and Red Cross Nurses in the recent world war to be disbursed as provided by law,

Immediately available\$100,000.00

Available for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1920..\$300,000.00

Available for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1921..\$200,000.00"

6. Further amend by adding a new section to be known as Section 15 to read as follows:

"Section 15. For agricultural extension work and teachers training for teaching of agriculture and home economics subjects to be disbursed by the Board of Regents of the university as follows:

1. For the fiscal year ending July 31, 1920.....\$30,000.00

2. For the fiscal year ending July 31, 1921.....\$30,000.00"

7. Further amend by re-numbering Section 15 of the printed bill as Section 16.

8. Further amend by adding after Section 5 the following:

"Section 5½. For reimbursement of the University Maintenance Fund to provide for taking over by the university, the buildings erected for government work and for cost of moving barracks and making necessary alterations,

Available for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1919..\$32,000.00."

And when so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the State Educational Institutions and for other purposes.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage, as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1193

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the state educational institutions and for other purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Reed,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Cleman,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Devold moved that the Senate do now recess for the purpose of hearing an address by the Honorable Harold Knutson, Congressman from the Sixth Congressional District.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The Senate reconvened at 3:25 after having heard an address by Mr. Knutson.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1046, A bill for an act to amend Section 2461, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of employes in city owned armories.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED

Mr. Van Hoven moved that H. F. No. 1221 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1221 was taken from the table.

Mr. Van Hoven then moved that H. F. No. 1221 be substituted for S. F. No. 1046, and that S. F. No. 1046 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1046

Was indefinitely postponed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Van Hoven moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1221 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1221

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1047, A bill for an act providing for the construction and erection of a building to constitute a memorial for the services and sacrifices of the citizens of this state in the wars of the United States; the acquisition of a site therefor and levying a tax for the defraying of the cost and expense thereof, and authorizing the board of control to issue and sell certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of the collection of such tax, the proceeds of the sale of such certificates to be used in carrying into effect the provisions of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1047 be given its second reading, printed and placed on the Calendar, and that the subject matter of the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1047

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 1052, A bill for an act amending Section 18 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 116 Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to designation of roads and streets as state highways and the improvement thereof, repealing Chapter 342, Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the improvement of county roads within certain cities of the first class in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1052 be given its second reading and printing and be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1052,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1052,

Was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Nord, from the Committee on State Development and Immigration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 900, A bill for an act providing for the filing of descriptions of real estate with register of deeds in any county, by persons, companies or corporations desiring to sell or purchase such real estate.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 900,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 815, Concurrent Resolution Memorializing congress of the United States to pass a bill for the establishment of a Department of Education, the appropriation of money for the conduct of said department and for federal co-operation in the encouragement and support of education.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the said resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 815,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 125, A bill for an act providing for admission to and the attendance at the University of Minnesota of residents of this State who have served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war and have been honorably discharged.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 125,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 360, Laws 1915, providing for the publication of proceedings of meetings of school boards of independent school districts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 122, A bill for an act providing for free tuition in the State University and at the State Normal Schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts, or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 122,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne, from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1091, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Armory Supervisors to sell armory sites and buildings in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 932, A bill for an act to amend Section 4272, General Statutes of 1913, the same being Section 1, Chapter 307, General Laws of 1913, an act to promote the safety of employees and travelers on railroads by requiring common carriers engaged in operating railroads in the State of Minnesota to establish and maintain a safe and sufficient clearance between structures located on and over their roadways and cars passing over their lines, and for other purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Adams, from the Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 504, A bill for an act to amend Section 4321, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913, relating to the liability of common carriers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 504

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Adams, from the Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 714, A bill for an act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 152, Laws of 1915, relating to the control and jurisdiction of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission over telephone companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 714

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Adams, from the Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 926, A bill for an act to amend Section 6259, General Statutes 1913, relating to the liability in certain cases of persons or corporations owning or operating telegraph lines.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 926

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1020, A bill for an act establishing additional terms of the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District in and for St. Louis county at the city of Virginia, at the village of Hibbing, and at the city of Ely in said county; providing for the officers of said court and the salaries of certain of such officers; the manner of conducting and powers of said court, the furnishing of accommodations for said court and its officers, and care of prisoners, for Grand and Petit Jurors for said court, for place of trial of appeals from Municipal Courts and Justices of the Peace, for determining the place of trial of all civil and criminal actions and the hearing of all proceedings of whatsoever kind; for filing papers, entry of judgments, docketing of judgments, issuing of executions thereon at the city of Virginia and the village of Hibbing; for the division of business of said courts and joint sessions by the judges thereof, for a juvenile court, and for repealing all laws inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Boylan moved that H. F. No. 1020 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1020

Was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 496, A bill for an act to provide for the extradition of persons of unsound mind and of delinquent juveniles and to make uniform the laws of the states which enact the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Peterson, from the Committee on Drainage, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 217, A bill for an act making an appropriation to the State Drainage Commission to be expended in paying the state's share of the cost of the Red Lake River drainage project and providing for the assessment of other lands benefited.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 217

Was re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to the following House File:

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the state educational institutions and for other purposes.

Also that the House requests a Conference Committee of five members by each House.

Messrs. Christianson, T., Bernard, Swanson, S. J., McPartlin, Sliter, being appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 1193, herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 19, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following Committee on Conference on H. F. No. 1193:

Messrs. Rockne, Benson, Palmer, Adams and Vibert.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 269, A bill for an act relating to salaries for employes in the Department of Weights and Measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 911, A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a State Commissioner of Drainage, prescribing his duties and compensation, and for an advisory drainage board, its method of appointment and its duties, and for other purposes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Insert after the word "duties" where it appears in line 3 of the title of said bill, the words "and to repeal Section 5480 General Statutes of 1913."

Further amend, by inserting after the word "drainage" in line 1 of Section 1, the words "a practical drainage engineer."

Further amend, by striking out all of Section 2 of the bill, and re-numbering Sections 3 and 4 as Sections 2 and 3 respectively.

Further amend, by striking out the last two lines of Section 1 of said bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "All of the powers, duties and privileges now possessed by or conferred upon the State Drainage Commission, are hereby transferred to and vested in the State Commissioner of Drainage, provided for herein."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

MAJORITY REPORT.

The undersigned majority of the members of the Committee on Civil Administration, of the Senate of the State of Minnesota, 41st Session, to which was referred:

H. F. No. 4, entitled, An act to abolish the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, and to repeal Chapter 261, Laws of Minnesota 1917.

Recommend that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN D. SULLIVAN,
H. H. BONNIWELL,
J. A. JACKSON,
A. J. ROCKNE,
JAMES H. HALL,
J. A. CASHEL.

MINORITY REPORT.

The undersigned minority of the members of the Committee on Civil Administration, of the Senate of the State of Minnesota, 41st Session, to which was referred,

H. F. No. 4, entitled, An act to abolish the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, and to repeal Chapter 261, Laws of Minnesota 1917.

Recommend that the bill do pass.

FRED W. BESSETTE,
J. G. CALLAHAN.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the Majority Report on H. F. No. 4 be adopted.

Mr. Bessette moved as a substitute motion that the Minority Report on H. F. No. 4 be adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nerd,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the motion to adopt the Minority Report,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 13 and nays 48, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Callahan,	Dwyer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Rask,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Devold,	Lee,		

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Rockne,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that Mr. Naplin be excused from voting.

Which motion prevailed.

So the substitute motion to adopt the Minority Report did not prevail.

The question then recurred on the motion to adopt the Majority Report,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,	Wold,
Carley,	Guilford,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boylan,	Dwyer,	Lee	Loonam,	Romberg,
Devold,	Handlan,			

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that Mr. Rask be excused from voting. Which motion prevailed.

So the motion to adopt the Majority Report prevailed.

H. F. No. 4

Was indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 959, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the State government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of State Appropriations.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 19, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 959 and that a Conference Committee of five (5) be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Gjerset moved that H. F. No. 1201 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1201,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1201 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1201,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Vibert, Bessette and Boylan offered the following resolution:

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, the United States geological surveys, private explorations and other reliable information indicate that there are millions of tons of iron ore and vast deposits of peat not explored or developed in and upon lands owned by the state of Minnesota in the northern part of the state; and

Whereas, all proper exploration and development of such iron ore has ceased since the year 1907 and ever since the repeal of the laws authorizing the leasing by the state of its mineral lands; and

Whereas, the failure to properly develop and mine said iron ore tends to limit the production of iron ore in this state and tends to permit the monopolization of iron ore in this state by private owners of such land, all of which is detrimental to the interests of the state of Minnesota and to consumers of iron ore throughout the nation; and

Whereas, the Public Domain Committee have made such investigation of the situation above outlined as said committee has been able to do during the present session of the Legislature, and said committee has reported a bill providing for the encouragement of the exploration of the mineral lands of this state and for the leasing thereof by the state for the purpose of encouraging the development of such lands and of producing therefrom large revenues for the state, but that it is improbable that any legislation upon this important subject can be had at this session of the Legislature; and

Whereas, it is important that the next Legislature be fully informed as to the facts in connection with the above matters and fully advised as to what legislation is necessary in order to encourage proper exploration and development of the iron ore and peat lands owned by the state;

Therefore, Be it Resolved, that the following members of this Senate, Putnam, Sullivan, J. D., Rockne, Sageng and Sullivan, G. H., are hereby appointed as a committee to sit during the interim between the end of the present session of the Legislature and the session of 1921, for the purpose of investigating the facts in relation to such deposits of iron ore and peat and of proposing some feasible plan for the speedy and proper exploration, leasing and development of the iron ore and peat lands of this state. Said committee shall sit from time to time and shall have the assistance of the State Auditor and of any of his employes and appointees and shall have authority to employ a stenographer and such other assistants as may be necessary. The members of such committee shall receive as payment in full for personal expenses the sum of fifteen dollars (\$15) per day for each day actually employed in the said work, provided that the total expense of said committee shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), and all of the expenses incurred by said committee shall be paid from the legislative expense fund by the secretary of the Senate upon bills certified as correct by the chairman of said Committee.

Resolution read and ordered printed in the Journal.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 170, A bill for an act providing for the nomination and certification of candidates for certain state and federal offices and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1st. Strike out everything after the enacting clause, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 1. The respective committees of the various political parties are hereby authorized to call such state, district and county conventions at such times as they may deem proper and fix the basis of representation therein subject to the provisions of

Sections 362 to 370 inclusive, Chapter 6 of the Laws of 1913, for the purpose of endorsing candidates for elective offices before primary elections.

"Section 2. The name of each person recommended by his party convention shall be printed and rotated on the official primary ballot as provided by law, with the statement following his name that he is recommended by his party convention thus: For Governor: John Doe, recommended by . . . Party Convention.

"Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

2nd. Further amend said bill by striking out the title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill for an act permitting political conventions to endorse candidates before primary elections."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Coleman moved to amend H. F. No. 170 as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. Candidates for Senator in the Congress of the United States, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, attorney general, clerk of the supreme court, railroad and warehouse commissioners, chief justice and associate justices of the supreme court, and all other state officers who are to be elected by the voters throughout the entire state shall hereafter be chosen and nominated by political party state conventions, as hereinafter provided. Party state conventions shall be composed of delegates elected by the party county conventions, hereinafter provided for.

Delegates to the several county conventions shall be elected at the time of holding the state wide primary election, to be held on the third Monday in June in even numbered years, or at such other times as may be fixed by law for the holding of such state wide primaries.

A political party as herein referred to shall mean a political party as the same now is or may hereafter be defined by law. The name of a candidate for chief justice and associate justices of the Supreme Court who is nominated by one recognized political party, and endorsed or nominated by another recognized political party, shall go upon the official ballot under both party designations; and the name of a candidate nominated by petition for either of such positions shall go upon the official ballot under the designation "independent."

Members of the Minnesota State Senate and House of Representatives may act as delegates to the party conventions hereinafter referred to, if elected thereto."

Amend Section 2 of the printed bill as follows:

(a) Strike out the word "such" where that word occurs in line 2 of Section 2, of said printed bill and insert in the place thereof the word "county."

(b) Insert after the letter "a" and before the word "candidate" where that word and letter occur in line 4 of Section 2 of the printed bill, the word "party."

(c) Strike out the word "state" where that word occurs in line 9 of Section 2 of said printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "county."

(d) Strike out the word "state" where that word occurs in line 12 of Section 2 of said printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "county."

(e) Insert after the word "affidavit" and before the word "the" where said words occur in line 28 of Section 2 of the printed bill, the words:

"the proper and legal designation of the election district in which he has his residence and from which he desires to be elected as a delegate to the county convention."

(f) Strike out the word "state" where that word occurs in line 39 of Section 2 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "the respective party county committees."

(g) Insert after the word "the" and before the word "convention" where those words occur in line 41 of the printed bill the word "county."

(h) Strike out the word "state" where that word first occurs in line 40 of Section 2 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the words: "the respective party county committee."

(i) Strike out of line 43 of Section 2 of the printed bill the words: "and thereafter filing in his office a receipt therefor."

(j) Strike out the comma which first occurs in line 8 of Section 2 of the printed bill and insert a period in the place thereof; also strike out the words: "including the rotation of the names of candidates," where said words occur in said line 8 of said Section 2.

Strike out all of Section 3 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 3. Delegates to each of said county conventions shall

be apportioned among the several election districts as follows, to-wit: in each election district one delegate, and in addition thereto, one delegate for each fifty votes or major fraction of that number, cast for the candidate for governor of the respective political party in such election precinct at the last preceding general election in excess of fifty votes."

Insert a new section after Section 3 and before Section 4 of the printed bill which new section shall be known as Section 4 and which new section shall read as follows:

"Section 4. There shall be held on the second Tuesday subsequent to the date of holding such primary election, a county convention for each political party for which delegates are so elected as aforesaid, which convention shall be held at a time and place on said day to be designated by the county committee of each such party. All delegates holding certificates of election as herein provided, shall be seated in such convention and hold their seats until unseated by the convention itself. The chairman of the respective party county committee shall call the county convention of his party to order at the appointed time, whereupon the temporary organization of the convention shall be effected in the following manner:

A. Election by the convention of a temporary chairman and temporary secretary:

B. Appointment by the temporary chairman of the following:

- (1) A committee on credentials.
- (2) A committee on permanent organization.
- (3) A committee on resolutions.
- (4) A sergeant-at-arms and necessary assistants.

The convention may, however, by a majority vote of the delegates present, prescribe some other method of choosing the committees named in this section and such convention shall, before the appointment of such committees, prescribe the number of persons who shall constitute the same and may prescribe a basis of local distribution of the members thereof.

After the permanent organization of the county convention shall have been perfected, the delegates shall elect from their number the delegates hereinafter specified to a state party convention, to-wit: four delegates at large from each county having less than two senatorial districts and in addition thereto one delegate for each four hundred votes or major fraction thereof cast in said county for the candidate for governor of the respective political party at the last preceding general election;

in counties having two or more senatorial districts, four delegates at large for each senatorial district therein and one additional delegate for each four hundred votes or major fraction thereof cast in said county for the candidate for governor of the respective political party at the preceding general election.

The chairman and secretary of such county convention shall forthwith certify to the secretary of state the name and addresses of the delegates so elected to the state convention and shall also make and deliver to the persons so elected as delegates to the state convention, a certificate reciting such fact.

The county party convention may endorse any candidate for any county office and any such candidate by filing and acceptance of such endorsement with the officer charged by law with the preparation of the ballot on which his name will appear, may have printed thereon after his name the words: "Endorsed by (here insert party name) County Convention".

All resolutions relating to governmental policies or political principles adopted by the county convention shall be forthwith certified and sent by the chairman and secretary of such convention to the resolutions committee of the state convention. The county convention shall elect or provide for the appointment of a county party committee to have charge within the county of the campaign for the election of the several county nominees and said committee shall serve until a new committee shall have been chosen by the nominees of the next county convention.

The secretary of state upon receipt of the names and addresses of the delegates elected to the respective party state conventions shall prepare a list of such delegates so certified to him and transmit the same to the temporary chairman of the respective party state conventions."

Renumber Section 4 of the printed bill so that the same shall be numbered Section 5.

Further amend Section 4 of the printed bill as follows:

(a) Insert the word "state" after the letter "a" and before the word "convention" where such letter and word occur in line 2 of Section 4 of the printed bill.

(b) Insert the words "to such state convention" after the word "election" and before the word "as" where such words occur in line 4 of Section 4 of the printed bill.

Renumber Section 5 so that said Section 5 shall read Section 6.

Further amend said Section 5 of the printed bill by striking out the words:

“the convention may, by a majority vote of the delegates present, authorize and provide for the appointment of county committees and prescribe their powers and duties”,
where said words occur in lines 4, 5 and 6 of Section 5 of the printed bill.

Renumber Section 6 so that it shall read Section 7.

Renumber Sections 7 and 8 so that they shall be numbered Sections 8 and 9 respectively.

Further amend said bill as follows:

Amend Section 2 by striking out the words:
“such classes shall be rotated upon the ballots in the same manner as provided by law for the rotation of names of candidates”
where said words occur in lines 30, 31 and 32 of Section 2 of the printed bill.

Which amendments were ordered printed in the Journal.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 496, 932, 980 and 910,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 911, 269, 1091, 1018 and 170,

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 A. M. Monday.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTY-SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, MONDAY, April 21, 1919.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Carley,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Brooks offered the following resolution and moved its adoption :

Whereas the Victory Loan opens today with a flying circus composed of twenty of the famous flyers on the Western Front, who have shot down innumerable German aeroplanes on the Western Front, who will fly in both circus and battle formation, arriving over the State Capitol at about 1:15 o'clock this afternoon, and the battle formation and fancy flying will take place at about 2 o'clock at Fort Snelling, and

Whereas this is a rare opportunity for the people of the State to view these heroic men who have performed so wonderfully in the recent war, and it is possible that never again will such a gathering of noted aeromen be assembled;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Senate recess from one o'clock to 3:30 o'clock for the purpose of viewing the aeroplane exhibitions at the Fort. This request is being made by the Victory Loan managers of the Twin Cities, and a special invitation to the Legislature has been extended by the Commander of the Flying Circus.

Which resolution was adopted.

MEMBERS EXCUSED.

Mr. Baldwin was excused for the afternoon.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 21, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Ward be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act to legalize the proceedings of city councils of cities of the fourth class and the election had in connection with the issuing of bonds for sewerage and electric lighting purposes."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this state.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNOLIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Ward introduced—

S. F. No. 1055, A bill for an act to legalize the proceedings of city councils of cities of the fourth class and the election had in connection with the issuing of bonds for sewerage and electric lighting purposes.

Which was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ward moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 1055, A bill for an act to legalize the proceedings of city councils of cities of the fourth class and the election had in connection with the issuing of bonds for sewerage and electric lighting purposes.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1055

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1055, A bill for an act to legalize the proceedings of city councils of cities of the fourth class and the election had in connection with the issuing of bonds for sewerage and electric lighting purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Larson,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following Senate File, and repassed the bill as amended:

S. F. No. 475, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

S. F. No. 475 herewith returned.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 19, 1919.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

*Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

Sirs: The Committees of Conference of the House and Senate and on the amendments of the House to—

S. F. No. 475, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employes.

Beg to report that the duly appointed conferees of the respective bodies have met and considered the disagreeing items by the House and Senate as to S. F. No. 475 and have agreed to the following report:

That the House recede from its amendments as to the following and that S. F. No. 475 be re-passed by both Houses with amendments as hereinafter stated:

That Section 1 be amended by striking out the words three thousand where they appear in Section 1, line 4, and insert in lieu thereof the words thirty-five hundred;

Strike out the words twenty-four hundred where they occur in Section 1, line 9, and insert in lieu thereof the words twenty-seven hundred;

Strike out the words fifteen hundred where they appear in Section 1, line 15, and insert in lieu thereof the words eighteen hundred.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. CARLEY,
GEO. A. TURNHAM,
JOHN W. HOPP,

Managers on the Part of the Senate.

A. J. PRAXEL,
L. O. TEIGEN,
GEORGE H. HERREID,

Managers on the Part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Turnham moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 475 and that the bill be re-passed as amended. Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 475 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 108, A bill for an act to regulate the sale of cigarettes and cigarette paper and providing for licensing the manufacture and sale of same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Larson moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 108 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Cumming,	Gandrud,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Devold,	Gillam,
Benson,	Callahan,	Conroy,	Dwyer,	Gjerset,
Blomgren,	Carley,	Cesgrove,	Fowler,	Gooding,

Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Rask,	Turnham,
Hamer,	Larson,	Naplin,	Reed,	Vibert,
Hegnes,	Lee,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Ward,
Hopp,	Lindsley,	Nord,	Sageng,	Wold,
Jackson,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	
Johnson,	McGarry,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 899, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 242, Laws of Minnesota, 1919, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.

H. F. No. 824, A bill for an act to amend Section 2272, General Statutes of 1913, fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies, and gifts.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 741, A bill for an act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 21 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled, "An Act relating to Public Highways, the powers and duties of Counties, Towns, Villages and Cities in relation thereto; the creation of a State Highway Commission; prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of State Aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for Highway purposes" and to repeal Section 21 of Chapter 119, Laws of 1917.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1089, A bill for an act to amend Section 2917, General Statutes 1913, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.

H. F. No. 1242, A bill for an act authorizing the revocation of the license of any insurer writing workmen's compensation insur-

ance in the State of Minnesota which has been guilty of fraud or misrepresentation, or culpable, persistent and unreasonable delay in making settlements.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1159, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2896 and 2897, General Statutes 1913, relating to payment of school funds to counties by state treasurer and the apportionment thereof by county auditors.

H. F. No. 1155, A bill for an act creating a state board of deposit and repealing Sections 91, 93, 94, 95, 96 and 97, General Statutes 1913, and Chapter 396, Laws of 1917, said sections and chapter being inconsistent with this act.

H. F. No. 1045, A bill for an act fixing the rate of interest upon unpaid state auditor's drafts in certain cases.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 115, A bill for an act entitled an act to amend Chapter 352, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to reserves and deposits under certain classes of indemnity contracts.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 807, A bill for an act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in said county, or in any portion thereof, or in any counties adjoining said county, and to expend the proceeds thereof for said purposes in any one year, regardless of existing limitations.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 112, A bill for an act entitled, An act authorizing the City Council or other governing body of any city now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to fix the salary of the assistant fire chief of such city.

S. F. No. 914, A bill for an act to amend Section one (1) of Chapter 517 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in municipal courts.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 652, A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 19, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Denegre moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 807, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cesgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 760, A bill for an act to prescribe certain duties of the Surveyor General of Logs and Lumber, and prescribing duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 544, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 378, Laws of 1917, relating to railroads and the delivery of live stock at stock yards.

S. F. No. 247, A bill for an act to provide for the elimination of certain lands from state forests.

S. F. No. 746, A bill for an act to amend Section 6434, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the power of a local building and loan association to deal in real estate.

S. F. No. 551, A bill for an act to empower counties bordering on the Red River of the North, to make appropriations to aid and assist townships within said counties bordering on said river in paying for, erecting, repairing and improving and rebuilding bridges across the said Red River of the North in such townships.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 19, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Vibert moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 760 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Besette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned :

S. F. No. 515, A bill for an act to amend Section 2226, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of railroad companies owning or operating any line of railroad situate within or partly within this state, and to provide for the submission of this act to the people of this state for their approval or rejection.

S. F. No. 147, A bill for an act relating to compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.

S. F. No. 726, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 223, Laws 1917, which said chapter is entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision of such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

S. F. No. 451, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 500, General Laws 1913, relating to county tuberculosis sanatoria.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted :

H. F. No. 1061, A joint resolution memorializing Congress of the United States to enact legislation requiring aliens residing in foreign countries, desiring admission to the United States, to make application to authorized representatives of the United States in such foreign countries, and providing for an investigation by such representatives.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 99, A bill for an act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913 relating to the practice in and fixing the compensation of judges, clerks and stenographic reporter of the municipal court of the City of St. Paul.

S. F. No. 566, A bill for an act to repeal certain acts authorizing cities of the first class to issue the bonds of any such city.

S. F. No. 238, A bill for an act to amend Section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the duties of the clerk of the county board of education of unorganized territory and providing for the publication of the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of such board.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 964, A bill for an act validating and legalizing proceedings for termination and the foreclosure and cancellation of contracts for the sale or purchase of real estate, and the records thereof where the mortgage tax on such contracts has not been paid prior to the foreclosure or cancellation thereof, or subsequent thereto.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following Senate File, and re-passed the bill as amended:

S. F. No. 426, A bill for an act to amend Section 9390 General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their deputies and clerks in certain counties of this state.

S. F. No. 426 herewith returned.

April 19, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the following rule as a part of the Joint Rules of the Senate and the House, relating to the transmission of messages between the two branches of the Legislature by the Secretary of the

Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House, as found on Page 36 of the Journal of the seventy-fifth day.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE.

Mr. Fowler moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 466 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gjerset.	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 964, A bill for an act validating and legalizing proceedings for termination and the foreclosure and cancellation of contracts for the same or purchase of real estate, and the records thereof where the mortgage tax on such contracts has not been paid prior to the foreclosure or cancellation thereof, or subsequent thereto.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

H. F. No. 824, A bill for an act to amend Section 2272, General Statutes of 1913, fixing the rate of taxation on inheritance, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No.

824 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 652, No. 96 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 652 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 824,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 652,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 899, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.

Was read the first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Schmechel moved that H. F. No. 899 be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 899 was laid on the table.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 741, A bill for an act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled "An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a State Highway Commission; prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes."

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

H. F. No. 1061, A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress of the United States to enact legislation requiring aliens residing in foreign countries, desiring admission to the United States, to make application to authorized representatives of the United States in such foreign countries, and providing for an investigation by such representatives.

Was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

H. F. No. 1089, A bill for an act to amend Section 2917, General Statutes 1913, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1089 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 893, No. 30 on the Calendar, and that S. F. No. 893 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1089,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 893,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1242, A bill for an act authorizing the revocation of the license of any insurer writing workmen's compensation insurance in the State of Minnesota which has been guilty of fraud or misrepresentation, or culpable, persistent and unreasonable delay in making settlements.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1242 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1242,

Was read the second time.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1159, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2896 and 2897, General Statutes 1913, relating to payment of school funds to counties by state treasurer and the apportionment thereof by county auditors.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1159 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 895, No.

24 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 895 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1159,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 895,

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1155, A bill for an act creating a State Board of Deposit and repealing Sections 91, 93, 94, 95, 96 and 97, General Statutes 1913, and Chapter 396, Laws of 1917, said sections and Chapter being inconsistent with this act.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1155 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 912, No. 61 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 912 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1155

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 912

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 115, A bill for an act entitled an act to amend Chapter 352, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to reserves and deposits under certain classes of indemnity contracts.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 115 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 102, No. 50 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 102 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 115

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 102

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1045, A bill for an act fixing the rate of interest upon unpaid state auditor's drafts in certain cases.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1045 be read the second time and substituted for S. F. No. 875, No. 56 on General Orders, and that S. F. No. 875 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1045

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 875

Was indefinitely postponed.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 652, A bill for an act to legalize the acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 652, A bill for an act to legalize the acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 652,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 652, A bill for an act to legalize the acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Carlev,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS--CONTINUED.

Mr. Callahan moved that H. F. No. 316 be taken from the table.
Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 316,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Callahan then moved that H. F. No. 316 be referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 316,

Was referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Mr. Coleman moved that S. F. No. 308 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 308,

Was taken from the table.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Coleman moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 308 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to

H. F. No. 667, A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and maintaining or aiding in the same and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

1. That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to Section 2 proposed by Mr. Peterson, reported on page 12, Senate Journal for Wednesday, April 9, 1919, and agree to said amendment.

2. That in conformity with said amendment the Senate and House agree that subdivision (b) of Section 3 be amended by inserting immediately after the word "purpose" where in the original bill it occurs in line 5 of said subdivision the following words:

"Or for use for the purpose of extraction, solution or preservation in manufacture, as provided by this act."

3. That the Senate and House agree that Section 5 be amended by inserting immediately after the word "purpose" where, in the original bill it occurs in line 2 of said section the following words:

“Or for use for the purpose of extraction, solution or preservation in manufacture, as provided in this act.”

4. That the Senate and House agree that Section 1 be amended by inserting immediately after the word “liquid” where, in the original bill, it occurs in line 3 the following words: “of any kind.”

5. That the Senate recede from its amendment to Section 2 proposed by Mr. Schmechel, reported on page 15, Senate Journal for Wednesday, April 9, 1919 and that in lieu of said amendment the Senate and House agree that said H. F. No. 667 be amended by adding the following proviso at the end of Section 2: “Provided, further, that the provisions of this section shall not be deemed to prohibit the importation and introduction into that state, by any regularly appointed and ordained priest, minister or pastor of any church or established religious organization, of wine for sacramental purposes purchased without the state.”

6. That the House recede from its disagreement to the Senate amendment to Section 1, proposed by Mr. Sullivan, J. D., reported on page 13, Senate Journal for Wednesday, April 9, 1919 and agree to said amendment.

7. That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate to Section 27 proposed by Mr. Sullivan, J. D., reported on pages 13 and 14 Senate Journal for Wednesday, April 9, 1919, and that the Senate and House agree that said H. F. No. 667 be amended by striking out all of Section 27 inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 27. This act is intended to provide for the enforcement of Article 18 of the Constitution of the United States of America, under the concurrent power clause thereof, and the provisions of the act of congress of November 21, 1918, ‘commonly known as War Prohibition’ and shall take effect from and after January 16, 1920, and in case the sale of intoxicating liquor shall, prior to January 16, 1920, become unlawful in this state by the terms and provisions of any act of congress, or pursuant to the proclamation of the President of the United States issued by virtue of any act of congress, then and in such case, this act shall thereupon take effect and be in force and continue in force during such time prior to January 16, 1920, as such sale of intoxicating liquor shall continue to be unlawful by reason of any such act of congress or proclamation of the

President of the United States, but in any event shall be in full force and effect from and after January 16, 1920, and all laws and parts of laws, ordinances and charter provisions inconsistent herewith shall be thereafter suspended.

"All laws and parts of laws, ordinances and charter provisions inconsistent herewith are hereby suspended and made inoperative during such period prior to January 16, 1920, as this act may become and remain in force by reason of the sale of intoxicating liquor being unlawful by and under the terms and provisions of any act of congress, or, pursuant to the proclamation of the President made by virtue of any act of congress but, if prior to January 16, 1920, the sale of intoxicating liquors shall cease to be unlawful under any such act of congress or any such proclamation, then and in such case all laws or parts of laws of this state, ordinances and charter provisions suspended during such period, shall again become operative and be in force and shall so continue until January 16, 1920, and provided further, that in case the said Article 18 to the Constitution of the United States shall at any time become void by final decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, or be repealed by amendment to the Constitution of the United States, then this act shall become and be suspended and inoperative, and all laws and parts of laws, ordinances and charter provisions inconsistent herewith and hereby suspended shall again become operative and be in full force and effect."

OLE O. SAGENG,
FRANK E. PUTNAM,
JOHN D. SULLIVAN,
F. H. PETERSON,
F. C. BLOMGREN,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

W. J. NORTON,
H. A. PUTNAM,
THOMAS H. GIRLING,
GUY E. DILLEY,
N. S. MOEN.

Managers on the part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on H. F. No. 667 and that the bill be repassed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on H. F. No. 667 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham.
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Cumming,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The President announced the following Conferees on S. F. No. 959:

Messrs. Rockne, Sullivan, J. D., Sageng, Hopp and Carley.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 646, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right, title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 646

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gillam, from the Committee on Grain and Warehouse, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 931, A concurrent resolution authorizing the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to investigate and determine the proper method of requiring the purchaser of grain, subject to dockage, to reimburse the producers and to report to the next legislature its findings as to proper legislation to enact for that purpose.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1174, A bill for an act legalizing certain deeds, mortgages, satisfactions and releases of mortgages or other liens upon land, powers of attorney and the record thereof heretofore defectively executed, acknowledged or made.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 282, A bill for an act relating to court bonds, undertakings, recognizances and other securities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam (for the Majority), from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 140, A bill for an act declaring the business of making Abstracts of Title to Real Estate a public calling and prescribing the fees to be charged or collected for making such abstracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Messrs. Hopp, Cliff and Cashel, a Minority, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 140, A bill for an act declaring the business of making abstracts of title to real estate a public calling and prescribing the fees to be charged or collected for making such abstracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp moved the adoption of the Minority Report on H. F. No. 140.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Putnam moved the adoption of the Majority Report on H. F. No. 140.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 140

Was indefinitely postponed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 737, A bill for an act to amend Section 8148, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Putnam, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 738, A bill for an act to amend Section 8167, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure by action.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1160, A bill for an act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words "Section 1" where they occur in line 4 of

Section 1 of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 3302".

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ward moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 706,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Ward moved that S. F. No. 945, No. 34 on General Orders, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 945,

Was indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to H. F. No. 1189, and requests a conference committee of five to confer with a like committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 1189 herewith returned.

The Speaker has appointed the following members on conference on the part of the House: Messrs. Praxel, Carlson, Curtis, Leonard and Rodenberg.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Turnham moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like Committee of the House.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following conferees on H. F. No. 1189: Messrs. Turnham, Widell, Cliff, Lee and Carley.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on H. F. No. 6, and re-passed the bill as amended.

H. F. No. 6 herewith transmitted to the Senate for further consideration.

OSCAR ARNESON,
April 21, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
Pres. of the Senate.

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the House and Senate on the Senate amendments to

H. F. No. 6, A bill for an act relating to the registration and sale of motor vehicles and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Reports that said committee has met and considered the disagreeing votes and has agreed to recommend that the House accede to all the Senate amendments except the following, which it recommends to be stricken out:

After the word Treasury where it appears in the fifth line of the amendment as printed on page 36 of the Journal dated April 10, 1919, insert the following:

Providing that in all counties where the Register of Deeds is on a fee basis and where the fees of such office including the fees received under this act does not exceed \$3,000, or where the salary of the Register of Deeds is fixed by special law at \$1,800 or less such fees shall be retained by the Register of Deeds.

Your committee recommends in place of the foregoing Senate amendment, that the following amendment be inserted after the word "Treasury" where it appears in the fifth line of the amendment as printed on page 36 of the Senate Journal dated April 10, 1919:

Provided, however, that in all counties of the state in which the office of the Register of Deeds is on a salary basis said registration fees shall be paid by the Register of Deeds into the county treasury, and that in counties where the Register of Deeds is on a fee basis, or where the salary of the Register of Deeds is fixed by special law at eighteen hundred dollars per year or less, one-half of all such fees shall be paid into the county treasury.

Provided, that in all counties where the Register of Deeds is on a fee basis and where the fees of such office, including the fees received under this act, do not exceed three thousand dollars such fees shall be retained by the Register of Deeds until the total amount of the fees of such office shall reach the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars and all such registration fees received by any such Register of Deeds that would make the total fees of his office exceed three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars shall be paid into the county treasury.

And your committee further recommends the striking out of the following Senate amendment:

By striking out the period at the end of line 8 of Section 2 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and by inserting after the comma the following: "Provided, however, that in all counties of the state in which the office of Register of Deeds is on a salary basis, said registration fees shall be paid by the Register of Deeds into the county treasury and that in counties where the Regis-

ter of Deeds is on a fee basis, one-half of all such fees shall be paid into the county treasury."

And your committee recommends to the respective houses that H. F. No. 6, when amended in accordance with recommendations in this report be re-passed.

Signed:

LEAVITT CORNING,
R. J. PARKER,
B. L. KINGSLEY,
JAMES D. DENEGRE,
JOHN W. HOPP,
N. S. HEGNES.

Conference Committee.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on H. F. No. 6, and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on H. F. No. 6 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley, from the Committee on Civil Administration, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 16, A bill for an act entitled, An act to abolish the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety, and to repeal Chapter 261, Laws of Minnesota, 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 16

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 486, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 466 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1909, defining the method of taxation of grain elevators and warehouses, and grain therein.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 486

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 847, A bill for an act amending Section 2128 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 303, General Laws of Minnesota for year 1917, relating to delinquent taxes.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 847,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 913, A bill for an act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 913,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 946, A bill for an act fixing the amount which may be paid for the publication of delinquent tax lists in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 946,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 393, A bill for an act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more, and providing a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and distribution of such pension and funds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Insert in the title after the words "population of fifty thousand or more" the following: "operating under a home rule charter".

Further amend by renumbering Section 10 as Section 11 and inserting a new section to be known as Section 10, as follows:

"Section 10. This act shall apply only to cities of the first class operating under a charter framed pursuant to Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Handlan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 393, A bill for an act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more, and providing a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and distribution of such pension and funds.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 393,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 393, A bill for an act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more, and providing a fund out of which such

pensions shall be paid and for the establishment of a pension board for the management, control and distribution of such pension and funds.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	

Mr. Jackson voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hopp moved that H. F. No. 849 be read the second time and that the Special Order on H. F. No. 849 be postponed until 10:30 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 849,

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Johnson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and is hereby authorized to draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the accounts set opposite their respective names in payment for expenses, witness fees, etc., in the election contest of George H. Sullivan vs. W. W. Wilcox:

James Manahan, expenses and services.....	\$379.70
Thomas V. Sullivan, expenses and services.....	378.00
Charles W. Barnes	148.60
Stenographer's fees	26.58

Total\$932.88

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. McGarry offered the following resolution:

Whereas, William J. McGarry, engrossing clerk of the Senate, Thomas A. Welch, assistant engrossing clerk, and Georginia Rosseland, stenographer to the Engrossing Committee of the Senate, have rendered exceptionally faithful and efficient services during the 1919 session of this Senate during long hours, night and day, at a rate of compensation the same as during former years when the cost of living and traveling was below present day cost;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he hereby is authorized and requested to draw his warrant in favor of said William J. McGarry for a sum equal to Three Dollars (\$3) per day, and draw his warrant in favor of said Thomas A. Welch for a sum equal to Two Dollars (\$2) per day, and to draw his warrant in favor of said Georginia Rosseland for a sum equal to One Dollar (\$1) per day as additional compensation for each of said persons for the period from January 7, 1919, to April 24, 1919, both days inclusive.

Resolution referred to the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules.

Mr. Brooks moved that the Senate do now recess until 3:30 P. M. Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3:30 P. M.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1099, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by home rule charter to license and regulate civil engineers to do surveying within the corporate limits of such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Guilford moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1099 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar. Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1099,

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 276, A bill for an act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants and over, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 276,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 994, A bill for an act relating to and authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to define, determine, require and enforce adequate street car service in such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 994,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1220, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 148, Session Laws of 1919, the same being an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution, and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections and the acceptance of gifts thereof, and of sites of buildings therefor on conditions specified by the donor, and authorizing the issue of bonds for the housing of such libraries and collections, approved April 2, 1919.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 1220,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1231, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of the first class and not governed under a home rule charter to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense of increasing the police force of the city.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 1231,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 905, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public markets in such cities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "two million five hundred thousand" where the same appear in lines 16 and 17 of Section 1 of the original House bill and substitute in place thereof the words "one million".

Further amend the title of said bill by striking out the figures "\$2,500,000" where the same appear in line two of the title of said act and substitute in place thereof the figures "\$1,000,000".

And when 'so amended that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 905, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public markets in such cities.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 905,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 905, A bill for an act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public markets in such cities.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,
Benson,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hall,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Ward,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 997, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation lands, sites and buildings necessary therefor and to provide for maintaining and operating in connection therewith and therein refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement, and to make rules and regulations relative thereto and provide penalties for violations of such rules and regulations.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "Seventy-five" where the same appear in line nineteen (19) of Section 1 of the original House bill and substitute in place thereof the word "Fifty".

Further amend by striking out the words—

"and provide for maintaining and operating in connection with such stations refreshment stands and reading rooms and such other

forms of recreation and amusement as it shall deem best and proper and by ordinances or resolution to make rules and regulations relating thereto and to provide penalties for violation of such rules and regulations”

where the same appear in lines eight (8) and fourteen (14) of Section 1 of the original House bill.

Further amend by striking out the words—

“and providing for maintaining and operating in connection therewith such stations, refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement”

where the same appear in lines 22 to 25 of Section 1 of the original House bill.

Further amend the title of said act by striking out the words

“and to provide for maintaining and operating in connection therewith and therein refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement”.

where the same appear in lines five to eight of the title of the original House bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 967, A bill for an act amending Sections two (2), five (5) and six (6) of Chapter 194, Laws 1913, being An act to enable municipalities to establish and acquire building line easements along streets, highways, parks and parkways, and defining the nature of such easements.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 967,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 966, A bill for an act fixing and regulating the salary of help in the office of the court commissioner in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 or over.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 966 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 966

Was read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 440, A bill for an act authorizing and providing for the establishment of Retirement Boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants, to provide the funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof, not governed by a Home Rule Charter.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 440

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 575, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 137 of Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to and regulating the construction, alteration, maintenance, occupancy, use, equipment and removal of buildings and apartments for dwelling, lodging, hotel and similar purposes in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 575, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 137 of Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to and regulating the construction, alteration, maintenance, occupancy, use, equipment and removal of buildings and apartments for dwelling, lodging, hotel and similar purposes in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 575

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 575, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 137 of Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to and regulating the construction, alteration, maintenance, occupancy, use, equipment and removal of buildings and apartments for dwelling, lodging, hotel and similar purposes in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Larson,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 376, A bill for an act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 376, A bill for an act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, ma-

terials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 376

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 376, A bill for an act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Frickson,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 774, A bill for an act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue \$5,000.00 in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 836, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 295 of the

Laws of Minnesota 1915 relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the State now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000 and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the figures "\$4.90" where the same appear in the 7th line of Section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$4.70."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Handlan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 836, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 295 of the Laws of Minnesota 1915 relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the State now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000 and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 836,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 836, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 295 of the Laws of Minnesota 1915, relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the state now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000, and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 805, A bill for an act to legalize the refunding bonds of villages in certain cases.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1142, A bill for an act providing for additional clerk hire for Judge of Probate in certain counties.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1128, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge purposes additional to that which is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for purposes of town government, and providing for the collection of such tax and the expenditure of funds derived therefrom.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 1128,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Widell, from the Committee on Towns and Counties, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1041, A bill for an act amending Section 1161, General Statutes 1913, relating to fees of town treasurers, as amended by Chapter 295, Laws 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Gjerset, from the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 890, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 5 of Section 2a, and subdivision 1 of Section 2c of Chapter 288 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905, entitled, An act providing for taxation of, and fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts, and providing for the manner of payment as well as the manner of enforcing payment thereof, as amended by Chapter 372, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, and Chapter 455, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 890,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Nolan, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 508, A bill for an act providing for the establishment of a depositor's guaranty fund to guarantee payments of general deposits and the establishment of a commission to supervise and control such fund; also establishing the rate of interest that may be paid, contracted for, accepted or received by a depositor or depositors, and fixing penalties for violations of this act; and providing for the liquidation of insolvent banks.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Johnson moved as a substitute motion for the recommendation of the committee, that H. F. No. 508 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar with the privilege of amending.

Mr. Nolan moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Blomgren,	Carley,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,
Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Cashel,	Cumming,	Fowler,
Baldwin,	Boylan,	Cliff,	Denegre,	Gandrud,
Benson,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Devold,	Gillam,
Bessette,	Callahan,	Conroy,	Dwyer,	Gjerset.

Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Millett,	Reed,	Turnham,
Guilford,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Hall,	Larson,	Nolan,	Rockne,	Vibert,
Hamer,	Lee,	Nord,	Romberg,	Ward,
Handlan,	Lindsley,	Orr,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Hopp,	Loonam,	Palmer,	Stepan,	Wold,
Jackson,	McGarry,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Johnson,	Madigan,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

Mr. Nolan moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Nolan asked that the following letter be read and printed in the Journal:

The Minnesota Bankers Association
Office of the Secretary, 601 Northwestern Bank Bldg.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

April 19, 1919.

Senator W. A. Nolan,

*Chairman, Committee on Banks and Banking,
Senate Chamber, Saint Paul, Minn.,*

Dear Sir: At a hearing by your committee on the evening of the 15th. inst., the request was made that the undersigned undertake to formulate and suggest amendments to H. F. No. 508, which, in our judgment, would make such a proposed law more adaptable to conditions existing in this state.

It is with regret that we advise you that, after giving the matter careful consideration, we are unable to provide you with the suggestions in the short time allowed us.

It is obvious that very careful consideration ought to be given to the matter, inasmuch as the proposed bill was originally a copy of the South Dakota Guaranty of Deposits law. An entirely different set of conditions exist in the banking system in Minnesota, from those in South Dakota, and with the slight amendments which have been made to the original bill, it does not fit our Minnesota system.

For instance, we have 16 Trust Companies, the majority of which receive deposits. If deposits are to be guaranteed, should the law not include Trust Companies? The same suggestion applies to Savings Banks, and here is a grave question. We have several mutual savings banks, while none exist in South Dakota. If the guaranty of deposits is to apply to all bank deposits, those of mutual savings banks will be affected and we submit the question, can the Legislature of Minnesota, consist-

ently require the present depositors in these banks to provide the portion of the guaranty fund which will be required from them? To consider but one bank in this state, the depositors under such a law, will be required to provide a fund of more than two hundred fifty thousand dollars.

Your attention is called to the fact that many more banks will be affected by this law in Minnesota than in any other state which has enacted a guaranty of deposits law; therefore, the physical difficulties of putting it into operation are much greater. Minnesota has more than double the number of state banks than South Dakota. It required many months of work to pass upon the eligibility of banks in each of these states, and it must be apparent that a far greater time will be required in Minnesota. It is necessary to fix some date at which the law will become operative, and will affect all State banks in the state at the same time; otherwise, a great injustice would be done to the banks which were affected. The bill before your committee contains no provisions to meet these, and other objections, all of which deserve very careful consideration. In these circumstances, we are obliged to report to you that we are unable, in the short time allowed to us, to suggest the changes in the Welch bill, which, in our judgment, would make it a good law for our state.

Very respectfully,

F. E. PEARSON,
M. J. DOWLING,
G. H. RICHARDS.

Which letter was read and ordered printed in the Journal.

The question being taken on the adoption of the substitute motion,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 17 and nays 49, as follows:

: Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Callahan,	Erickson,	Lee,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,			

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Benson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Jackson,	Millett,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	Kuntz,	Nord,
Brooks,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Larson,	Orr,
Carley,	Fowler,	Handlan,	Lindsley,	Palmer,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Petersen,

Putnam,	Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,	Widell,
Rask,	Rockne,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Vibert,	Wold,
Reed,	Sageng,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Ward,	

So the substitute motion was not adopted.

Mr. Nolan moved that the report of the committee on H. F. No. 508 be adopted.

Which report was adopted.

H. F. No. 508

Was indefinitely postponed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 21, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that the Senate Finance Committee be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the state's natural resources; for the maintenance, improvement and enlargement of certain state fish hatcheries, and for land for the same; for maintenance and improvement of State Soldiers' Home; for the maintenance of Minnesota Department G. A. R.; for expense of burial of soldiers and sailors; for maintenance, improvement and repairs, Minnesota State Agricultural Society; for county and district agricultural societies; for various stock breeders, dairymen's, horticultural and poultry associations and societies, farmers' institutes and state apiarist; for county agricultural agents and extension work; for public parks and additions thereto and for the establishment of new public parks; for aid to fire departments; for sheriff's per diem and mileage in certain cases; for wolf bounties; for drainage and highway assessments upon state lands; for vessel tonnage tax; for fees public land collections; for U. S. Land Offices fees; for aid to society for prevention of cruelty; for aid to Minnesota land and lake attractions board; for publication of session law; for maintenance Sibley House; for maintenance State Entomologist and nursery inspection; for state forestry; for maintenance of various state departments; for various semi-state activities; and for other purposes."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The Finance Committee introduced—

S. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the state's natural resources; for the maintenance, improvement and enlargement of certain state fish hatcheries, and for land for the same; for maintenance and improvement of State Soldiers' Home; for the maintenance of Minnesota Department G. A. R.; for expense of burial of soldiers and sailors; for maintenance, improvement and repairs, Minnesota State Agricultural Society; for county and district agricultural societies; for various stock breeders, dairymen's horticultural and poultry associations and societies, farmers' institutes and state apiarist; for county agricultural agents and extension work; for public parks and additions thereto and for the establishment of new public parks; for aid to fire departments; for sheriff's per diem and mileage in certain cases; for wolf bounties; for drainage and highway assessments upon state lands; for vessel tonnage tax; for fees public land collections; for U. S. land offices fees; for aid to society for prevention of cruelty; for aid to Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; for publication of session laws; for maintenance Sibley House; for maintenance state entomologist and nursery inspection; for state forestry; for maintenance of various state departments; for various semi-state activities; and for other purposes.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1056 be given its second reading, printed and placed at the head of the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1056

Was read the second time.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 21, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Millet be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act conferring on the municipal court of the City

of South St. Paul the jurisdiction, powers, duties and rights conferred on probate courts when acting as a juvenile court under the provisions of Chapter 397, Laws 1917; providing that such jurisdiction shall be exercised concurrently with the jurisdiction of the probate court of Dakota county and prescribing the duties of the clerk of said municipal court and the court officer thereof and providing for the payment of the expenses of proceedings in said municipal court when acting as a juvenile court."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this state.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Millet introduced—

S. F. No. 1057, A bill for an act conferring on the municipal court of the City of South St. Paul the jurisdiction, powers, duties and rights conferred on probate courts when acting as a juvenile court under the provisions of Chapter 397, Laws 1917; providing that such jurisdiction shall be exercised concurrently with the jurisdiction of the probate court of Dakota county and prescribing the duties of the clerk of said municipal court and the court officer thereof and providing for the payment of the expenses of proceedings in said municipal court when acting as a juvenile court.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Millet moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 1057, A bill for an act conferring on the municipal court of the City of South St. Paul the jurisdiction, powers, duties and rights conferred on probate courts when acting as a juvenile court under the provisions of Chapter 397, Laws 1917; providing that such jurisdiction shall be exercised concurrently with the jurisdiction of the probate court of Dakota County and prescribing the duties of the clerk of said municipal court and the court officer thereof and providing for the payment of the expenses of proceedings in said municipal court when acting as a juvenile court.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1057

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1057, A bill for an act conferring on the municipal court of the City of South St. Paul the jurisdiction, powers, duties and rights conferred on probate courts when acting as a juvenile court under the provisions of Chapter 397, Laws 1917; providing that such jurisdiction shall be exercised concurrently with the jurisdiction of the probate court of Dakota County and prescribing the duties of the clerk of said municipal court and the court officer thereof and providing for the payment of the expenses of proceedings in said municipal court when acting as a juvenile court.

Was read the third time.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 1041, 1142, 805, 774, 997, 1160, 738, 737, 282, 1174 and 931,

Were read the second time.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee of five members on

S. F. No. 959, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the state government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of state appropriations.

And that the Speaker has appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Christianson, T., Swenson, O. A., Lagersen, Kingley and Murphy.

S. F. No. 959 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 21, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

The Committee on Banks and Banking offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, The bank guarantee of deposits idea has been for several years a question before the legislature of this state and realizing that it will most vitally affect the financial interests not only of the state banks of the state but also other banking institutions, as well as the citizens of the state generally, we believe that whether or not such legislation shall ultimately be deemed wise that it should only be undertaken after the most mature and careful consideration, and the lateness of the session will not permit of such investigation, and

Whereas, Bills presented to this body, namely H. F. No. 508 and others are only copies of laws of another state in which state conditions are materially different, and

Whereas, There are, we believe, many technical irregularities as well as extremely objectionable features in such bills for Minnesota and there is serious doubt as to whether a law on this subject would be practicable and could be made applicable to our state without seriously interfering with the stability of our banking system,

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved, That in order to give the subject matter in question careful and thorough investigation, that a committee of five senators be appointed by the President of the Senate to give earnest consideration to the entire matter during the interim and to submit a report at the regular session of the legislature in 1921.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Guilford moved to amend the resolution found on pages 9 and 10 of the Journal of the Senate of April 11, 1919, by substituting in place of said resolution the following:

Whereas, There has been pending before the Legislature of the State of Minnesota a bill known as H. F. No. 20, being a bill for an act creating a State Industrial Accident Compensation Board for the State of Minnesota; creating an Industrial Insurance Fund; providing for the payment of compensation to injured employes and to the dependents of employes killed in the course of their employment", and

Whereas, The subject matter of said bill is of great importance not only to employe and employer, but also to all the people of the State of Minnesota, and

Whereas, It is necessary that the members of the Legislature should ascertain fully and accurately all facts necessary to the correct solution of the important questions involved in said House File No. 20, before it can intelligently legislate upon the subject matter thereof.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives that a commission of four members be appointed, consisting of two members of the Senate to be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor, and two members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House.

That it shall be the duty of the said Commission :

(1) To thoroughly and carefully investigate and consider the entire subject of State Industrial Accident Compensation and a State Industrial Insurance Fund.

(2) To investigate and consider the operation of laws enacted in other states concerning the above mentioned subject matter so as to determine whether such laws are successful, having due regard to the rights of employers, employees and the public.

(3) To make a written report to the legislature of 1921 on or before January 15, 1921, of the results of their investigation, making specific Findings of Fact as to all matters of importance in reference to the subject matter of their investigation.

(4) To make such conclusions from the facts found as they shall deem advisable.

That the members of such Commission shall be paid the sum of fifteen (\$15.00) dollars per diem for their expenses as members thereof, to be paid out of the legislative expense fund, and before entering upon the performance of their duties shall make and file written acceptance of their appointment with the Secretary of State.

That said Commission shall have authority to employ any needed help and assistance in performing their duties, may compel the attendance of witnesses and administer oaths.

That within twenty (20) days after their appointment and qualification, said Commission shall organize and select a chairman and secretary. The Secretary may or may not be a member of such Commission.

Mr. Fowler moved to amend the substitute resolution, amending the resolution found on Pages 9 and 10 of the Journal of the Senate of April 11, 1919, by striking out the fourth paragraph thereof, and substituting in place thereof the following :

"Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Minnesota, that a commission of five (5) members be appointed, consisting of five (5) members of the Senate, to be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Guilford then moved the adoption of the amendments as amended.

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Besette,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Woid,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the resolution as amended was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that H. F. No. 1239 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed

H. F. No. 1239,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1239, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 176, Laws of 1919, entitled, An act to amend subsection "G" of Section 8230, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employee and workman, and excepting therefrom employees of cities governed by home rule charters, who are compensated under the terms of said charters.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1239,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1239, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 176, Laws of 1919, entitled, An act to amend subsection "G" of Section 8230, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employes and defining the terms employee and workman, and excepting therefrom employees of cities governed by home rule charters, who are compensated under the terms of said charters.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1043, No. 34 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 44, and amendments thereto, of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, relating to drainage as follows: Add to said chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A. Directing the public examiner to adjust the drainage fund accounts in various counties and providing for the payment of the expense thereof. 5548-A. Relating to the division and apportionment of assessments, 5552-C. Providing for the making and filing of a Plat of Tile Drainage Systems, 5597-A. 5597-B, 5597-C, 5597-D, 5597-E and 5597-F. Providing that the overflow from certain municipal sewage systems may be discharged, under certain restrictions into drainage ditches and 5672-B. Providing for additional assessments and bond issue to finish paying cost of ditch under certain conditions. Amend Sections 5480, 5482, 5529, 5532, 5597 and 5635 of the General Statutes of 1913 and also Sections

5481, as amended by Chapter 273 of the General Laws of 1915, 5541, 5571 and 5636 of the said General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, and 5552-A, and 5552-B as contained respectively in Sections 14 and 15 of Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917. Said sections above specified relating to public ditches and the draining of lands. The assessment of damages and benefits resulting therefrom, providing for rehearings of petitions for ditches, providing for drainage into drainage ditches already established. Creating the Department of drainage and waters, providing for officers and defining their duties, prescribing the duties of engineers and state and county officials so far as the same relates to drainage and drainage ditches, providing for appeals in certain cases, providing for the payment of the cost of labor and material and of allowance of claims, providing for payment of bridges over drainage ditches under certain conditions and repealing certain sections.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Peterson moved to amend S. F. No. 1043, reference to the printed bill, as follows:

1. Amend Section 6, line 5, by striking out the word "back" where it occurs therein and insert in lieu thereof the word "fact."

2. Amend Section 6, line 9, by striking out the word "certificate" where it occurs therein and insert in lieu thereof the word "certificates."

3. Amend Section 6, line 11 by striking out the word "of" where it occurs between the words "notice" and "mail" in said line 11 and insert in lieu thereof the word "by."

4. Amend Section 6, line 39, by striking out the word "hereafter" where it occurs therein and insert in lieu thereof the word "hereinafter."

5. Amend Section 6, line 65, by striking out the word "furnished" where it occurs therein and insert in lieu thereof the word "finished."

6. Amend Section 11, line 5, by striking out the figures "\$10.00" where they occur therein and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$12.50."

7. Amend Section 11, line 7, by striking out the figures "\$4.00" where they occur therein and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5.00."

8. Amend Section 11, line 9, by striking out the figures "\$3.00" where they occur therein and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4.00."

9. Amend Section 11, line 11, by striking out the figures "\$2.50" where they occur therein and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4.00."

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Peterson moved to amend S. F. No. 1043 as follows:

1. Insert in line 12 in said Section 13, after the word "plant," the following proviso:

"Provided, however, that in all cases where sewerage systems now exist or are in process of construction in which the storm waters have access to the sewage plant, such systems may nevertheless continue in operation where they have been approved by the State Board of Health, and where they shall from time to time be modified and corrected in such manner as may be specified by the State Board of Health."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Peterson moved to amend S. F. No. 1043 as follows:

By inserting after the word "ascertained" where the same occurs in line 13 of Section 14 of the printed bill, the following: "The town board of any town shall have the same power of condemnation for the purpose of town drainage projects as are possessed by county boards in county ditch proceedings."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Peterson moved to amend S. F. No. 1043 as follows:

Strike out all of the matter contained in lines 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50 of Section 2 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 1043 as follows:

By inserting in line 35 of Section 11 immediately following the word "referee" the words "who shall be a consulting engineer."

Which amendments were adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now recess until 8:00 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 8 P. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Ward moved that H. F. No. 706 be recalled from the House. Which motion prevailed.

Consideration of S. F. No. 1043 continued.

Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 1043 as follows:

1. Strike out the figures "75" where the same occur in line 41 of Section 6 on page 6 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following figures: "85".

2. Strike out the figures "25" where the same occur in line 50 of Section 6 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following figures: "15".

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hall moved to amend S. F. No. 1045 as follows:

By striking out in line 7 of Section 11 the period immediately following the word "bond" and insert in lieu thereof the following characters and words to-wit:

"; Provided, however, upon the completion of any drainage ditch upon application by the engineer to the judge or county board such judge or county board may grant to such engineer additional compensation if such engineering services have been satisfactory.

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Gjerset moved to amend S. F. No. 1043, by striking out the paragraph beginning with line 28 and ending with line 39, in Section 2 of the printed bill.

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Putnam moved to amend S. F. No. 1043 as follows:

By inserting after the word "supplies" where the same occurs in line 50 of Section 6 of the printed bill, the following: "except for tile furnished to the contractor in the construction of the ditch".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Swanson,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS--CONTINUED.

Mr. Vibert called up and moved the adoption of the resolution introduced April 19, by Messrs. Vibert, Bessette and Boylan and which appeared on pages 52 and 53 of the Senate Journal of April 19.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Ward,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Wold,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Swanson,	

Mr. Stepan voted in the negative.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Adams moved that S. F. No. 1052 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1052

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1052 be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1052, A bill for an act amending Section 18 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 116

Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 119 Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to designation of roads and streets as state highways and the improvement thereof, repealing Chapter 342 Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the improvement of county roads within certain cities of the first class in this state.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Adams moved to amend S. F. No. 1052 as follows:

1. Strike out all of the title of the original engrossed copy of said bill, immediately after the word "act", in the second line thereof, and including the word "thereof" in line 7 of said title, and insert in lieu of said words so stricken out the following words, viz:

"Authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over two hundred and fifty million dollars and an area of over five thousand square miles, with the approval of the State Highway Commissioner, to designate any established street or road, or specified portion thereof, lying within the corporate limits of any city, and constituting a connecting link with the parts of a state road leading to and out of any such city."

2. Amend Section 1 of said bill by striking out all of said Section 1 after the figure one (1) in line 1 of said section to the end thereof, and substituting in lieu of said matter so stricken out the following words, viz:

"That in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over two hundred and fifty million dollars exclusive of money and credits and an area of over five thousand square miles, the county board of such county with the approval of the State Highway Commissioner, may designate as a state road any street or road not less than sixty feet in width lying within the corporate limits of any city in said county and constituting a connecting link with any state road leading to and out of any such city, which road or street so designated by said county board as a state highway shall be subject to the approval of the State Highway Commissioner and shall be improved in substantially the manner and according to the rules and procedure provided in Section 18 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended."

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that S. F. No. 361 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 361,

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 361, A bill for an act amending Chapter 250, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915 and authorizing the Secretary of State to modify the contract entered into on behalf of the State of Minnesota for the printing and publishing of the Supreme Court Reports under such act.

Be read the second and third times and placed on its final passage,

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 361,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 361, A bill for an act amending Chapter 250, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915 and authorizing the Secretary of State to modify the contract entered into on behalf of the State of Minnesota for the printing and publishing of the Supreme Court Reports under such act.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Putnam moved the adoption of the amendments as proposed to S. F. No. 361 by the Committee on Judiciary, and which appeared in the Senate Journal for April 16, pages 21 to 25 inclusive.

Which motion prevailed

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Anderson moved that H. F. No. 1034 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1034

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act to amend Section 1143 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the keeping without a license of a billiard, pool or pigeonhole table or bowling alley, and to the exhibiting without a license of any circus, theatrical performance or show of any kind, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1034

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1034, A bill for an act to amend Section 1143 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the keeping without a license of a billiard, pool or pigeonhole table or bowling alley, and to the exhibiting without a license of any circus, theatrical performance or show of any kind, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Anderson moved to amend H. F. No. 1034 by striking out the word "fifty" where said word appears in line 6 of Section 1 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred and fifty."

Further amend by striking out the word "thirty" where said word appears in line 7 of Section 1 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "ninety".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended :

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 803, No. 10 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 803, A bill for an act establishing a Department of Agriculture, providing for the appointment of a commissioner of agriculture, and determining the powers and duties of said commissioner.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Cliff, pursuant to agreement of Conference Committee, offered the following amendment to H. F. No. 803 as amended by the committee, viz :

By striking out all of said bill after the enactment clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following :

"Section 1. There is hereby created a Department of Agriculture for the State of Minnesota. Said department shall be in charge of a commissioner to be known as the "Commissioner of Agriculture,"

who shall be appointed by the Governor for the term of four (4) years; shall receive a salary of forty-five hundred (\$4,500) dollars per annum, and before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take and subscribe the oath required of state officials and give his bond to the State of Minnesota, to be approved by and filed with the Secretary of State for the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties. He shall be provided with a suitable office and equipment at the seat of government and shall have authority to appoint a deputy at a salary not to exceed three thousand (\$3,000) dollars per annum, and such other assistants, clerks and employes as occasion may require, and fix their compensation.

Section 2. Powers and Duties: The Commissioner of Agriculture shall—

(a) Encourage and promote the development of agricultural industries, investigate marketing conditions affecting the marketing of farm products, and assist farmers, producers and consumers in the organization and management of co-operative enterprises and the co-operative marketing of farm products, advise and assist in the location and establishment of local markets whenever the commissioner of agriculture determines that the public necessity or the welfare of the community requires such markets, provided he shall be satisfied that such markets will be successfully operated by a co-operative company or municipality; shall have the assistance of the various county agents throughout the state and they are hereby requested to supply such information and perform such duties as the commissioner of agriculture may require not inconsistent with their duties under existing arrangements, and shall investigate, assist and supply all needed information with reference to the adaptability of grains, fruits and grasses and other agricultural products, to the soil and the climate, and supply all necessary information with reference to the treatment and handling of the various agricultural products, including the diseases thereof and the remedies therefor.

(b) Collect, compile and supply statistics and information in regard to the agricultural products of the state and agricultural industries, and to attain this result he shall cause to be made a complete farm census at least once in two years and may do so annually if deemed advisable, and is authorized to have made and supplied to the county auditors of the several counties, suitable blanks to be used by the assessor in each precinct upon which to make the returns required by the commissioner, and in case where a county assessor is employed, said blanks may be supplied to such assessor and the

said county and local assessors are hereby required as a part of their duties to fill out such blanks according to instructions and when returned to the county assessor or the county auditor shall be forwarded to the commissioner of agriculture to be used by him to compile for distribution in suitable form to persons engaged in agriculture.

(c) Co-operate with federal authorities and the Government Department of Agriculture, with financial agencies created to assist in the development of agricultural resources of the state, and so far as practicable, may utilize the facilities provided by the existing State Department and the various state and county organizations maintained by agriculturalists and horticulturalists.

(d) Provide for the inspection and grading for the purpose of sale when deemed necessary, of eggs, fruits, potatoes, vegetables and other farm products, except grain, hay, straw and livestock, at each of the terminal markets in this state and at such other marketing points within the state as the commissioner may determine, and provide for the issuing of certificates of inspection showing the grade, quality, and condition of such produce.

(e) Each year at the time the potato crop is harvested, establish grades of potatoes for that year if deemed advisable, after giving notice by publication of at least two weeks of the time and place of hearing therefor. Such hearings may be held in different parts of the state and such rules may be adopted and prescribed as may be necessary to classify and grade the different kinds of potatoes.

(f) At all times have access to all buildings, yards, warehouses, storage or transportation facilities in which any farm produce, grain or other product or stock is kept stored, handled or transported, and shall have the right to make all necessary investigations relative thereto, consistent with the purposes of this act.

(g) Whenever farm produce is consigned to or received by a broker or commission merchant for sale on commission at a terminal market in this state, and such broker or commission merchants finds the same to be in a spoiled, damaged or unmarketable condition, he shall, unless the owner of such produce shall waive inspection, before selling such produce, cause the same to be examined by an inspector designated by the commis-

sioner for that purpose and said inspector shall execute and deliver a certificate stating the day and time and place of inspection and the condition of such produce.

Section 3. The powers and duties conferred upon the railroad and warehouse commission under the provisions of Sections 4598, 4599, 4600, 4602, 4603 and 4604 of the General Statutes of 1913, are hereby transferred to and vested in the commissioner of agriculture, and he is hereby authorized to exercise all the powers and authorities therein granted to the railroad and warehouse commission, except such as relates to grain, hay and straw or to the milling or warehousing of grain and in all cases when an inspection is provided for, shall charge such fee as the commission shall specify.

Section 4. Said commissioner is also authorized to receive complaints against any parties dealing in, shipping or selling farm products except grain, hay and straw, and livestock, and shall have full authority to make all necessary investigations relative to any transaction, especially in all complaints with reference to combinations in violation of the anti-trust law, delays in furnishing cars, delays in transportation or improper freight charges and all matters relative to the purchase, handling, storage, shipment or sale of food or farm products except grain, hay, straw and livestock, and shall have and is hereby granted full authority to issue subpoenas, requiring the attendance of witnesses before him at a time and place specified, and to compel the delivery and production before him of books, papers and other documents, articles or instruments, and compel the disclosure by such witnesses of all facts known to them relative to such investigation, and shall have full authority to administer oaths, and take testimony; and all parties disobeying the orders or subpoenas of said commissioner, shall be guilty of contempt in the same manner as in proceedings in district courts of the state and may be punished in like manner. The commissioner of agriculture is authorized, if upon such investigation, he is satisfied that the laws of the state have been violated, to cause to be instituted in his own name as commissioner or in the name of the state, actions in the proper court, to secure the punishment of the guilty party; and if the party complained against is a corporation, to secure the cancellation of their authority and the annulment of their corporate existence, if a domestic corporation. The Attorney General is hereby required to assign a deputy to act as advisor for the commissioner of agriculture, and

to institute and maintain the actions herein provided for, when sufficient evidence is available to warrant the institution of such proceedings.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the commissioner of agriculture each year thereafter at as early a date as practicable following the harvesting of the wheat crop, and from time to time thereafter as he may deem proper, to procure samples of wheat from various parts of the state of sufficient amount and variety to give a fair average of the grain of each locality and have a careful scientific test made thereof or of such portions as he deems essential to ascertain the amount of foreign matter of injurious elements or other defect therein that affects the value or use of said grain for flour without the removal of such foreign elements or defect and ascertain and determine the cost of such removal and the value of the material removed and cause scientific tests to be made and ascertain the number of pounds and grade of flour and feed that can be produced from the various kinds and grades of wheat and shall furnish for publication throughout the state all such information secured.

Section 6. The commissioner of agriculture is also authorized when deemed necessary or expedient to cause to be published a bulletin at such periods as he deems advisable, setting forth the quotations for which produce has been sold in the principal markets of the state, and give advice as to the available supply of the principal farm produce and as to the demand in the several markets for local as well as foreign produce, and shall supply to the various companies or associations throughout the state instructions as to the most efficient method of standardizing, packing and transportation of farm produce and all rules and regulations made by the department relative thereto.

Section 7. Offenses.

Any commission merchant or broker doing business under license issued by the commissioner of agriculture who shall:

(a) Impose false charges for handling or services in connection with farm produce; or

(b) Fails to account for such farm produce promptly and properly and to make settlements therefor, with intent to defraud; or

(c) Directly or indirectly purchases for his own account goods received by him upon consignment except with the consent of the owner; or

(d) Makes false statements as to grade, condition, markings,

quality or quantity of goods shipped or packed in any manner with intent to deceive; or

(e) Makes any charges for commissions, or otherwise, in excess of those authorized by the department of agriculture;

Is guilty of a misdemeanor, and the commissioner may forthwith revoke the license granted such merchant or broker and direct his bond to be forfeited and recover from such party or his bondsmen, all damages that may be sustained by any party injured by reason of the acts complained of.

Section 8. The commissioner shall biennially, on or before the second Tuesday in December in each even numbered year, submit to the Governor and the Legislature a report of his department with such recommendations and suggestions as the interests of agriculture and foods and marketing conditions require.

Section 9. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Section 10. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after June 1st, 1919."

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Millet moved to amend H. F. No. 803 as follows:

Strike out all of subdivision "G" of Section 2, in line 29 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"To inspect all stockyards within the state including terminal yards, establish rules providing for their preservation in sanitary condition and inspect all matters pertaining to the care, handling and weighing of livestock and take such steps as he may deem necessary to secure the proper care and weighing of such stock, and said Commissioner and his representatives shall at all times have access to all buildings, yards, warehouses, storage or transportation facilities in which any farm produce, grain or other product or stock is kept, stored, handled or transported, and shall have the right to make all necessary investigations relative thereto, consistent with the purposes of this act."

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,
Anderson,
Baldwin,

Benson,
Blomgren,
Bonniwell,

Boylan,
Brooks,
Carley,

Cashel,
Cliff,
Coleman,

Cosgrove
Cumming,
Denegre,

Devold,	Hall,	Kuntz,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Dwyer,	Hamer,	Larson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Erickson,	Handlan,	Lee,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Fowler,	Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Gandrud,	Hopp,	McGarry,	Rask,	Vibert,
Gillam,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Ward,
Gooding,	Johnson,	Millett,	Sageng,	Wold,
Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended and that H. F. No. 170 be made a Special Order for 10 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 374, No. 42 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 374, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 131 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to conveyances by husband and wife of insane or incompetent persons.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Larson,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford moved that H. F. No. 1240 be taken from the table. Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1240

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Guilford moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1240 be given its second reading and placed on the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1240

Was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley called up and moved the adoption of the resolution offered by him and which appeared in the Senate Journal of April 10, page 8.

Which resolution was adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1035, No. 104 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1035, A bill for an act to amend the title and Sections 1, 2, 4, and 13 of Chapter 272, Laws 1915 which Chapter is entitled, An act relating to the duties of coroners and prescribing the manner and procedure of holding examinations and inquests by coroners in counties having a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Ribena k,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1145, No. 25 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1145, A bill for an act to fix the salary of county auditors in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset.	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House refuses to accede to the request of the Senate for the return of the following House File:

H. F. No. 706, A bill for an act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Statutes 1915, relating to taxation of insurance companies.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bonniwell moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 940, No. 35 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 940, A bill for an act relating to dangerous railroad crossings over streets and public highways.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Johnson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, April 22, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Petersor,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, and that the Special Order on H. F. No. 849 be taken up for consideration immediately after the disposition of the Special Order on H. F. No. 170.

Which motion prevailed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 10 A. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of H. F. No. 170.

Mr. Sageng moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Besette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Sageng moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Coleman moved that the vote, whereby the report of the Committee on H. F. No. 170 on April 19th was adopted, be now re-considered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Coleman moved the adoption of the amendments as offered to H. F. No. 170, and which appeared in the Senate Journal as of April 19, pages 54 to 58 inclusive.

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendments,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 14 and nays 53, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Brooks,	Denegre,	Fowler,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Callahan,	Devold,	Putnam,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Dwyer,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Besette,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Gooding,	Larson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lee,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Reed,	Ward,
Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Rockne,	
Cumming,	Hopp,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the amendments were not adopted.

Mr. Coleman moved the adoption of the report of the Committee on Elections on H. F. No. 170, as reported and adopted on April 19th and re-considered on April 22nd.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sageng moved to amend H. F. No. 170 by inserting between the words "of" and "endorsing" where they occur in next to the last line of Section 1 of the bill as reported in the Senate Journal for Saturday, April 19, the words "adopting a platform and."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved to amend the amendment to H. F. No. 170 as reported by the Committee on Elections by inserting after the words "elective offices" in line 6 of Section 1 of said amendment found on page 54 of the Senate Journal of Saturday, April 19, the words: "who are to be elected by the voters throughout the entire state and also representatives in the Congress of the United States."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Benson moved to amend Section 1 of H. F. No. 170 as reported in Senate Journal of Saturday, April 19, 1919, pages 53 and 54, by striking out the word "Laws" where it appears in line 1 on said page 54, and inserting in place thereof the words "General Statutes."

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Coleman moved to amend H. F. No. 170 as amended by committee, as follows:

Amend H. F. No. 170 by adding to Section 1 of said bill, the following words:

"Provided, that all delegates to such state conventions shall be apportioned among the several counties as nearly equal as may be, in accordance with the votes cast at the next preceding general election for such party's candidate for Governor and the apportionment of delegates to all such conventions shall be made by the Secretary of State from the official election returns."

Which amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend H. F. No. 170, by striking out all of Section 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. The name of each person recommended by his party convention shall be printed first in the list of candidates upon the official primary ballot, and any rotation of names upon such ballot required by law shall not affect the position of his name thereon, with the statement following his name that he is recommended by his party convention; thus:

For Governor: John Doe,

Recommended by.....party convention.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 41 and nays 26, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Van Hoven.
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Rask,	Ward,
Benson,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Widell,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rockne,	Wold,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Brooks,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Palmer,	Turnham,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Swanson,
Carley,	Erickson,	Lee,	Orr,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cumming,	Jackson,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1159, No. 24 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1159, A bill for an act to amend Sections 2896 and 2897, General Statutes 1913, relating to payment of school funds to counties by state treasurer and the apportionment thereof by county auditors.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Orr,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE.

Mr. Hegnes moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 556 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Colman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cesgrove,	Guilford,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 156, A bill for an act to empower any city of the third and fourth classes in the State of Minnesota, whether existing under a special or general law, or under a home rule charter, to prescribe reasonable rates under which public service corporations supplying gas or current for electric lighting or power purposes and occupying the streets and public places of any such city may operate within any such city.

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OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 156 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 61 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested herewith returned:

S. F. No. 307, A bill for an act to amend subdivision three, Section one, of Chapter 400 of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain State Officials and employes.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 453, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3228 and 3239, General Statutes 1913, relating to the office of public examiner.

S. F. No. 664, A bill for an act to amend Section 3712, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the sale of unwholesome substances for use as food and the penalties for violation thereof.

S. F. No. 673, A bill for an act to amend Section 3678, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of operators of testing apparatus, and the penalties for violation thereof.

S. F. No. 663, A bill for an act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 47, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, entitled, An act requiring all places or receptacles where any fruit or any food products are manufactured, packed, stored, deposited, kept, collected, prepared,

produced, sold or served to be kept and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, providing for inspection of all such places and prescribing penalties and punishments for violations hereof.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Dwyer moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 307 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hall,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	Wold,

Messrs. Bonniwell and Johnson voted in the negative.

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 659, No. 38 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 659, A bill for an act authorizing cities and villages to license and regulate the sale of non-intoxicating beverages.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Schmechel	
Coleman,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Stepan,	

Messrs. Bonniwell and Boylan voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that H. F. No. 1199 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1199

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1199, A bill for an act authorizing the issuance of bonds by counties in certain cases.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1199

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1199, A bill for an act authorizing the issuance of bonds by counties in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Hegnes,
Anderson,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Jackson,
Baldwin,	Carley,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Johnson,
Benson,	Cashel,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,
Bessette,	Cliff,	Fowler,	Hall,	Kuntz,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	Hamer,	Larson,

Lindsley,	Nord,	Rask,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,
McGarry,	Orr,	Reed,	Stepan,	Vibert,
Madigan,	Palmer,	Ribenack,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Ward,
Naplin,	Peterson,	Romberg,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Widell,
Nolan,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Swanson,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 94, No. 51 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 94, A bill for an act relating to the furnishing of samples of grain by the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, to the fees for such service, and to the breaking of seals on cars of grain.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lee,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Widell,
Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rask,	Wold,
Denegre,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjeraset moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 824, No. 94 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 824, A bill for an act to amend Section 2272, General Statutes of 1913, fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lec,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1083, No. 83 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1083, A bill for an act limiting the time within which an action may be brought to set aside certain deeds and mortgages made by executors and administrators, and legalizing such deeds and mortgages.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has

adopted a resolution of condolence in the death of Loren Fletcher, upon which concurrence of the Senate is requested.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

A concurrent resolution, introduced by Messrs. Girling, Wilkinson and Warner :

Whereas, Almighty God in His infinite wisdom has called from our midst the Hon. Loren Fletcher, who served the people of the State of Minnesota in an able manner as a member of the Legislature from 1873 to 1883 at which time he occupied the Chair as Speaker of the House from 1881 to 1883, and in the Congress of the United States from 1893 to 1903 and from 1905 to 1907, and

Whereas, he was a territorial pioneer of Minnesota, a sturdy character who was always in the front of the battle in all matters important to the State of Minnesota, and

Whereas, all who knew him loved and honored him for his uprightness, his courage, his generosity and his steadfast loyalty ;

Now therefore, be it resolved, by the Minnesota House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that it is with profound sorrow and deep regret that we learn of the death of the Hon. Loren Fletcher ;

Resolved, that we extend to the people of the State of Minnesota and his many personal friends in his home county of Hennepin, our deepest sympathy in their great loss.

Be it further resolved, that the Chief Clerk be, and he is hereby authorized to have an engrossed copy of this resolution sent to the niece of the deceased, Mrs. Major Cole.

Mr. Benson moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate do now recess until 3 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 3:00 P. M.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.*Hon. Thos. Frankson,*
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 22, 1919.

Sir: I respectfully request that Senator Gjerset be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act authorizing any mutual company, maintaining a guaranty fund equal to the capital stock of a like stock company, to issue policies of insurance without contingent liability and authorizing any such company writing workmen's compensation or liability insurance to write automobile insurance."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the Constitution of this State.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gjerset introduced—

S. F. No. 1058, A bill for an act authorizing any mutual company, maintaining a guaranty fund equal to the capital stock of a like stock company, to issue policies of insurance without contingent liability and authorizing any such company writing workmen's compensation or liability insurance to write automobile insurance.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended and that,

S. F. No. 1058, A bill for an act authorizing any mutual company, maintaining a guaranty fund equal to the capital stock of a like stock company, to issue policies of insurance without contingent liability and authorizing any such company writing workmen's compensation or liability insurance to write automobile insurance.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1058,

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 1058, A bill for an act authorizing any mutual company, maintaining a guaranty fund equal to the capital stock of a like stock company, to issue policies of insurance without contingent liability and authorizing any such company writing workmen's compensation or liability insurance to write automobile insurance.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none,

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, April 21, 1919.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I respectfully request that the Senate Finance Committee be permitted to introduce a bill entitled:

"A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government, authorizing the State Auditor to credit on pending logging permits amounts heretofore paid on certain other logging permits, all issued to the same party, and for other purposes."

This request is made under and in accordance with Section 1, Article 4, of the State Constitution.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS—CONTINUED.

The Committee on Finance introduced—

S. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government, authorizing the State Auditor to credit on pending logging permits amounts heretofore paid on certain other logging permits, all issued to the same party, and for other purposes.

Which was read for the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1059 be given its second reading, printed and placed at the head of the Calendar.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1059,

Was read the second time.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 3:00 P. M. having arrived, the President announced the Special Order to be the consideration of H. F. No. 849.

Mr. Hopp moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Coserove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hammer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

Mr. Hopp moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 849, A bill for an act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right,

title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.

Was read the third time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Adams moved that the Majority Report on H. F. No. 849 be adopted.

Mr. Hopp moved as a substitute motion, that the Minority Report on H. F. No. 849 be adopted.

The question being taken on the adoption of the Minority Report, And the roll being called, there were yeas 33 and nays 34, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold.
Cashel,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the minority report was not adopted.

The question that recurred on the adoption of the Majority Report, And the roll being called, there were yeas 34 and nays 33, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Fowler,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Millett,	Sageng,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Larson,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hopp,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Jackson,	Madigan,	Romberg,	

So the majority report was adopted.

H. F. No. 849

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Adams moved that the vote whereby H. F. No. 849 was indefinitely postponed, be now reconsidered.

Which motion did not prevail.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following House File, and have re-passed the bill as amended:

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the state educational institutions and for other purposes.

H. F. No. 1193 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

*To the Honorable Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate,
And to Honorable W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House.*

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of the House and Senate upon the disagreeing votes as to the Senate amendments to:

H. F. No. 1193, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the state educational institutions and for other purposes.

Beg leave to report that we have conferred; and hereby make the following report:

That the House recede from its refusal to adopt the Senate amendments to said H. F. No. 1193 and have agreed to all of the amendments proposed to said H. F. No. 1193 by the Senate.

THEODORE CHRISTIANSON,
WM. L. BERNARD,
JNO J. SLITER,
S. J. SWANSON,
F. J. MCPARTLIN,

Managers on the part of the House.

A. J. ROCKNE,
HENRY N. BENSON,
F. R. PALMER,
FRED D. VIBERT,
CHARLES E. ADAMS,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on H. F. No. 1193 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on H. F. No. 1193 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Guilford,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 337, and that a Conference Committee of five (5) be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following conferees on S. F. No. 337: Messrs. Carley, Jackson, Bonniwell, Larson and Madigan.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1065, No. 10 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1065, A bill for an act authorizing the incorporation of co-operative associations and defining their powers.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has refused to concur in the Senate amendments to the following House File and request a conference committee of five members of the Senate to confer with a like committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 170, A bill for an act providing for the nomination and certification of candidates for certain State and Federal offices and repealing acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Messrs. Warner, Hompe, Norton, Wilkinson and Howard being appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 170 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 22, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following conferees on H. F. No. 170:

Messrs. Sageng, Putnam, Rockne, Sullivan, J. D., and Gillam.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following House File which committee is unable to agree and re-

quest that the Committee on Conference be discharged and a new Committee of Conferees be appointed:

H. F. No. 1189, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate, and codify the laws of this state relating to the preservation, protection, and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating therto.

Messrs. Praxel, Grant, McLaughlin, Frisch and Fawcett being appointed as such new committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 1189 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the House and Senate on the Senate amendments to

H. F. No. 1189, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate, and codify the laws of this state relating to the preservation, protection, and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating therto.

Reports that said committee has met and considered the disagreeing votes and after a full and free consideration of the subject matter the committee was unable to agree and request that the Committee on Conference be discharged and that a new Committee of Conference be appointed to confer further upon the disagreeing votes of the Senate amendments.

Signed,

GEO. A. TURNHAM,
F. L. CLIFF,
JAMES A. CARLEY,
GUSTAF WIDELL,
IVER J. LEE,

Managers on the part of the
Senate.

A. J. PRAXEL,
B. H. CURTIS,
HUGH LEONARD,
GEO. W. RODENBERG,
C. O. CARLSON,

Managers on the part of the
House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS— CONTINUED.

Mr. Turnham moved the adoption of the foregoing conference report on H. F. No. 1189.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference report on H. F. No. 1189 adopted.

Mr. Turnham moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following conferees on H. F. No. 1189:

Messrs. Benson, Gjerset, Guilford, McGarry and Nolan.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1056, No. 1 on Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the state's natural resources; for the maintenance, improvement and enlargement of certain state fish hatcheries, and for land for the same; for maintenance and improvement of state soldiers' home; for the maintenance of Minnesota Department G. A. R.; for expense of burial of soldiers and sailors; for maintenance, improvement and repairs, Minnesota State Agricultural Society; for county and district agricultural societies; for various stock breeders, dairymen's, horticultural and poultry associations and societies, farmers' institutes and state apiarist; for county agricultural agents and extension work; for public parks and additions thereto and for the establishment of new public parks; for aid to fire departments; for sheriffs' per diem and mileage in certain cases; for wolf bounties; for drainage and highway assessments upon state lands; for vessel tonnage tax; for fees public land collections; for U. S. land offices fees; for aid to Society for Prevention of Cruelty; for aid to Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; for publication of Session Laws; for maintenance Sibley House;

for maintenance state entomologist and nurse inspection; for state forestry; for maintenance of various state departments; for various semi-state activities; and for other purposes.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 1056 by inserting after Section 18 thereof the following:

“Section 19. Minnesota War Records Commission.
For assembling state war records collection, supervising
work of county war records committees and compiling
service records to be expended by the Minnesota
War Records Commission. \$5,000.00

Section 20. State Board for Vocational Education.
For aid in the training and instruction of persons whose
capacity to earn a living has in any way been de-
stroyed or impaired through industrial accident as
provided for in S. F. No. 284, 1919 Session. \$15,000.00

Further amend by renumbering Section 19 as Section 22.”

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rockne moved to amend S. F. No. 1056 by striking out the figures “1921” where they appear in line 36 of Section 14 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures “1920.”

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Guilford, Lee,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now recess until 8:30 P. M.
Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 8:30 P. M.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 21, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 183, An act amending Section 2 of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, which said chapter is entitled, An act to enable the guardians of insane persons to furnish aid for the support and maintenance of children of insane persons in certain cases, the same being Section 7450, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, and legalizing prior proceedings.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 21, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 254, An act to amend Section 4379 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 254, Session Laws, 1915, relating to railroads.

S. F. No. 794, An act to amend Sections 1038 and 1039 General Laws of 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915, and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws of 1917, and Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 511, Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 330,000 inhabitants or over.

S. F. No. 797, An act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465 of General Laws of 1907 and Chapter 126 of General Laws of 1911, and Chapter 263 of General Laws of 1917, and Chapter 482 of General Laws of 1917, and to amend Section 287 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries and fixing the duties of certain city officers.

S. F. No. 969, An act to amend Section 824 General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of Minnesota, for 1917, Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915 as amended by Chapter 472, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2 of Chapter 366, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 376, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Sections 2, 3 and 4, Chapter 361, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1909, as amended by Chapter 203, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 137, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapters 510 and 481, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, Section 2, Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 129, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 1, Chapter 142, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 434, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 2, Chapter 193, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 412, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, Section 1, Chapter 80, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Chapter 190, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 83, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, Section 3 of Chapter 122 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911 as amended by Section 3, Chapter 191 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, Section 1008, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, regulating salaries of certain county officers, their assistants, deputies and clerks in all counties in this state having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than two hundred and twenty thousand (220,000) and less than three hundred and thirty thousand (330,000) inhabitants.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

April 21, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 262, An act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

April 21, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 9, An act to amend Sections 2557, 2558, 2559 and 2560 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, relating to highways.

S. F. No. 99, An act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913 relating to the practice in and fixing the compensation of judges, clerks and stenographic reporter of the Municipal Court of the City of St. Paul.

S. F. No. 112, An act entitled, An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any city now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to fix the salary of the assistant fire chief of such city.

S. F. No. 147, An act relating to compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.

S. F. No. 162, An act to amend Section 6171, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the manner of filling vacancies in the Board of Directors of corporations.

S. F. No. 194, An act authorizing any village of this state now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant to dispose of surplus electricity to consumers outside the corporate limits of such village.

S. F. No. 238, An act to amend Section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the duties of the clerk of the county board of education of unorganized territory, and providing for the publication of the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of such board.

S. F. No. 247, An act to provide for the elimination of certain lands from state forests.

S. F. No. 256, An act fixing the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.

S. F. No. 306, An act to amend Sections 1, 2 and 3, Chapter 65, of the Laws of 1915, relating to mutual liability insurance associations.

S. F. No. 387, An act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 229 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895 entitled, An act to establish municipal courts in incorporated cities having a population of less than five thousand (5000) inhabitants.

S. F. No. 394, An act permitting the forwarding of a check direct to payor.

S. F. No. 429, An act to amend Section 2979 General Statutes 1913, relating to compulsory school attendance, and to establish the English language as the basic language of instruction.

S. F. No. 451, An act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 500, General Laws of 1913, relating to county tuberculosis sanatoria.

S. F. No. 515, An act to amend Section 2226, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of railroad companies owning or operating any line of railroad situate within or partly within this state, and to provide for the submission of this act to the people of this state for their approval or rejection.

S. F. No. 544, An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 378, Laws of 1917, relating to railroads and the delivery of live stock at stock yards.

S. F. No. 551, An act to empower counties bordering on the Red River of the North to make appropriations to aid and assist townships within said counties bordering on said river in paying for, erecting, repairing and improving and rebuilding bridges across the said Red River of the North in such townships.

S. F. No. 557, An act to amend Sections 1204, General Statutes 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

S. F. No. 566, An act to repeal certain acts authorizing cities of the first class to issue the bonds of any such city.

S. F. No. 567, An act to amend Section 3345 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 207 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to disposition of fire department aid.

S. F. No. 577, An act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health and the administration of the charities and corrections of such cities, and defining the powers and duties of such department.

S. F. No. 726, An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 224, Laws 1917, which said chapter is entitled: An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision of such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

S. F. No. 746, An act to amend Section 6434 General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the power of a local building and loan association to deal in real estate.

S. F. No. 814, An act to amend Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.

S. F. No. 914, An act to amend Section One, (1) of Chapter 617 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: Relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in Municipal Courts.

S. F. No. 963, An act to amend Sections 37, 43, 53, 60 and 62 of Chapter 400, Session Laws 1917, entitled: "An act to conform the organization, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the federal law relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency."

S. F. No. 1018, An act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision in such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on

S. F. No. 337, A bill for an act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a state expert printer, and defining their duties.

Messrs. Teigen, Warner, Nordgren, Haugland and Girling as such committee on the part of the House.

H. F. No. 337, herewith transmitted:

April 22, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 219, A bill for an act relating to insurance.

April 22, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1055, A bill for an act to legalize the proceedings of city councils of cities of the fourth class and the election had in connection with the issuing of bonds for sewerage and electric lighting purposes.

S. F. No. 265, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 156 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, the same being an act relating to sheriffs and their deputies and other assistants in counties containing not less than eighty Con-

gressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000 and to the salaries of such deputies and assistants.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1160, No. 125 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1160, A bill for an act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Millett,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Wold,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Callahan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1045, No. 54 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1045, A bill for an act fixing the rate of interest upon unpaid state auditor's drafts in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Millett,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Reed,	
Boylan,	Gjerstet,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1046, No. 61 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1046, A bill for an act to amend Sections 78 and 82, General Statutes, 1913, relating to duties of state treasurer, and repealing Chapter 524, Laws of 1913, providing for additional report by State Treasurer.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Reed,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1161, No. 73 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1161, A bill for an act providing for the payment of delinquent taxes against freight line companies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Benson,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	
Callahan,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1043, No. 34 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Section 845, General Statutes, 1913, relating to receipts and payments of money by county treasurer.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1155, No. 59 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1155, A bill for an act creating a State Board of Deposit and repealing Sections 91, 93, 94, 95, 96 and 97, General Statutes 1913, and Chapter 396, Laws of 1917, said sections and chapter being inconsistent with this act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Boylan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 627, No. 90 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 627, A bill for an act to regulate the repapering, repainting and re-calculining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 777, No. 92 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 777, A bill for an act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Peterson moved to amend H. F. No. 777 by adding to the end of Section 1 the following words:

Provided that this act shall not affect any action now pending in court.

Which amendment was not adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Nord,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rask,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that S. F. No. 630, No. 96 on General Orders, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 630,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rockne moved that the vote whereby H. F. No. 631 failed to pass, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 631, A bill for an act to establish the Ninth State Fish Hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commis-

sioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 337, A bill for an act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a state expert printer, and defining their duties.

S. F. No. 670, A bill for an act authorizing the state board of control, with the approval of the state auditor, to select from the public lands owned by the state not to exceed four sections of land to be used as a location for the maintenance of a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons, authorizing the improvement of such lands by the state board of control, and providing for the admission of persons thereto, and providing for the transfer of inmates from the colony for epileptics and the school for feeble-minded at Faribault to such colonies, and directing the withdrawal of the lands selected from sale or disposition.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 545, A bill for an act to amend Section 2375, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 394, Laws of 1917; Sections

2376 and 2377 Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws of 1917 and Section 2377, Revised Laws of 1905, which said sections relate to "Noxious Weeds."

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1228, A bill for an act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes, and appropriating \$40,000 out of the general revenue fund of the state to be loaned to such villages on such bonds for the state by the state board of investment.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE.

Mr. Nolan moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 670 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 151, A bill for an act to amend sub-section 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1913, which Chapter 400 is entitled "An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees," so far as the same relates to the salaries and compensation of the officers and employes of the Department of Labor and Industries, and authorizing the transfer of certain funds from the contingent fund of said department to the maintenance fund thereof.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Carley moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 151, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Reed,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1001, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 2632, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, prescribing regulations concerning the driving of motor vehicles.

S. F. No. 924, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3343 and 3344, General Statutes 1913, which said sections as so amended relate to the taxation of insurance companies.

S. F. No. 441, A bill for an act to amend Section 7305, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the making of verified inventories by executors and administrators, and returning the same to probate courts.

S. F. No. 474, A bill for an act to validate certain bonds heretofore purchased by the State Board of Investment with the funds of the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 727, A bill for an act to prescribe the summons in municipal courts in villages and cities of the fourth class, however organized.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1064, A bill for an act relating to insurance adjusters.

H. F. No. 1204, A bill for an act to amend Section 1720 Revised Laws 1905, (Section 3611 Statutes 1913) which Section prescribes penalties for the failure of insurance companies to comply with the law with reference to the filing of their annual statement.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Bessette, from the Committee on Reconstruction and Relief, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 807, A bill for an act relating to the establishment of zones for protection against fires around certain cities and villages in this state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Section 6 in the typewritten bill, and re-numbering Sections 7 and 8 as Sections 6 and 7.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 807, A bill for an act relating to the establishment of zones for protection against fires around certain cities and villages in this state.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 807

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 807, A bill for an act relating to the establishment of zones for protection against fires around certain cities and villages in this state.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 101, No. 29 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 101, A bill for an act concerning and defining the rights, duties and responsibilities of inn-keepers, hotel-keepers and landlords, and for the protection of their guests, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing sections 6080, 6081, 8969, General Statutes 1913, and Section 5164 Revised Laws 1905.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Gjerset moved to amend H. F. No. 101 as amended, by inserting at the end of Section 3, the following:

“Provided, that proof on behalf of the guest of the bringing of his property to the hotel or inn under the foregoing provisions, the loss thereof, and ordinary care on his part, shall be proof prima facie of negligence on part of the hotel keeper or inn keeper.”

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset.	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove.	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested:

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

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Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 602 and that a Conference Committee of five (5) be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President of the Senate appointed the following conferees on S. F. No. 602: Messrs. Swanson, Hall, Hegnes, Cumming and Carley.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 792, A bill for an act to legalize defective mortgage or mechanics lien foreclosure sales heretofore made and the record thereof.

Also the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 456, A bill for an act authorizing the creating of retirement fund associations and the granting of annuities to retired school janitors, engineers and firemen in cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants and providing a fund out of which such annuities may be paid.

H. F. No. 847, A bill for an act regulating the use of headlamps on motor vehicles and providing for the enforcement of same.

H. F. No. 1030, A bill for an act to cure defects in the service of notice of expiration of time of redemption upon tax sale certificates, where notice of expiration of redemption was duly issued within six years after the tax sale but the sixty day limit for redemption did not expire within six years after the date of this tax judgment sale.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Denegre moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 792 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none,

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,
Baldwin,
Benson,

Bessette,
Blomgren,
Brooks,

Callahan,
Carley,
Cashel,

Cliff,
Coleman,
Cosgrove,

Cumming,
Denegre,
Devold,

Dwyer,	Hall,	Madigan,	Rask,	Turnham,
Erickson,	Hamer,	Millett,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Fowler,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Gandrud,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Ward,
Gillam,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Guilford,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 666, A bill for an act providing for the codification and revision of the dairy and food laws.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1050, A bill for an act relieving counties of liability to incorporated cities, boroughs or villages on account of the failure of county auditors to apportion, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 239, General Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 159, Laws of 1915, penalties and interest accruing upon taxes heretofore levied upon real estate.

S. F. No. 961, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 118, of the Laws of 1915, relating to appropriations for armories or organizations of the Minnesota National Guard.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 666 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none. as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Nord,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hammer,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Nolan,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 529, A bill for an act relating to life or casualty insurance upon the co-operative or assessment plan.

S. F. No. 647, A bill for an act relating to the election of trustees in villages organized under and governed by Chapter 145 General Laws of Minnesota 1885.

S. F. No. 271, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 459, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 231, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 192, Laws 1915, as amended by Chapter 31, Laws 1917, relating to the issuance by the State Auditor of leases on school, university, internal improvement, swamp and other state lands in which the state may have an interest for taking sand, clay, rock, marl, peat and black dirt therefrom, storing thereon ore, waste materials from mines, rock and tailings from ore milling plants, and for building or garden sites and for other uses.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 454, A bill for an act to fix the salaries of the public examiner and of the several employes in his office.

S. F. No. 809, A bill for an act to provide that the positions of director of the State Teachers' Employment Bureau and Secretary Board of Trustees of the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund may be held by the same person and that his salary may be paid one-half from the Department of Education maintenance appropriation and one-half from the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 657, A bill for an act to amend Section 8, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, being an act to provide state aid for public schools and for the method of its distribution.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 21, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Bessette moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 231, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams.	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Benson,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren.	Cumming.	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell.
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 664, A bill for an act to provide for the extradition of persons of unsound mind and of delinquent juveniles and to make uniform the laws of the states which enact the same.

April 21, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 561, A bill for an act to legalize certain mortgage foreclosure sales by action and certificates thereof.

S. F. No. 788, A bill for an act to legalize conveyances of real property heretofore made by a married man or married woman directly to his or her spouse, and the record of such conveyance.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 723, A bill for an act to legalize and validate defectively executed deeds, mortgages and other written instruments, and the record thereof.

April 22, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 399, A bill for an act to amend Section 2330 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 346 Laws 1907, being Section 5032 General Statutes 1913, relating to qualifications entitling pharmacists to registration.

April 21, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 636, A bill for an act to require employers who make deductions from the wages of employes for benefit funds, to have a license from the Commissioner of Insurance and providing a penalty.

S. F. No. 341, A bill for an act making it unlawful to discriminate against handicapped persons through Workmen's Compensation Insurance rates and providing a penalty.

S. F. No. 284, A bill for an act empowering the State Board for vocational education to establish a division for the re-education and placement of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, permitting co-operation with the Federal Government, and making an appropriation.

S. F. No. 357, A bill for an act authorizing the State Auditor to allow the construction and use of school houses in certain State Parks.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 895, A bill for an act to amend Subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

April 21, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 793, A bill for an act to legalize acknowledgments taken by notaries public who were or are members of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, at the time of taking such acknowledgments, and acknowledgments taken by military officers within this state, together with the record of any and all instruments bearing any such acknowledgments.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 970, A bill for an act legalizing the foreclosure or cancellation of contracts for the purchase or sale of real estate and the records thereof where the mortgage registration tax on such contracts had not been paid prior to the commencement of the foreclosure or cancellation thereof but which said mortgage registration tax was paid in full prior to the passage of this act or was paid in full during the pendency of said foreclosure or cancellation proceedings.

S. F. No. 571, A bill for an act to legalize and validate the defective execution of deeds, mortgages and other instruments, and the record thereof.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 793 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 399, A bill for an act to amend Section 2330 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws 1907, being Section 5032, General Statutes 1913, relating to qualifications entitling pharmacists to registration.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Coleman moved that the rules be suspended and that H. F. No. 399 be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays 15, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nord,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Larson,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Coleman,	Hall,	McGarry,	Rockne,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Benson,	Carley,	Johnson,	Millett,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Ward,

So the motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 399,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 399, A bill for an act to amend Section 2330 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws 1907, being Section 5032, General Statutes 1913, relating to qualifications entitling pharmacists to registration.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays 24, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Ribenack,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Vibert,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Loonam,	Rockne,	Ward,
Conroy,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested; herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the development of the State's Natural Resources; for the maintenance, improvement and enlargement of certain state fish hatcheries, and for land for the same; for maintenance and improvement of State Soldiers' Home; for the maintenance of Minnesota Department G. A. R. for expense of burial of soldiers and sailors; for maintenance, improvement and repairs, Minnesota State Agricultural Society; for county and district Agricultural Societies; for various Stock Breeders, Dairymen's, Horticultural and Poultry Association; and Societies, Farmers Institutes and State Apiarist; for county Agricultural Agents and Extension work; for Public Parks and additions thereto and for the establishment of new public parks; for aid to Fire Departments; for sheriffs per diem and mileage in certain cases; for wolf bounties; for drainage and highway assessments upon state lands; for vessel tonnage tax, for fees public land collections; for U. S. land offices fees; for aid to society for prevention of cruelty; for aid to Minnesota land and lake attractions board; for publication of Session Laws; for maintenance Sibley House; for maintenance state entomologist and nursey inspection; for state forestry; for maintenance of various state departments; for various semi-state activities and for other purposes.

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Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the House amendments to S. F. No. 1056 and that a Conference Committee of five (5) members be appointed thereon by the President of the Senate, to serve with a like committee to be appointed by the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the following conferees on S. F. No. 1056: Messrs. Rockne, Sullivan, J. D., Sageng, Hopp and Carley.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1086, No. 49 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1086, A bill for an act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, clubs, drug stores, Young Men's Christian Associations, Young Women's Christian Associations, or similar institutions, and places of refreshment, defining the same and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for violations of the provisions of this act, and repealing Chapter 343 of the General Laws of 1905, Chapter 206 of the General Laws of 1911 and Chapter 569 of the General Laws of 1913.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gjerset.	Lindsley.	Rask,
Anderson,	Coleman	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vihert.
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Guilford moved that H. F. No. 943 be taken from the table.
Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 943 was taken from the table.

Mr. Guilford then moved that H. F. No. 943 be referred to the Committee on Cities of the First Class.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, April 23, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Johnson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Besette,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven.
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Widell moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 681, No. 7 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 681, A bill for an act to amend Section 14, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, relating to state aid for public schools, and for the method of its distribution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devoid,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Millett,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Larson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

That the rules be so far suspended that each member be allowed in the order of their names upon the roll to call up for final passage any bill on the Calendar, General Orders, or at the desk, if unanimous consent be given, said motions to be subject to all the usual rules of the Senate.

Which resolution was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to County Cooperative Extension Work in Agricultural and Home Economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to cooperate in such work.

Messrs. Darby, Hulbert, Grant, Iverson and Putnam being appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

S. F. No. 602 herewith returned.

April 22, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 772, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 8 of Chapter 217 of the General Laws of 1917, entitled "An act to prescribe the bounds of Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to apportion anew the Senators and Representatives among the several districts."

S. F. No. 1058, A bill for an act authorizing any mutual company maintaining a guaranty fund equal to the capital stock of a live stock company, to issue policies of insurance without contingent liability and authorizing any such company writing workmen's compensation or liability insurance to write automobile insurance.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File. herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 479, A bill for an act relating to the storing of milk or cream pending transportation by common carriers. providing for sanitary receiving rooms, and fixing penalties for violation of this act.

April 22, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 372, A bill for an act to amend Section 1177, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 22, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 664, A bill for an act to provide for the extradition of persons of unsound mind and of delinquent juveniles and to make uniform the laws of the state which enact the same.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 657, A bill for an act to amend Section 8, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, being an act to provide state aid for public schools and for method of its distribution.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 895, A bill for an act to amend subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 723, A bill for an act to legalize and validate defectively executed deeds, mortgages and other written instruments, and the record thereof.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 1228, A bill for an act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes, and appropriating \$40,000 out of the General Revenue Fund of the state to be loaned to such villages on such bonds for the state by the State Board of Investment.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 219, A bill for an act relating to insurance.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 456, A bill for an act authorizing the creating of retirement fund associations and the granting of annuities to retired school janitors, engineers and firemen in cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants and providing a fund out of which such annuities may be paid.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 479, A bill for an act relating to the storing of milk or cream pending transportation by common carriers, providing for sanitary receiving rooms, and fixing penalties for violation of this act.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 847, A bill for an act regulating the use of head lamps on motor vehicles and providing for the enforcement of same.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 1030, A bill for an act to cure defects in the service of notice of expiration of time of redemption upon tax sale certificates, where notice of expiration of redemption was duly issued within six years after the tax sale but the sixty day limit for redemption did not expire within six years after the date of this tax judgment sale.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 1064, A bill for an act relating to insurance adjusters.

Was read the first time and not referred.

H. F. No. 1204, A bill for an act to amend Section 1720, Revised Laws 1905 (Section 3611, Statutes 1913) which Section prescribes penalties for the failure of Insurance Companies to comply with the laws with reference to the filing of their annual statement.

Was read the first time and not referred.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Benson, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 435, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws 1915 relating to state aid for certain schools.

Reports the same back without recommendation.

Report adopted.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 149, A bill for an act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 149

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 883, A bill for an act to amend Section 5571 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 16, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to compensation of engineers and other officers.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 883

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Baldwin, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 728, A bill for an act to regulate the hours of opening and closing of freight and express depots, for the purpose of receiving and delivering freight and express.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 728

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. McGarry, from the Committee on Public Highways, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 741, A bill for an act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of Chapter 235, Laws of 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 21 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled an act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a State Highway Commission; prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of State aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes and to repeal Section 21 of Chapter 119, Laws of 1917.

Reports the same back without recommendation.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to provide for the erection of armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Amend Section 2 of H. F. No. 1059 by striking out everything following the word "supervisors" in lines 6 and 7 of said section and substitute the following:

"such joint armory commission shall be entitled to receive the same amount of state aid as is prescribed by law for other armories, which state aid shall be paid to such joint armory commission in the manner prescribed by and under the provisions of Chapter 302, General Laws Minnesota 1911, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, which acts are hereby, except in so far as inconsistent herewith, extended and made applicable hereto. The money so paid to the joint armory commission, together with said deposit, shall be used for the purpose of building, erecting and keeping an armory."

Further amend by striking out the following at the end of Section 3, after the word "authorities."

"or in case such authorities have not contributed to the erection of such armory, in such local organizations as have been created to assist in the erection of such armory."

Further amend by substituting a period for the comma after the word "authorities" in line 9 in Section 3 of the said bill.

Further amend by striking out of line 5 and 6 in Section 4, of the said bill, the following words:

"or by the committee in charge of such other portion of the building."

Further amend by striking out of lines twelve and thirteen of Section 4 of said bill, the following words:

"or the local committee in charge of such armory," and inserting a period after the word "municipality" in line twelve in Section 4 of the said bill.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 593, A bill for an act amending Section 3995 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, pertaining to pension for soldiers disabled in Indian massacre.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of Section 1 of the engrossed bill the following: "and any and all persons, citizens and residents of the State of Minnesota, who rendered active service, bore arms, or otherwise rendered efficient aid, in the Indian massacre of 1862, from August 15th to September 15th, in the year 1862, according to the reports and files of the Adjutant General's office in this State, or upon due proof of service as aforesaid, and who are now or on August 15, 1919, will be, 72 years of age, shall be and are hereby declared to be entitled to a pension of not to exceed twelve dollars per month from the first day of January, 1920, during their natural lives."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Rask, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 948, A bill for an act to amend Section 3995, General Statutes 1913, relating to the pensioning of citizen-soldiers of Minnesota, who participated in the Indian massacre of 1862.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Adams, from the Committee on Public Utilities, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 738, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 29, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 37, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act to require all public service corporations doing business within this state to pay their employees at least semi-monthly the wages earned by them, to within fifteen (15) days of the date of such payment, unless prevented by inevitable casualty, and fixing the costs and disbursements in case of default.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of the title of said bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“A bill for an act to require mining companies, exploration companies for iron ore, paper mills, flour mills, saw mills or factories doing business within this state to pay their employees at least semi-monthly, the wages earned by them, to within fifteen days of the date of such payment, unless prevented by inevitable casualty, and fixing the costs and disbursements in case of defaults.”

Further amend by striking out the following of Section 1:

“That Chapter 29, Laws of Minnesota for 1915 (as amended by Chapter 37, Laws of Minnesota for 1915), be amended so as to read as follows:

Further amend by striking out in line 4 of Section 1 the following words: “public service corporations.”

Further amend by striking out in line 1 of Section 2, the following words: “public service corporations.”

Further amend by striking out all of the memorandum herein contained at the end of the bill and all underlining, so as to make a new act.

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hegnes, from the Committee on Motor Vehicles, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 987, A bill for an act to regulate common carriers of passengers by buses, taxicabs, motor vehicles and omnibuses in cities of the first class in this state, including all such carriers not operating upon specially constructed or fixed tracks but operating solely upon the streets of said cities, and providing for the licensing of the same.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be returned to its author.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 987

Was returned to its author.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 443, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 364, Session Laws 1917, an act authorizing cities and villages now or hereafter having a population of 10,000, or under, to macadam or pave its streets and alleys and construct gutters and curbs, and provide for the cost thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 443

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 626, A bill for an act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws of 1909 and Chapter 253, Laws of 1915, except as to pending proceedings.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 626

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 978, A bill for an act amending Section 1079 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1894, relating to the designation of a newspaper for official publications in certain cities of the state.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 978

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 696, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 364, Session Laws 1917, an act authorizing cities and villages now or hereafter having a population of 10,000, or under, to macadam or pave its streets and alleys and construct gutters and curbs, and provide for the cost thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

H. F. No. 696

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 311, A bill for an act requiring villages and cities of the Fourth Class to provide and maintain public rest rooms, with toilet and lavatory facilities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 278, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 339, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled, An Act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any municipality containing five thousand inhabitants or more may provide Salvage Corps Fire Patrol with competent superintendent for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires, suitable rooms for their accommodation and necessary apparatus to save and preserve property and life at and after a fire.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 278

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 856, A bill for an act authorizing the governing body of any city of the first or second class to provide, by resolution, for the exercise by one of the judges of the Municipal Court of any such city of like powers and duties as are granted to and imposed on the conciliation judge of the Municipal Court of the city of Minneapolis by the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws 1917.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 856

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 522, A bill for an act to amend Section 1204 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 522

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Millett, from the Committee on Municipal Affairs, to which was referred—

S. F. No. 784, A bill for an act to prohibit a person from holding the offices of school trustee and member of village council at the same time.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report adopted.

S. F. No. 784

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 930, A bill for an act to amend Sections 1453, 1454, 1455, and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons and to provide such pensions for assistant matrons and other police women.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words “forty-five” where the same appear in lines 13 and 14 of Section 2 of the original bill, and inserting in place thereof the word “fifty.”

By striking out the word “ten” where the same appears in line 17 of Section 2 of the original bill and inserting in place thereof the word “twelve.”

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 316, A bill for an act to amend Sections 3302 and 3359, Chapter 19, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled, An act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any Municipality containing fifty thousand inhabitants or more may provide salvage corps fire patrol with competent superintendent for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires, suitable rooms for their accommodation and necessary apparatus to save and preserve property and life at and after a fire, and to provide a platoon system and funds for the payment thereof.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the following where the same appears in lines 19, 20 and 21 of Section 1 of the original bill:

“provided further that the wages of said employes shall not be reduced from the present wages now paid said employes of said Salvage Corps or Fire Patrols.”

Further amend by striking out the words “two and one-half per cent” where the same appear in line 6 of Section 2 of the original bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words “two per cent”.

Further amend by striking out the words "its passage" at the end of Section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "March 1st, 1920".

Further amend by striking out the following where the same appears in line 5 of Section 2 of the original bill: "March 1" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "April 30".

Further amend by inserting after the word "year" where it appears in line 9 of Section 2 the following: "and if unpaid by said date a penalty of ten per cent shall accrue thereon, and thereafter such sum and penalty shall draw interest at the rate of one per cent per month until paid".

Further amend by inserting after the word "company" where it appears in the 18th line of Section 2 the following: "and every foreign company insuring against loss and damage by water to goods and premises arising from the breakage or leakage of sprinklers, pumps or other apparatus erected for extinguishing fires".

Further amend by striking out in lines 21 and 22 of Section 2 the following: "amount of premiums received by it or for it in such city" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "direct premiums, less return premiums, received by it during the preceding year upon property located within the corporate limits of such municipalities, upon policies covering loss or damage by fire, lightning, loss or damage by water to goods or premises arising from the breakage or leakage of sprinklers, pumps or other apparatus erected for extinguishing fires."

In line 25 of Section 2 strike out the following: "fire, lightning,".

After the word "dollars" where it appears in line 28 of Section 2 insert the following: "or to domestic companies organized exclusively to write insurance against loss or damage by cyclone, tornado or windstorm, or any one or more of them, upon the mutual plan which pay as salary and compensation to any one officer in any one year no more than the aggregate sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00)."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

Mr. Denegre, from the Committee on Cities of the First Class, to which was referred—

H. F. No. 943, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter

24, Laws 1907, and Section 8 of Chapter 24, Laws 1907, as amended by Chapter 318, Laws 1913, said Chapter 24, Laws 1907, being entitled, An act creating a fund and providing for the disbursement thereof, for pensions and relief by Firemen's Relief Associations, in cities having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the following words where the same appear in lines 34 to 40 of Section 1 of the duplicate engrossed copy of the bill:

"The amount of monthly pension which may be paid to such retired fireman may be increased by adding to the maximum above prescribed, an amount not exceeding two dollars per month for each year of active duty every twenty years of service before the retirement, provided, however, that no such fire department relief association shall pay to any member thereof a pension in any greater amount than the sum of sixty dollars per month."

And when so amended, that the bill do pass.

Amendments adopted.

Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 738 and 948

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 316, 930, 311, 593, 1059 and 943

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hegnes moved that H. F. No. 847 be referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 847

Was referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 435, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws, 1915, relating to state aid to certain schools.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 435

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 435, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws, 1915, relating to state aid to certain schools.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Anderson moved that S. F. No. 879 be taken from the table.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 879

Was taken from the table.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be suspended and that—

S. F. No. 879, A joint resolution memorializing the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety to pay enlisted men and officers of the Second Minnesota Field Artillery the sum of \$50 apiece.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 879

Was read the second time.

S. F. No. 879, A joint resolution memorializing the Minnesota

Commission of Public Safety to pay enlisted men and officers of the Second Minnesota Field Artillery the sum of \$50 apiece.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Baldwin moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1102, No. 32 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1102, A bill for an act to amend Section 8025, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the filing of notices of lis pendens and providing for discharge thereof.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Baldwin moved to amend the printed bill of H. F. No. 1102 by adding at the end of Section 1 of said bill the following:

“Provided further that all lis pendens heretofore filed, at the expiration of fifteen years from the date of filing thereof, shall be void and of no force and effect.”

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,
Anderson,	Callahan,	Denegre,	Gillam,	Hopp,
Baldwin,	Carley,	Devold,	Guilford,	Jackson,
Bessette,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Hall,	Johnson,
Blomgren,	Coleman,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Kingsbury,
Bonniwell,	Conroy,	Fowler,	Handlan,	Kuntz,

Larson,	Naplin,	Peterson,	Stepan,	Vibert,
Lee,	Nord,	Rask,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Ward,
Lindsley,	Orr,	Ribenack,	Turnham,	Widell,
McGarry,	Palmer,	Sageng,	Van Hoven,	Wold,
Millett,				

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Benson moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 786, No. 23 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 786, A bill for an act to provide funds for carrying into effect Chapter 491, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and defining the duties of the high school board in the distribution of such funds.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lee,	Reed,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Loonam,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bessette moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1228, A bill for an act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes, and appropriating \$40,000 out of the General Revenue Fund of the state to be loaned to such villages on such bonds for the state by the State Board of Investment.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1228

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1228, A bill for an act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes, and appropriating \$40,000 out of the General Revenue Fund of the state to be loaned to such villages on such bonds for the state by the State Board of Investment.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonani,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Stepan,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Palmer,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Boylan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1242, No. 51 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1242, A bill for an act authorizing the revocation of the license of any insurer writing workmen's compensation insurance in the State of Minnesota which has been guilty of fraud or misrepresentation, or culpable, persistent and unreasonable delay in making settlements.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Reed,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Bonniwell moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 933, No. 19 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 933, A bill for an act defining and regulating public stock yards, placing them under the supervision and control of the railroad and warehouse commission and providing penalties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Blomgren moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1059, be taken from the table, given its third reading and placed on its final passage, as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to provide for the erection of

armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Orr,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson.

President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the Senate and House on the amendments to

S. F. No. 337, A bill for an act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a state expert printer, and defining their duties.

Reports that said committee has met and considered the disagreeing votes and has agreed to recommend that the House recede from all its amendments and your committee recommends to the respective Houses that S. F. No. 337 with such amendments stricken from said bill as recommended by this report, be re-passed.

JAMES A. CARLEY,
ADOLPH S. LARSON,
JOSEPH A. JACKSON,
J. E. MADIGAN,
H. H. BONNIWELL,

Conferees on the Part of the Senate.

L. O. TEIGEN,
ELIAS NORDGREN,
J. O. HAUGLAND,

Conferees on the Part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Carley moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 337 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 337 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cunning,	Hamer,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Widell,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Brooks moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 930, be taken from the table, given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 930, A bill for an act to amend Section 1453, 1454, 1455 and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons and to provide such pensions for assistant matrons and other police women.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cunning,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Cashel,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	
Conroy,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Callahan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 774, No. 112 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 774, A bill for an act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue \$50,000 in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Ribenack,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Fowler, Guilford, Palmer,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cashel moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1091, No. 103 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1091, A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Armory Supervisors to sell state armory sites and buildings in certain cases and appropriating money for the upkeep, repair and erection of state armories.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Peterson,	Widell,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cliff moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1008, No. 24 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1008, A bill for an act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913 entitled, An act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming, —	Guilford,	Loonam,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Benson,	Devold,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Nord,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Orr,	
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Peterson,	
Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Conroy moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 316 be taken from the table, given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 316, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 3339, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled an act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any municipality containing five thousand inhabitants or more may provide salvage corps fire patrol with competent superintendent for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires, suitable rooms for their accommodation and necessary apparatus to save and preserve property and life at and after a fire.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Rask,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Coleman moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1196, No. 28 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1196, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 467, Session Laws of Minnesota of 1917, entitled, An act forbidding the drawing by state officers and other state employes of salary or compensation upon more than one voucher or warrant, providing for the form of pay voucher, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Lee,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Orr,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rask,	
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of the House and Senate upon the disagreeing votes as to the House amendments to

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to county co-operative extension work, agricultural and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

We beg leave to report that we have conferred and hereby make the following report:

The Conference Committee recommends that the House recede from amendment changing the word "shall" to "may" in line 2, Section 5 of S. F. No. 602; also that the House recede from amendment changing the words "one hundred" to "two hundred" where the same occur in line 9, Section 4; also the Conference Committee recommends that the House recede from amendment whereby the following words, "seventy-five per cent of whom shall be bona fide farmers" where inserted in line 10, Section 4, and the Conference Committee recommends that the House recede from the amendment changing the figures from "\$200" to "\$400" where they occur in line 11, Section 4.

HILDING SWANSON,

JAMES CUMMING,

JAMES A. CARLEY,

N. S. HEGNES,

JAMES H. HALL,

Managers on part of the Senate.

W. J. DARBY,

CHAS. E. HULBERT,

G. W. GRANT,

Managers on part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference report on S F. No. 602 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference report on S. F. No. 602 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Millett,	Ribenack,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	McGarry,	Rask,	

Mr. Johnson voted in the negative.

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cosgrove moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 895, A bill for an act to amend subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 895

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 895, A bill for an act to amend subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Reed,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Ribenack,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee and re-passed the bill as amended.

H. F. No. 1189, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate, and codify the laws of this state relating to the preservation, protection, and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds, and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

H. F. No. 1189 herewith transmitted.

OSCAR ARNESON,
April 23, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing votes of the House and Senate on the Senate amendments to

H. F. No. 1189, A bill for an act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate, and codify the laws of this state relating to the preservation, protection, and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds, and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.

Reports that said Committee has met and has agreed and does recommended to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendment to Section 125 whereby the words "not more than 50 miles from the home of the accused person" were inserted in line 8 of the printed bill after the word "committed," and that said words be stricken out.

That the House accedes to all other Senate amendments and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY N. BENSON,
W. A. NOLAN,
OLAF GJERSET,
P. H. MCGARRY,
P. W. GUILFORD,

Managers on the part of the
Senate.

A. J. PRAXEL,
HUGH FAWCETT,
G. W. GRANT,
W. H. McLAUGHLIN,
JNO. FRISCH,

Managers on the part of the
House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Turnham moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on H. F. No. 1189 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on H. F. No. 1189 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Millett,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Senate do now recess to 2:00 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 2:00 P. M.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the development of the state's natural resources and for other purposes.

Messrs. Christianson, T., Swenson, O. A., Lagersen, Kingsley and Murphy being appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

April 23, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 374, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 131 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to conveyances by husband or wife of insane or incompetent persons.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Carley moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 812, No. 18 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 812, A concurrent resolution creating a Commission for the codification and revision of the laws relative to legal publications in newspapers.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Carley moved to amend H. F. No. 812 by striking out the last paragraph thereof, which said paragraph contains the appropriation.

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended:

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Millett,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hall,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Carley,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Cumming moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1028, No. 90 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1028, A bill for an act to amend Section 2596, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, and to repeal Section 2599, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to the building of bridges across navigable waters on county lines which are the boundary lines of the state and providing for the bonding of counties for such purposes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Peterson,	
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Denegre moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1204 be taken from the table, given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1204, A bill for an act to amend Section 1720, Revised Laws 1905 (Section 3611, Statutes 1913) which section prescribes penalties for the failure of insurance companies to comply with the law with reference to the filing of their annual statement.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hamer,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Devold moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 997, No. 111 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed. —

H. F. No. 997, A bill for an act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation lands, sites and buildings necessary therefore and to provide for maintaining and operating in connection therewith and therein refreshment stands and reading rooms and other forms of recreation and amusement, and to make rules and regulations relative thereto and provide penalties for violations of such rules and regulations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Weld,
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has rejected the report of the Conference Committee as to S. F. No. 602 and a new Conference Committee has been requested on the part of the Senate to confer with a like new committee on the part of the House.

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to County Co-operative Extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

Messrs. Darby, Hulbert, Grant, Iverson and Putnam being appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

S. F. No. 602 herewith returned.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved that the foregoing request of the House be acceded to, and that a Conference Committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate to act with a like committee of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announces the following Committee on Conference on S. F. No. 602:

Messrs. Swanson, Carley, Hegnes, Wold and Cumming.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Dwyer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1240, No. 54 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1240, A bill for an act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a home rule charter.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Millett,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Erickson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 143, No. 42 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 143, A bill for an act requiring railroad car shops, and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car trucks, and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise, and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow, and other inclement weather.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Putnam,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Besette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Denegre,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Widell,
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So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gandrud moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 826, No. 26 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 826, A bill for an act abolishing the office of State Oil Inspector and transferring his powers to the Dairy and Food Commissioner, providing for appointment of a Chief Oil Inspector and Deputy Oil Inspectors, amending Sections 3622, 3623, 3626, 3627, 3628, 3630 and 3631 General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 271, Session Laws Minnesota 1915, and Chapter 331 Session Laws Minnesota 1917, all relating to gasoline and illuminating oils and repealing certain laws relating thereto.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Besette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Putnam,	
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gillam moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 359, No. 73 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 359, A bill for an act, entitled An act to amend Section 4436, General Statutes 1913, having reference to the licensing of Public Terminal Warehouses.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Besette,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1201, No. 50 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1201, A bill for an act to provide for the taxation of freight line companies, and repealing Chapter 377, Laws 1911.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Gooding moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1150, No. 54 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1150, A bill for an act to amend Subdivision 12, Section 294, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 149, Laws 1917, fixing salaries in state treasurer's office.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Gooding moved to amend H. F. No. 1150 as follows:

Section 1, line 4, strike out the words "Twenty-Seven Hundred" and substitute therefor the words "Three Thousand".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Larson,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Guilford moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 840, No. 91 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 840, A bill for an act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Callahan,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Benson,	Coleman,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Johnson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Larson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Peterson,	
Brooks,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 922, No. 29 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 922, A bill for an act relating to public warehouses on the right of way of railroads.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hernes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nord,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cashel,	Hall,	Lee,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 370, No. 39 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 370, A bill for an act to authorize any city of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of arching, covering over or diverting any creek in such city.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Peterson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hegnes moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1209, No. 30 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1209, A bill for an act requiring warning signs to be placed on certain roads rendered impassable by reason of the construction or improvement thereof or bridges and culverts thereon.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Hegnes moved to amend H. F. No. 1209 by adding at the end of Section 1 thereof the following:

"Provided, however, that nothing in the provisions of this act shall make any town or county liable in damages for the failure of a town or county board to provide in any contract for the erection of a warning sign, such as is herein provided for; or for the failure of any contractor to erect same in accordance with the provisions of his contract."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gillam,	Larson,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Lee,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Millett,	Ward,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hopp moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 402, No. 34 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 402, A bill for an act to amend Section 9012, General Statutes 1913, relating to desecration of the Flag.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 36 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Peterson,	
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1056, No. 20 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to promote the health and safety of employes in all places of employment, both inside and out-

side, by requiring the owners of such places, and, in certain cases, the owners of buildings, and grounds in or on which such places are located, to keep them in good sanitary condition; to require proper and adequate ventilation in such places; to require toilet facilities in such places; to require pure drinking water in such places; to require dressing rooms, locker rooms and washing facilities in certain of such places; to require a reasonable temperature to be maintained in such places; to prevent overcrowding in such places; to prohibit employes in such places from doing certain acts that are a menace to the health and safety of others; to require seats for women employes in such places, and providing penalties for violations of this act.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjeraset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Larson,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1176, No. 66 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1176, A bill for an act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Nord,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Larson,	Putnam,	Wold,
Conroy,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kingsbury moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 836, No. 25 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 836, A bill for an act authorizing cemetery associations to re-invest themselves with title to the unused portions of cemetery lots, for failure to pay lot care thereon, and relating to cemeteries.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hall,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Orr,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Peterson,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Kuntz moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 943 be taken from the table, given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 943, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24, Laws 1907, and Section 8 of Chapter 24, Laws 1907, as amended by Chapter 318, Laws 1913, said Chapter 24, Laws 1907, being entitled, An act creating a fund and providing for the disbursement thereof, for pensions and relief by Firemen's Relief Associations, in cities having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Benson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lee,	Peterson,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Lee moved that H. F. No. 1061 be recalled from the Committee on General Legislation.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1061

Was recalled from the Committee on General Legislation.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Lee moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1061, A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress of the United States to enact legislation requiring aliens residing in foreign countries, desiring admission to the United States, to make application to authorized representatives of the United States in such foreign countries, and providing for an investigation by such representatives.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1061,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1061, A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress of the United States to enact legislation requiring aliens residing in foreign countries, desiring admission to the United States, to make application to authorized representatives of the United States in such foreign countries, and providing for an investigation by such representatives.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Larson,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gjerset.	Lee,	Rask,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Ward,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Widell,
Coleman,	Handlan,	Millett,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Loonam moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 353, No. 15 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 353, A bill for an act to amend Section 1011, General Statutes 1913, relating to certain school expenses and the payment of the same by the county board.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were :

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lee,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Reed,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. McGarry moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 741, A bill for an act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of

Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled "An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto: the creation of a State Highway Commission; prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes."

Be taken from the table, be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 741

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 741, A bill for an act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled "An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto: the creation of a State Highway Commission; prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hall,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Boylan,	Devold,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Callahan,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Cliff,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Wold,

So the bill repassed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Madigan moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 593, A bill for an act amending Section 3995 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, pertaining to pension for soldiers disabled in Indian massacre.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 593

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 593, A bill for an act amending Section 3995 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, pertaining to pension for soldiers disabled in Indian massacre.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

Mr. Madigan moved to amend H. F. No. 593 as follows: Insert after the word "Minnesota" in line 4 of Section 1 of the printed House bill the words "or who resided therein continuously from September 15, 1862, to September 1, 1900."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Reed,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Larson,	Palmer,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lee,	Rask,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Millett moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 903, No. 17 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 903, A bill for an act prohibiting the cutting of ice, for the purpose of selling or offering the same for sale in Minnesota from the Mississippi river at any place in said river south of the south line of the city of South St. Paul and north of the mouth of the St. Croix river, in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Orr,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Lee,	Palmer,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Wold,
Conroy,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rask,	
Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Reed,	
Cumming,	Handlan,	Millett,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Naplin moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 632, No. 37 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 632, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 981 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of county surveyors.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnston,	Nord,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rask,	
Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Reed,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nolan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 502, No. 55 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 502, A bill for an act to amend Section 5029 General

Statutes 1913, relating to the creation of State Board of Pharmacy, employment of attorney, and when violators shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Cliff,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Conroy,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Romberg,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Nord moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 793, No. 40 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 793, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 38 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven.
Bessette,	Devold,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Ward,
Cliff,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Millett,	Schmechel,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

Mr. Brooks voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Orr moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 280,

No. 41 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 280, A bill for an act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays 9, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millet,	Turnham,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Orr,	Vibert,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Hall,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boylan,	Devold,	Lee,	Romberg,	Stepan,
Conroy,	Johnson,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Palmer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1168, No. 44 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1168, A bill for an act amending Sections 2 and 5 of Chapter 194, Laws 1903, being an act to enable municipalities to establish and acquire building line easements along street, highways, parks and parkways, and defining the nature of such easements.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Bonniwell,	Cliff,	Devold,	Gillam,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Dwyer,	Gjerset,
Benson,	Carley,	Cosgrove,	Erickson,	Gooding,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Cumming,	Fowler,	Hall,

Hamer,	Larson,	Naplin,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Handlan,	Lee,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Hegnes,	Lindsley,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Widell,
Hopp,	Loonam,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Wold,
Johnson,	McGarry,	Rask,	Swanson,	
Kingsbury,	Madigan,	Reed,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Peterson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 269, No. 104 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 269, A bill for an act relating to salaries for employes in the department of weights and measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1030, A bill for an act to cure defects in the service of notice of expiration of time of redemption upon tax sale certificates, where notice of expiration of redemption was duly issued within six years after the tax sale but the sixty day limit for redemption did not expire within six years after the date of this tax judgment sale.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1030,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1030, A bill for an act to cure defects in the service of notice of expiration of time of redemption upon tax sale certificates, where notice of expiration of redemption was duly issued within six years after the tax sale but the sixty day limit for redemption did not expire within six years after the date of this tax judgment sale.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rask moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1151, No. 35 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1151, A bill for an act relating to liability under cancelled mineral leases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Widell,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Reed,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Reed moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 939, No. 37 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 939, A bill for an act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of county free libraries, and for contracts between boards of county commissioners and existing public libraries.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Denegre,	Heenes,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Besette,	Devold,	Hopp,	Rask,	Widell,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Wold,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Stepan,	
Carley,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ribenack moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 115, No. 45 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 115, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 352, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to reserves and deposits under certain classes of indemnity contracts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Coleman,	Devold,	Guilford,
Baldwin,	Brooks,	Conroy,	Erickson,	Hall,
Besette,	Callahan,	Cosgrove,	Gandrud,	Hammer,
Bonniwell,	Carley,	Denegre,	Gooding,	Handlan,

Hegnes,	Millett,	Rask,	Stepan,	Vibert,
Hopp,	Naplin,	Reed,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Ward,
Johnson,	Nolan,	Romberg,	Turnham,	Widell,
Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Schmechel,	Van Hoven,	Wold,
Madigan,	Peterson,			

Messrs. Putnam and Sageng voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Romberg moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 931, No. 106 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 931, A concurrent resolution authorizing the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to investigate and determine the proper method of requiring the purchaser of grain, subject to dockage, to reimburse the producers and to report to the next legislature its findings as to proper legislation to enact for that purpose.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Orr,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Larson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Stepan moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 657, A bill for an act to amend Section 8, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, being an act to provide state aid for public schools and for method of its distribution.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 657,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 657, A bill for an act to amend Section 8, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, being an act to provide state aid for public schools and for method of its distribution.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam.
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Lee,	Rask,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Benson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hammer,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Ronniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Devold,	Jackson,	Nord,	Vibert.
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Widell,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 786, A bill for an act to provide funds for carrying into effect Chapter 491, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and defining the duties of the High School Board in the distribution of such funds.

S. F. No. 1037, A bill for an act to amend Section 3975, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 230, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the exemption of certain persons from paying a peddler's license fee.

S. F. No. 261, A bill for an act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913 relating to State, County and City Depositories.

S. F. No. 361, A bill for an act authorizing the Secretary of State on behalf of the State of Minnesota to cancel and annul, upon certain conditions, the contract entered into by him on behalf of the State of Minnesota on July 6, 1915, for the printing and publishing of the Minnesota reports; to reimburse the publishers of said reports under said contract for extra expenses incurred in the printing and publication of said reports, and to appropriate money therefor.

April 23, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 188, A bill for an act to amend Section 2148, General Statutes 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sale.

Also the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned::

S. F. No. 255, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 1 of Section 1 of Chapter 138, Laws of 1915, relating to insurance corporations, describing the kind of business such corporations may transact, and repealing Chapter 276, Laws of 1917.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 869, A bill for an act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.

April 23, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the following Senate File as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages or boroughs of unplatted agricultural lands included within the corporate limits of such villages or boroughs in certain cases.

Also the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 676, A bill for an act entitled an act to amend Section 7730 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the service of summonses.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

CONCURRENCE AND RE-PASSAGE.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 188, and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gooding,	Larson,	Reed,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Devold,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Peterson,	
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rask,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 869, A bill for an act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 869, A bill for an act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 869,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 869, A bill for an act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Larson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Guilford,	Lee,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Naplin,	
Carley,	Gandrud,	Hegnes,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Sageng,	

Messrs. Putnam and Van Hoven voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Naplin moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 121 and that a Conference Committee of three be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President announced the appointment of the following conferees on S. F. No. 121:

Messrs. Putnam, Naplin and Baldwin.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 676, A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend Section 7730 of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the service of summonses.

Was read the first time and not referred.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 985, No. 2 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 985, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Larson,	Sageng,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Carley,	Gjerset,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Swanson,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sullivan, J. D., moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 723, A bill for an act to legalize and validate defectively executed deeds, mortgages and other written instruments, and the record thereof.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 723,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 723, A bill for an act to legalize and validate defectively executed deeds, mortgages and other written instruments, and the record thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none,
as follows::

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Denegre,	Hall,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Benson,	Devold,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Reed,	Widell,
Brooks,	Grandrud,	Johnson,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Schmechel,	
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Stepan,	
Conroy,	Gooding,	Larson,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cumming,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee as to the following Senate File, and have repassed the bill as amended:

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

S. F. No. 602 herewith returned.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thos. Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House.

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of the House and Senate upon the disagreeing votes as to the House amendments to:

S. F. No. 602, A bill for an act relating to county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes, providing for the distribution of moneys appropriated by the state for said purposes and authorizing the formation of county farm bureau associations to co-operate in such work.

Beg leave to report that we have conferred and hereby make the following report:

The Conference Committee recommends that the Senate accede to the House amendment to S. F. No. 602, changing the word "shall" to "may" in line 2 of Section 5, and

That the House recede from amendment changing the words "one hundred" to "two hundred" where the same occur in line 9 of Section 4; whereby the words "75 per cent of whom shall be bona fide

farmers" were inserted after the word "standing" in line 10 of Section 4; and whereby the figures "\$200." were changed to "400." where the same appear in line 11 of Section 4.

HILDING SWANSON,
JAMES A. CARLEY,
JOHN L. WOLD,
JAMES CUMMING,
N. S. HEGNES,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

W. J. DARBY,
CARL M. IVERSON,
G. W. GRANT,
CHAS. E. HULBERT,
H. A. PUTNAM,

Managers on the part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS--CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 602 and that the bill be repassed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 602 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Orr,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Widell,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Larson,	Rask,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Lee,	Reed,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 829, No. 14 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 829, A bill for an act providing for the erection of highway guide posts and signs by towns, villages and cities and imposing certain duties on the Commissioner of Highways in relation thereto, making it unlawful to destroy, deface or mutilate any such guide post or sign and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 46 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bessette,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gooding,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Hall,	Lee,	Romberg,	Wold,
Carley,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Conroy,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	McGarry,	Stepan,	
Denegre,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Turnham moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1041, No. 115 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1041, A bill for an act amending Section 1161, General Statutes 1913, relating to fees of town treasurers, as amended by Chapter 295, Laws 1917.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 49 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hall,	Lee,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Orr,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gooding,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Ward,
Cashel,	Guilford,	Larson,	Romberg,	Widell,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Van Hoven moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1221, No. 48 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1221, A bill for an act to amend Section 2461 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of employees in city owned armories.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Sageng,	Wold,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Schmechel,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1089, No. 27 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1089, A bill for an act to amend Section 2917, General Statutes 1913, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Benson moved to amend H. F. No. 1089, printed bill, by striking out all of line 10 after the word "districts" and all of lines eleven and twelve and insert in place thereof the following:

"Such amounts may be levied as may be allowed by special law at the same time when the revised laws take effect."

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 47 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Sullivan, G. H..
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Millett,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Erickson,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Ward,
Blomgren,	Gandrud,	Jackson,	Rask,	Widell,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Romberg,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Gooding,	Larson,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Ward moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 473, No. 92 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 473, A bill for an act relating to lien of owners of breeding animals and providing a penalty.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Leonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Handlan,	Millett,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Carley,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wold,
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Schmechel moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 899, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.

Be taken from the table, read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 899

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 899, A bill for an act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Widell,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS--CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved that H. F. No. 587 be recalled from the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 587

Was recalled from the Committee on Municipal Affairs.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Swanson moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 587, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 329, Laws of 1913, (being Section 1745, General Statutes 1913), concerning the levying of taxes in cities of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter or commission form of government for the purpose of providing musical entertainments to the public.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 587,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 587, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 329, Laws of 1913 (being Section 1745, General Statutes 1913), concerning the levying of taxes in cities of the fourth class operating under a home

rule charter or commission form of government for the purpose of providing musical entertainments to the public.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Swanson moved to amend H. F. No. 587, by inserting at the beginning of the title of the bill and before the word "An" in the first line, the following words "A bill for".

Further amend H. F. No. 587, Section 1, line 16 of the typewritten bill, by striking out the first "in" in said line 16, and inserting in lieu thereof the following word "on".

Further amend H. F. No. 587, Section 1, line 7, by drawing a line through the words "half mill" where they first appear in said line 7.

Further amend H. F. No. 587, by adding at the end of Section 1, and after the word "city", the following words: "Provided, however, that in any such city the total sum that may be levied or expended in any year shall not exceed the sum of \$2,500.00".

Which amendments were adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Cumming,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Ward,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Romberg,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Widell moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 966, No. 53 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 966, A bill for an act fixing and regulating the salary of help in the office of the court commissioner in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 or over.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Gooding,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hall,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Widell,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 1059, No. 1 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government, authorizing the State Auditor to credit on pending logging permits amounts heretofore paid on certain other logging permits, all issued to the same party, and for other purposes.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Larson,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Hopp,	Orr,	Swanson,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Custodian of the Capitol be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to store and safely keep for the exclusive use of the Senate, all desks, desk chairs, tables, mirrors, waste baskets, desk markers and all other furniture purchased or used by the Senate during the present session.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate forward a copy of this resolution to the Custodian of the Capitol.

Which resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, The compensation for state Senate employes was fixed in normal times, and

Whereas, These are abnormal times, and

Whereas, The tendency in industry and elsewhere during the past two years has been toward an increase in salary,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That all employes who have received a compensation less than seven (\$7.00) dollars per day be granted as an additional compensation the sum of one (\$1.00) dollar per day.

FRED W. BESSETTE,
JAMES H. HALL,
M. J. CONROY,
MICHAEL BOYLAN,
J. B. STEPAN,
GEO. D. REED,
JAMES HANDLAN,
E. R. RIBENACK,
F. E. LINDSLEY,
JAMES DWYER,
P. A. GANDRUD,
J. A. CASHEL,
PETER VAN HOVEN,

C. E. ADAMS,
HILDING SWANSON,
B. J. LOONAM,
A. C. GOODING,
C. R. FOWLER,
M. F. BROOKS,
GUSTAF WIDELL,
JAMES D. DENEGRÉ,
M. S. HEGNES,
J. M. MILLETT,
JOHN W. HOPP,
J. L. WOLD.

Resolution referred to Committee on Rules.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now recess until 8:00 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 8:00 P. M.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Wold called up and moved the adoption of the resolution introduced March 3, and appearing on page 17 of the Journal for the 35th day.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 56 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Andersson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Millett,	Swanson,
Benson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Turnham,
Besette,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Wold,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Rask,	
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Lee,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	

So the resolution was adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Lindsley moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 957, No. 22 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 957, A bill for an act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of mutual automobile insurance companies.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 48 and nays none,

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Guilford,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Hall,	Lindsley,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Besette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Nord,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	
Carley,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Handlan moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 781, No. 36 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 781, A bill for an act to promote the safety of employes and the general public by requiring owners of certain buildings in which elevators are used jointly by two or more tenants to provide operators to run such elevators; also requiring such owner to provide locking devices on such elevators, and forbidding the use of such elevators under certain conditions.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Dwver,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Reed,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Sageng,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Hall,	Loonam,	Stenan,	
Cliff,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Hamer moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 623, No. 88 on General Orders be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 623, A bill for an act to amend subdivision 11 of Section 1268, General Statutes 1913, relating to powers of village councils.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 44 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Rask,	Vibert,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lee,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Dwyer moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 24, No. 33 on Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 24, A bill for an act to repeal Chapter 105 of the Laws of 1913, and Chapter 63 of the Laws of 1917, relating to civil service in cities of the first class.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 35 and nays 28, as follows::

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Benson,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Vibert,
Blomgren,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Lee,	Sageng,	Wold,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government, authorizing the State Auditor to credit on pending logging permits amounts heretofore paid on certain other logging permits, all issued to the same party, and for other purposes.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 1059 and that a Conference Committee of five (5) be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President of the Senate appoints the following conferees on S. F. No. 1059: Messrs. Rockne, Orr, Benson, Gandrud and Nolan.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson.

President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,

Speaker of the House.

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of the Senate and House upon the disagreeing vote as to the House amendment to

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages of unplatted agricultural lands, included within the corporate limits of such villages in certain cases.

Beg leave to report that we have conferred and hereby make the following report and recommendation: That that the House recede

from its amendment to S. F. No. 121, and that the provisions of the bill stricken out by the amendment be reinserted.

O. A. NAPLIN,
J. H. BALDWIN,
FRANK E. PUTNAM,
Managers for the Senate.
R. J. PARKER,
H. H. EMMONS,
H. O. BERVE.
Managers for the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Naplin moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 121 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 121 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Ward,
Carley,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,	Widell,
Cliff,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following Senate File, and re-passed the bill as amended:

S. F. No. 959, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the state government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of certain portions thereof.

S. F. No. 959 herewith returned.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 23, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

To the Hon. W. I. Nolan,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

To the Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of the House and Senate upon the disagreeing votes of the House amendments to S. F. No. 959 beg leave to report that we have conferred, agreed and herewith make the following report:

First: That the House recedes from all of its amendments to said S. F. No. 959 and that both committees have agreed and recommend that said S. F. No. 959 be amended and modified as follows:

1. Amend Section 4 by striking out of the first engrossed copy of said S. F. No. 959 all of items 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"3. For expenses, examining and inspecting state mineral lands and operations thereon, \$80,000.00.

"4. For expenses in carrying out provisions of act providing for revolving fund in connection with improvements of state lands as provided for in Chapter 164, Laws of 1917, \$10,000.00.

5. For examining, appraising of state lands and timber and for detecting and scaling trespass upon and caring for state lands, for the rescaling of state timber under the top and stump scale system, for the re-appraising of sold state lands, the certificates of which having become delinquent for the non-payment of interest, for the re-examining of state lands sold at agricultural sales, for the purpose of determining whether or not timber stands upon any sold lands in excess of the valuation placed by the appraisers, for the re-examining of all state lands now on the agricultural sales list for the purpose of determining whether or not timber in excess of the valuation placed by the appraisers stands upon any of the lands on the sales list, for the estimating and appraising of all timber on state lands and the appraising of all state lands and for the payment of the necessary clerical and other miscellaneous expenses necessary for the carrying out of the purpose as herein specified available for the year ending July 31, 1920, \$115,500.00.

6. For the same purpose as specified in item 5 available for the year ending July 31, 1921, \$95,500.00.

Provided, however, that out of the monies appropriated by items 5 and 6 the State Auditor may use not to exceed \$15,000 each year for the purpose of making inventory of the state's resources.

Provided further that out of the monies appropriated by item 1 \$4000 is for the annual salary of the Superintendent of Timber, \$4000 is for the annual salary of the Chief Deputy Auditor and \$4000 is for the annual salary of the Chief of Accounts, effective May 1st, 1919."

2. Further amend by inserting an item between items 1 and 2 of Section 5 to read as follows:

"1½. For surety bond, available 1920 only, \$1200.00".

3. Further amend by striking out in item 1 of Section 9 the words and figures "for salary, State Printer, \$2400" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "for maintenance, \$4,400.00."

4. Further amend by striking out the figures "5000" where they appear in item 5 of Section 15 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "8000."

5. Further amend by striking out the figures "8400" where they appear in item 1 of Section 16 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3500."

6. Further amend by striking out the figures "2685" where they appear in item 2 of said Section 16 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "2785."

7. Further amend by striking out the figures "10,000" where they appear in item 10 of Section 19 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "5000."

8. Further amend said Section 19 by striking out the figures "38,000" where they appear in item 11 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "30,000."

9. Further amend by striking out the figures "2,225" where they appear in item 2 of Section 25 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1500."

10. Further amend by striking out the figures "6000" where they appear in item 4 of Section 31 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "5400."

11. Further amend by striking out the figures "75,000" where they appear in item 1 of Section 32 and by inserting in lieu thereof

the figures "100,000" and further amend by adding a new item to Section 32 to read as follows:

2. For maintenance, Weights and Measures Department, \$35,-000.00."

12. Further amend by striking out the figures "20,000" where they appear in item 2 of Section 35 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "15000" and further amend by striking out the figures "10,000" where they appear in item 2½ of said Section 35 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "8000" and further amend by striking out the figures "95,000" where they appear in item 3 of Section 35 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "90,000."

13. Further amend said Senate File No. 959 by striking out the figures "13500" where they appear in item 2 of Section 36 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "17500."

THEODORE CHRISTIANSON,
OSCAR A. SWENSON,
CHARLES T. MURPHY,
OLE LAGERSEN,

Managers on the part of the House.

A. J. ROCKNE,
J. D. SULLIVAN,
JAMES A. CARLEY,
OLE O. SAGENG,
JOHN W. HOPP,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 959 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference report on S. F. No. 959 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Boylan,	Cosgrove,	Fowler,	Handlan,
Anderson,	Brooks,	Cumming,	Gillam,	Hegnes,
Baldwin,	Carley,	Denegre,	Gjerset,	Hopp,
Bessette,	Cashel,	Devold,	Gooding,	Jackson,
Blomgren,	Cliff,	Dwyer,	Guilford,	Johnson,
Bonniwell,	Coleman,	Erickson,	Hamer,	Kingsbury,

Kuntz,	Nord,	Reed,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Ward,
Lindsley,	Palmer,	Rockne,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Widell,
Loonam,	Peterson,	Schmechel,	Swanson,	Wold,
Madigan,	Putnam,	Sageng,	Turnham,	
Millett,	Rask,	Stepan,	Van Hoven,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Widell moved that the rules be suspended, that S. F. No. 943, No. 39 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 31 and nays 20, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Fowler,	Nord,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Peterson,	Widell,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Wold,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Reed,	
Bonniwell,	Devold,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	
Boylan,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Sageng,	
Brooks,	Erickson,	Lindsley,	Swanson,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Palmer,	Stepan,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lee,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Chff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Romberg,	Van Hoven,
Cumming,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	Vibert,

So the motion did not prevail.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee as to the following House File:

H. F. No. 170, A bill for an act providing for nomination and certification of candidates for certain state and federal offices and repealing acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

And said Conference Committee has been discharged.

H. F. No. 170, herewith transmitted:

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of

the two (2) Houses on H. F. No. 170, "A bill for an act permitting political conventions to endorse candidates before primary elections," beg to report that they have held several conferences, but are unable to agree, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of said bill.

OLE O. SAGENG,
C. W. GILLAM,
FRANK E. PUTNAM,
J. D. SULLIVAN,
A. J. ROCKNE,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

C. H. WARNER,
R. O. WILKINSON,
J. B. HOMPE,
W. I. NORTON,
ASHER HOWARD.

Managers on the part of the House of Representatives.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Sageng moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on H. F. No. 170.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on H. F. No. 170 adopted.

Mr. Sullivan, G. H., moved that another Conference Committee of five be appointed on H. F. No. 170 to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Which motion did not prevail.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 894, No. 10 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 894, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 327, Laws 1917, relating to sale of timber on state lands and regulating the issuance of permits.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Johnson,	Rask,	Ward,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Sageng,	Wold,
Carley,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Schmechel,	
Cashel,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Stepan,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee as to the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages of unplatted agricultural lands, included within the corporate limits of such villages in certain cases.

Messrs. Emmons, Berve and Parker being appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

S. F. No. 121 herewith returned.

OSCAR ARNISON,

April 23, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 902, No. 11 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 902, A bill for an act to authorize the board of timber commissioners to determine the number of sections of land or fractions thereof to be covered by and described in a timber permit.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 45 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Bessette,	Boylan,	Cashel,	Cumming,
Anderson	Blomgren,	Brooks,	Coleman,	Denegre,
Baldwin,	Bonniwell,	Carley,	Conroy,	Dwyer,

Erickson,	Hamer,	Lindsley,	Putnam,	Turnham,
Fowler,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Gillam,	Johnson,	Millett,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Gjerset,	Kingsbury,	Nord,	Schmechel,	Ward,
Gooding,	Kuntz,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Widell,
Hall,	Lee,	Peterson,	Swanson,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Vibert moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 903, No. 12 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 903, A bill for an act to amend Section 5278, General Statutes 1913, regulating the extension of permits.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 40 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Carley,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Wold,

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 121, No. 38 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend sub-division 4 of Section 8375, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the competency of witnesses.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Sageng,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gooding,	Millett,	Schmechel,	Widell.
Carley,	Hall,	Nord,	Stepan,	Wold,
Cashel,	Hamer,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Coleman,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Turnham moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1018, No. 102 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1018, A bill for an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 360, Laws 1915, providing for the publication of proceedings of meetings of school boards of independent school districts.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 39 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bonniwell,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Putnam,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Boylan,	Gjerset,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Swanson,
Carley,	Gooding,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Turnham,
Cashel,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	Vibert,
Coleman,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	Ward,
Cumming,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Schmechel,	Wold,
Dwyer,	Jackson,	Palmer,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 649, A bill for an act providing for the reimbursement of county auditors for expenses incurred in attending meetings called by the tax commissioner to confer in regard to assessments and taxation.

S. F. No. 472, A bill for an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 456 of Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salary of County Surveyors in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square

miles, and having an assessed valuation of more than 20 million dollars and less than 50 million dollars.

S. F. No. 124, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 338 Laws of Minnesota, 1915, relative to salaries of Auditors and Treasurers in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles and valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$40,000,000.

April 23, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee as to S. F. No. 121 and re-passed the bill as amended.

S. F. No. 121, A bill for an act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages of unplatted agricultural lands, included within the corporate limits of such villages in certain cases.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Wold moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 240, No. 4 on Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 30 and nays 32, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Devold,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Peterson,
Benson,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Putnam,
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Johnson,	Millett,	Reed,
Bonniwell,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Naplin,	Sageng,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Cumming,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Palmer,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Hall,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Handlan,	Ribenack,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Romberg,	Ward,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Schmechel,	Widell,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Stepan,	
Carley,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Cashel,	Fowler,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,	

So the motion did not prevail.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President, I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 44, and amendments thereto, of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, relating to drainage as follows: Add to said Chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A. directing the public examiner to adjust the drainage fund accounts in various counties and providing for the payment of the expense thereof; 5548-A. relating to the division and apportionment of assessments, 5552-C. providing for the making and filing of a plat of tile drainage systems, 5597-A. 5597-C, 5597-D, 5597-E, and 5597-F. providing that the overflow from certain municipal sewage systems may be discharged, under certain restrictions into drainage ditches and 5672-B. providing for additional assessments and bond issue to finish paying cost of ditch under certain conditions. Amend Sections 5480, 5482, 5529, 5532, 5597 and 5635 of the General Statutes of 1913 and also Sections 5481, as amended by Chapter 273 of the General Laws of 1915, 5541, 5571 and 5636 of the said General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, and 5552-A, and 5552-B as contained respectively in sections 14 and 15 of Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917. Said sections above specified relating to public ditches and the drainage of lands. The assessment of damages and benefits resulting therefrom, providing for rehearings of petitions for ditches, providing for drainage into drainage ditches already established. Creating the department of drainage and waters, providing for officers and defining their duties, prescribing the duties of engineers and state and county officials so far as the same relates to drainage and drainage ditches, providing for appeals in certain cases, providing for the payment of the cost of labor and material and of allowance of claims, providing for payment of bridges over drainage ditches under certain conditions and repealing certain sections.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Senate refuse to concur in the amendments adopted by the House to S. F. No. 1043 and that a Conference Committee of five be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act with a like committee to be appointed on the part of the House.

Mr. Hall moved as a substitute motion, the adoption of the foregoing conference report on S. F. No. 1043 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

The question being taken on the adoption of the substitute motion,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 5 and nays 47, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Erickson,	Hall,	Madigan,	Naplin,
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Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Palmer,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Peterson,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Hopp,	Putnam,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Rask,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Reed,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Callahan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Sageng,	
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lee,	Schmechel,	

So the motion did not prevail.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the motion by Mr. Peterson.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President of the Senate appointed the following conferees on S. F. No. 1043:

Messrs. Cliff, Putnam, Hall, Adams and Peterson.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Hall moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 858, No. 43 on the Calendar be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules

And the roll being called, there were yeas 27 and nays 29, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Putnam,	Ward,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Nolan,	Stepan,	Wold,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Coleman,	Gjerset,	Palmer,	Turnham,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Peterson,	Vibert,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Hamer,	Lee,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Besette,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Madigan,	Sullivan, J. D
Blomgren,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Gooding,	Johnson,	Naplin,	Van Hoven,
Carley,	Guilford,	Kingsbury,	Reed,	

So the motion did not prevail.

Mr. Adams moved that the vote whereby the motion to suspend the rules failed to be adopted, be now reconsidered.

Which motion did not prevail.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following Senate File, and repassed the bill as amended:

S. F. No. 1056, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the State's natural resources; for the maintenance, improvement and enlargement of certain state fish hatcheries and for land for the same; for maintenance and improvement of state soldiers' home; for the maintenance Minnesota Department G. A. R., for expense of burial of soldiers and sailors; for maintenance, improvement and repairs, Minnesota State Agricultural Society; for county and district agricultural societies; for various stock breeders; dairy men's, horticulture and poultry associations, and societies, farmers institutes and state apiarist; for county agricultural agents and extension work; for public parks and additions thereto and for the establishment of new public parks; for aid to fire departments; for sheriffs per diem and mileage in certain cases; for wolf bounties; for drainage and highway assessments upon state lands; for vessel tonnage tax; for fees public land collections; for U. S. land offices fees; for aid to society for prevention of cruelty; for aid to Minnesota Land and Lake attractions board; for publication of session laws; for maintenance Sibley House; for maintenance state entomologist and nursery inspection; for state

forestry; for maintenance of various state departments; for various semi-state activities; and for other purposes.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of the House and Senate upon the disagreeing votes as to the House amendments to Senate File No. 1056 beg leave to report that we have conferred, considered and agreed upon the items in dispute between the Senate and the House and herewith make the following report:

1. That the House recedes from all of its amendments to said S. F. No. 1056 but that the committees have agreed that the bill be amended as follows:

2. Amend said S. F. No. 1056 by striking out of item 8 in Section 2 the words: "For general survey for fish hatcheries" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words: "for survey and investigation of lakes for the disposition of fish fry".

3. Further amend by striking out the figures "\$4500" where they appear in item 4 of Section 3 and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$3200".

Further amend said Section 3 by striking out all of item 5 and all of item 6.

Further amend by inserting the words "and refrigerator" after the word "machine" in item 14 of said Section 3.

Further amend by adding at the end of Section 3 a new item to read as follows:

"20. Repairs and improvements to electric light plant, 1920 only, \$3000."

4. Further amend by striking out the figures "\$3000" where they appear in item 6 of Section 7 and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$6500" and by striking out the following words and figures in said item 6 of said Section 7: "For printing for State Horticultural Society, \$4000. For deficiency State Horticultural Society, immediately available, \$1920."

Further amend by adding after item 7 of said Section 7 the words "Clay County Poultry Association, Mahnomen County Poultry Association of Mahnomen, the Norman County Poultry Association of Ada, Big Stone County Poultry Association, Kittson County Poultry Association, Nobles County Poultry Association."

Further amend by adding a new item to said Section 7 to be known as item 8 to read as follows:

"8. For aid to Red River Valley Live Stock Association, \$2000."

5. Further amend by striking out all of item 1 of Section 11 and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"1. For aid to fire departments, immediately available, \$16,-329.98."

1a. For aid to fire departments, available 1920, \$160,000.

1b. For aid to fire departments, available 1921, \$175,000."

Further amend said Section 11 by striking out the figures "\$25,-000" in item 12 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$15,-000."

Further amend by striking out the figures "\$35,000" where they appear in item 15 of said Section 11 and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$25,000."

Further amend by adding at the end of said Section 11 a new item to be known as item 21, to read as follows:

"21. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of Chapter 365, General Laws 1917, relating to evening public schools for adults, to be expended under the direction of the State Board of Control, \$12,500."

And by adding a further item at the end of said Section 11 to be known as item 22, to read as follows:

"22. For investigating and locating feasible water power sites for the erection and construction a state owned paper mill, to be expended under the direction of the State Editorial Association, \$500."

6. Further amend by striking out the figures "\$2500" where they appear in item 3 of Section 12, and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$1750", and by striking out the figures "\$150" where they appear in item 4 of Section 12 and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$100", and by striking out the figures "\$500" in item 5 of said Section 12, and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$250", and by striking out the figures "\$400" where they appear in item 6 of said Section 12 and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$100", and further by striking out the words "and improvements" in item 7 of said Section 12 and the

figures "\$650", and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$200", and by adding a new item to be known as item 7a to read as follows:

"7a. For moving and improving buildings, \$300."

And by striking out the figures "2,500" where they appear in item 8 of said Section 12 and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$1500"; and by inserting after item 13 of said Section 12 a new item to be known as 13a for the establishment of a public park to be located in sections 8, 9 and 16, township 124, North, Range 46 West in Big Stone County, Minnesota, to be known as "Toqua Lakes State Park", and for the purchase of lands available for the year ending July 31, 1920, \$5000."

"The state auditor, secretary of state and R. A. Costello of Graceville, Minnesota, are hereby created a commission and are authorized and directed to negotiate for the acquisition of such tracts or parcels of land within the limits of said park as such board deems necessary for park purposes."

7. Further amend by striking out all of Section 18 by renumbering Sections 19 and 20 as adopted by Senate amendment to S. F. No. 1056 as 18 and 19.

8. Further amend by adding a new section to be known as Section 20 to read as follows:

"Section 20. State Forestry Board.

1. For maintenance and fire protection, \$85,000.00.

2. For maintenance and fire protection, immediately available, \$10,000.

Provided, that of the sum named in item 1 hereof not to exceed \$12,000 shall be available for salaries of employes, office expenses and maintaining office, and not to exceed \$10,000 each year shall be available for reforestration purposes."

9. Further amend by adding a new section to be known as Section 21, to read as follows:

"Section 21. For publishing of maps and highway laws of session 1919 and for necessary postage for mailing the same to be expended by the State Highway Commission, \$2,000."

THEODORE CHRISTIANSON,

OSCAR A. SWENSON,

CHARLES T. MURPHY,

OLE LAGERSEN,

J. L. KINGSLEY,

Managers on the part of the
House.

A. J. ROCKNE,

J. D. SULLIVAN,

OLE O. SAGENG,

JAMES A. CARLEY,

JOHN W. HOPP,

Managers on the part of the
Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 1056 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 53 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Ward,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Rockne,	
Conroy,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1249, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the state government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of state appropriations.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1249, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the state government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of state appropriations.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that—

H. F. No. 1249, A bill for an act to appropriate money for ex-

penses of the state government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and **limitations relative to the** expenditure of state appropriations.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1249

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1249, A bill for an act to appropriate money for expenses of the state government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and **limitations relative to the** expenditure of state appropriations.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Naplin,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Orr,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Ward,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Wold,
Carley,	Gillam,	Larson,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Schmechel,	
Colman,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Stepan,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Fowler moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 191, No. 35 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Mr. Fowler moved a call of the Senate.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Carley,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lee,
Anderson,	Cashel,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Lindsley,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	Loonam,
Benson,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	McGarry,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Madigan,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Millett,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Naplin,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Kuntz,	Nolan,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hall,	Larson,	Nord,

Orr,	Reed,	Sageng,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Vibert,
Palmer,	Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Swanson,	Ward,
Peterson,	Rockne,	Stepan,	Turnham,	Widell,
Putnam,	Romberg,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Van Hoven,	Wold,
Rask,				

Mr. Fowler moved that further proceedings under the Call be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules,
And the roll being called, there were yeas 37 and nays 30,
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	- Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Vibert,
Callahan,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Rockne,	Wold,
Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,	
Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson,	Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Putnam,
Baldwin,	Cashel,	Gjerset,	Lee,	Romberg,
Benson,	Cliff,	Hall,	Loonam,	Sageng,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Blomgren,	Cumming,	Hopp,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Peterson,	Ward,

So the motion did not prevail.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 1250, A bill for an act to provide for a levy of taxes for state purposes for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1920 and June 30, 1921.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 23, 1919. Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS—CONTINUED.

H. F. No. 1250, A bill for an act to provide for a levy of taxes for state purposes for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1920 and June 30, 1921.

Was read the first time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Rockne moved that the rules be suspended and that,

H. F. No. 1250, A bill for an act to provide for a levy of taxes for state purposes for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1920 and June 30, 1921.

Be read the second and third times and placed upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1250,

Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 1250, A bill for an act to provide for a levy of taxes for state purposes for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1920 and June 30, 1921.

Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson,	Cumming,	Handlan,	McGarry,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Devold,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Vibert,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Lee,	Rockne,	Widell,
Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	Wold,
Conroy,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Sageng,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for a Conference Committee on the following Senate File.

S. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 44, and amendments thereto, of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, relating to drainage as follows: Add to said chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A. Directing the public examiner to adjust the drainage fund account in various counties and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof; 5548-A. Relating to the division and apportionment of assessments, 5552-C. Providing for the making and filing of a plat of tile

drainage systems, 5597-A, 5597-B, 5597-C, 5597-D, 5597-E and 5597-F. Providing that the overflow from certain municipal sewage systems may be discharged, under certain restrictions into drainage ditches, and 5672-B. Providing for additional assessments and bond issue to finish paying cost of ditch under certain conditions. Amend Sections 5480, 5482, 5529, 5532, 5597 and 5635 of the General Statutes of 1913 and also Sections 5481, as amended by Chapter 273 of the General Laws of 1915, 5541, 5571 and 5636 of the said General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, and 5552-A, and 5552-B as contained respectively in Sections 14 and 15 of Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, said sections above specified relating to public ditches and the drainage of lands. The assessment of damages and benefits resulting therefrom, providing for rehearings of petitions for ditches, providing for drainage into drainage ditches already established, creating the department of drainage and waters, providing for officers and defining their duties, prescribing the duties of engineers and state and county officials so far as the same relates to drainage and drainage ditches, providing for appeals in certain cases, providing for the payment of the cost of labor and material and of allowance of claims, providing for payment of bridges over drainage ditches under certain conditions and repealing certain sections.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Swanson moved that the vote whereby H. F. No. 1128 was indefinitely postponed, be now reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 1128,

Was read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 1128, A bill for an act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge

purposes additional to that which it is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for purposes of town government, and providing for the collection of such tax and the expenditure of funds derived therefrom.

Was read the third time.

Mr Swanson moved to amend H. F. No. 1128, Section 1, by striking out in the printed bill all printed matter in line 4, after the word "township" and all of lines 5, 6, 7 and 8, and inserting in lieu thereof and to be added at the end of the word "township" in line 4, Section 1, the following: "the property of which was so taxed to create such fund.

Provided, however, that such fund in any county having not less than thirty-five nor more than forty congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million nor more than twenty million dollars, may be expended in any adjoining organized or unorganized township, or portion thereof, upon a petition being presented to the county board, signed by a majority of the resident tax payers of said unorganized township from which said petition emanates requesting that all or part of said money so collected in said unorganized township, shall be expended in the adjoining organized or unorganized township, or portion thereof".

Further amend H. F. No. 1128, Section 2, line 4, by striking out of the printed bill the words "one-half or fraction".

Which amendment was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hall,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Swanson,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Turnham,
Benson,	Devold,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Van Hoven,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Widell,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	McGarry,	Sageng,	
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Madigan,	Schmechel,	
Coleman,	Gooding,	Millett,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill was passed and its title was agreed to.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,

President of the Senate.

Hon. W. I. Nolan,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of Senate and House upon the disagreeing votes as to House amendments to Senate File No. 1043, a bill for an act to amend Chapter 44 and amendments thereto, of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to drainage, and add to said chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A and for other purposes, beg leave to report thereon that we have conferred and hereby make the following report:

1. That the Senate recede from its refusal to adopt the House amendments Nos. 1 and 2 to said S. F. No. 1043 and have agreed to both of said amendments.

2. That the House recede from the third amendment adopted by the House to said S. F. No. 1043, to-wit: the amendment offered by Mr. Christianson.

F. L. CLIFF,
CHARLES E. ADAMS,
FRANK E. PUTNAM,
J. H. HALL,
F. H. PETERSON,

Managers on the part of the Senate.

JOHN LEVIN,
ELMER E. ADAMS,
C. M. BENDIXEN,
O. C. NEUMAN,
THOMAS H. GIRLING,

Managers on the part of the House.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 1043 and that the bill be re-passed as amended. Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 1043 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended, And the roll being called, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Cashel,	Cosgrove,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, as amended, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 115, A bill for an act to amend Section 4256 of the General Statutes of 1913 relating to road crossings over railroads.

S. F. No. 115 herewith returned.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Turnham moved that the Senate do now concur in the amendments by the House to S. F. No. 115 and that the bill be placed on its re-passage as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 43 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Nolan,	Schmechel,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Nord,	Stepan,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Callahan,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Reed,	Wold,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Ribenack,	
Cashel,	Gillam,	Lindsley,	Romberg,	

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the Conference Report on the following Senate File and re-passed the bill as amended, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 337, A bill for an act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a State Expert Printer, and defining their duties.

April 23, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee on the following Senate File, and repassed the bill as amended:

S. F. No. 1059, A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government, authorizing the State Auditor to credit on pending logging permits amounts heretofore paid on certain other logging permits, all issued to the same party, and for other purposes.

OSCAR ARNESON,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

*To the Hon. W. I. Nolan,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*To the Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sirs: The undersigned conferees and managers on the part of the House and Senate upon the disagreeing votes of the House amendments as to S. F. No. 1059, "A bill for an act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government, authorizing the State Auditor to credit on pending logging permits amounts heretofore paid on certain logging permits, all issued to the same party, and for other purposes," beg leave to report that we have conferred, agreed and herewith make the following report:

First: That the House recedes from all its amendments to said S. F. No. 1059 and the conferees have agreed that S. F. No. 1059 be amended and modified as follows:

1. Strike out all of Section 3.

2. By striking out the figures "3,500" where they appear in Section 9 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3,000."

3. Further amend by striking out the figures "5000" where they appear in Section 18 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3500."

4. Further amend by striking out the figures "139.30" in Section 33 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "71.10."

Further amend said Section 33 by adding a new section to be known as 33A to read as follows:

"Section 33A. To reimburse Erick Olson of Lake Park, Minnesota for payment on interest and penalty upon state contract, \$68.20.

5. Further amend by striking out the figures "3700" where they appear in Section 39 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3600."

6. Further amend by striking out the figures "3600" where they appear in Section 40 and by inserting in lieu thereof the figures "2000."

7. Further amend Section 44 by striking out the figures "5000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "400.00."

8. Further amend Section 46 by striking out the figures "2500.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1500.00."

9. Further amend by striking out all of Section 47.

10. Further amend Section 49 by striking out the figures "2400.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1500.00."

11. Further amend by striking out all of Section 52.

12. Further amend Section 82 by striking out the figures "4666.70" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3000.00."

13. Further amend Section 85 by striking out the figures "\$5000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3500.00."

14. Further amend Section 85 by striking out of the proviso the word "eighty" and the figures "(80)" where they occur therein and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty" and the figures "(50)."

15. Further amend Section 93 by striking out the figures "2500.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3500.00."

16. Further amend by inserting after Section 93 the following:

"Section 94. To compensate Martin Willinger for injuries received by him while prisoner at the twine factory at the state prison, \$1250.00."

17. Further amend by adding a new section to said Senate File to be known as Section 95 to read as follows:

"Section 95. To compensate Charles C. Fischer for injuries received by him while a member of Company A., Fourth Regiment, Minnesota National Guards, while on duty in Minneapolis, \$2500.00."

18. Further amend by adding a new section to said S. F. No. 1059 as follows:

"Section 96. To reimburse John Orlowske for service rendered as deputy oil inspector, \$200.00."

19. Further amend said Senate File by adding another section to be known as Section 97, as follows:

"Section 97. To reimburse John Spornick for injuries received by him as a member of the Battery D, First Field Artillery, Minnesota National Guards, \$1500.00."

20. Further amend said Senate File by adding a new section to read as follows:

"Section 98. For the relief of L. Bert Francis for injuries sustained by him while in the employment of the St. Paul Fish Hatchery, \$210.00."

21. Further amend by adding another section to be known as Section 99 as follows:

"Section 99. To compensate Dr. R. M. Pederson for medical services rendered to Charles O. Pederson, injured at the target range, Lake City, \$61.25."

22. Further amend said S. F. No. 1059 by adding a new section to be known as Section 100, to read as follows:

"Section 100. To reimburse H. M. Clark of Bemidji for land purchased, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{2}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 36-149, 30, \$214.90."

23. Further amend S. F. No. 1059 by adding another and further section to be known as Section 101, to read as follows:

"Section 101. The State Auditor is hereby authorized to reimburse Arpin & Scott of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, in an amount not to exceed \$491.61 for timber sold from the NW $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 28-57-10, which forty was the property of Arpin and Scott and the timber on which in error was sold by the state to Curry and Whyte Company of Duluth, Minnesota and cut by them."

24. Further amend by striking out all of Section 94 of the en-

grossed bill and by inserting at the end of Section 101 hereof the following:

"Section 102. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

F. B. PATTISON,
J. V. JACOBSON,
C. O. CARLSON,
L. O. TEIGEN,
JNO J. SLITER,

Managers on the part of the House.

A. J. ROCKNE,
CHARLES N. ORR,
P. A. GANDRUD,
W. A. NOLAN,
HENRY N. BENSON.

Managers on the part of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference Report on S. F. No. 1059 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

Conference Report on S. F. No. 1059 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill, as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 51 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Romberg,
Anderson,	Coleman,	Gooding,	Larson,	Sageng,
Baldwin,	Conroy,	Guilford,	Madigan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Millett,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Cumming,	Hamer,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Reed,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Ribenack,	Widell,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Rockne,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has adopted the report of the Conference Committee as to the following Senate File, and has repassed the bill as amended:

S. F. No. 1043, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 44, and

amendments thereto of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, relating to drainage: Add to said chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A. Directing the Public Examiner to adjust the Drainage Fund account in various counties and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof; 5548-A. Relating to the division and apportionment of assessments, 5552-C. Providing for the making and filing of a plat of tile drainage system, 5597-A, 5597-B, 5597-C, 5597-D, 5597-E and 5597-F. Providing that the overflow from certain municipal sewage systems, may be discharged, into certain restrictions into drainage ditches, and 672-B. Providing for additional assessments and bond issue to finish paying the cost of which under certain condition. Amend Sections 5480, 5482, 5529, 5532, 5597 and 5635 of the General Statutes of 1913 and also Section 5481, as amended by Section 273 of the General Laws of 1915, 5541, 5571. and 5636 of the said General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 441 of the General Laws of 1917, and 5552-A, and 5552-B, as contained respectively in Sections 14 and 15 of 441 of the General Laws of 1917, said sections above specified relating to public ditches and the drainage of lands. The assessments of damages and benefits resulting therefrom, providing for rehearings of petitions for ditches, providing for drainage in drainage ditches already established, creating the department of drainage and waters, providing for officers and defining their duties, prescribing the duties of engineers and state and county officials so far as the same relates to drainage and drainage ditches, providing for appeals in certain cases, providing for the payment of the cost of labor and material of allowance of claims, providing for payment of bridges over drainage ditches under certain conditions and repealing certain sections.

S. F. No. 1043, herewith returned.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 23, 1919.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Peterson moved the adoption of the foregoing Conference report on S. F. No. 1043 and that the bill be re-passed as amended.

Conference report on S. F. No. 1043 adopted.

The question being taken on the re-passage of the bill as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 50 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Conroy,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Sageng,
Anderson,	Cumming,	Hall,	Madigan,	Schmechel,
Baldwin,	Denegre,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Hegnes,	Orr,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Besette,	Erickson,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Jackson,	Peterson,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gandrud,	Johnson,	Putnam,	Van Hoven,
Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Rask,	Vibert,
Cliff,	Gjeraset,	Kuntz,	Reed,	Widell,
Coleman,	Gooding,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,

So the bill re-passed and its title was agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Benson moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 664 be given its second and third reading and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the motion to suspend the rules,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 31 and nays 30, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Benson,	Erickson,	Hall,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Hopp,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Rask,	Van Hoven,
Cosgrove,	Gjeraset,	Larson,	Ribenack,	Ward,
Cumming,	Gooding,	McGarry,	Romberg,	Widell,
Devold,	Guilford,	Millett,	Stepan,	Wold,

Those who voted in the negative were:

Adams,	Cashel,	Gillam,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,
Anderson,	Cliff,	Hamer,	Loonam,	Putnam,
Baldwin,	Coleman,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Besette,	Conroy,	Hegnes,	Naplin,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bonniwell,	Denegre,	Jackson,	Nord,	Swanson,
Carley,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Orr,	Vibert,

So the motion did not prevail.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned:

S. F. No. 412, A bill for an act to amend Chapter 379 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1901, entitled, An act to authorize and empower cities of this state which now have or hereafter may have no more than fifty thousand (50,000) and not less than ten thou-

sand (10,000) inhabitants, to make local improvements and to assess the cost thereof on property benefited thereby.

April 23, 1919.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files herewith returned:

S. F. No. 1033, A bill for an act to authorize any village in this state situate upon a river forming the boundary between the State of Minnesota and any other state to operate a ferry across such river.

S. F. No. 3, A bill for an act to establish a branch school of Agriculture at Waseca, as a department of the University of Minnesota.

OSCAR ARNESON,

April 23, 1919.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Sageng moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 1142, No. 114 on General Orders, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 1142, A bill for an act providing for additional clerk hire for judges of probate in certain counties.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 52 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Bonniwell,	Fowler,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Widell,
Boylan,	Gandrud,	McGarry,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Brooks,	Gillam,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Carley,	Guilford,	Naplin,	Sageng,	
Coleman,	Hamer,	Nolan,	Stepan,	
Cosgrove,	Hegnes,	Nord,	Sullivan, G. H.,	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,

Secretary of the Senate.

SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, THURSDAY, April 24, 1919.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the President.

Prayer by Mr. Hamer.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams,	Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Benson,	Denegre,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Bessette,	Devold,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Blomgren,	Dwyer,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Bonniwell,	Erickson,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Boylan,	Fowler,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Brooks,	Gandrud,	Larson,	Rask,	Ward,
Callahan,	Gillam,	Lee,	Reed,	Widell,
Carley,	Gjeraset,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,	Wold,
Cashel,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Romberg,	
Coleman,	Hall,	Madigan,	Sageng,	

Quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

St. Paul, April 23, 1919.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the attached list of nominations as Notaries Public for the period from January 7 to and including April 23, 1919.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Orr moved that the Senate, having advised with, do now consent to and confirm the appointments of His Excellency, the Governor, above transmitted, and that the appointments be not printed in the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, April 23, 1919

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 151, An act to amend Sub-section 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1913, which Chapter 400 is entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employes, so far as the same relates to the salaries and compensation of the officers and employes of the Department of Labor and Industries, and authorizing the transfer of certain funds from the contingent fund of said department to the maintenance fund thereof.

S. F. No. 231, An act to amend Chapter 192 Laws 1915, as amended by Chapter 31, Laws 1917, relating to the issuance by the State Auditor of leases on school, university, internal improvement, swamp and other state lands in which the state may have an interest for taking sand, clay, rock, marl, peat and black dirt therefrom, storing thereon ore, waste materials from mines, rock and tailings from ore milling plants, and for building or garden sites and for other uses.

S. F. No. 374, An act to amend Chapter 131 of the General Laws of 1915 relating to conveyances by husband or wife of insane or incompetent persons.

S. F. No. 666, An act providing for the codification and revision of the dairy and food laws.

S. F. No. 670, An act authorizing the State Board of

Control, with the approval of the State Auditor, to select from the public lands owned by the state not to exceed four sections of land to be used as a location for the maintenance of a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons, authorizing the improvement of such lands by the State Board of Control, and providing for the admission of persons thereto, and providing for the transfer of inmates from the colony for epileptics and the school for feeble-minded at Faribault to such colonies, and directing the withdrawal of the lands selected from sale or disposition.

S. F. No. 698, An act relating to lost, stolen and unclaimed property in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by a home rule charter.

S. F. No. 792, An act to legalize defective mortgage or mechanics lien foreclosure sales heretofore made and the record thereof.

S. F. No. 793, An act to legalize acknowledgments taken by Notaries Public who were or are members of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, at the time of taking such acknowledgments, and acknowledgments taken by military officers affecting real or personal property within this state, together with a record of any and all instruments bearing any such acknowledgments.

S. F. No. 924, An act to amend Sections 3343 and 3344, General Statutes 1913, which said sections as so amended relate to the taxation of insurance companies.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 22, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 108, An act to regulate the sale of cigarettes and cigarette paper and providing for licensing the manufacture and sale of same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

S. F. No. 308, An act to amend Section 83, Chapter 235 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto; the creation of a state highway commission, prescribing its powers and duties, appropriating money therefor, and providing for the payment of state aid for the construction and improvement of roads, and authorizing and directing the levy of taxes for highway purposes, as amended by Chapter 43 of the General Laws of 1917.

S. F. No. 426, An act to amend Section 9390 General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their deputies and clerks in certain counties of this state.

S. F. No. 663, An act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 47, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, entitled, An act requiring all places or receptacles where any fruit or any food products are manufactured, packed, stored, deposited, kept, collected, prepared, produced, sold or served to be kept and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, providing for inspection of all such places and prescribing penalties and punishments for violations hereof.

S. F. No. 664, An act to amend Section 3712, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the sale of unwholesome substances for use as food and the penalties for violation thereof.

S. F. No. 673, An act to amend Section 3678, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of operators of testing apparatus, and the penalties for violation thereof.

S. F. No. 807, An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of, roads in said county, or in any portion thereof, or in any counties adjoining said county, and to expend the proceeds thereof for said purposes in any one year, regardless of existing limitations.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,

Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

St. Paul, April 23, 1919.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

Member State Board of Chiropractic Examiners and Registration:
Edwin C. Murphy, Ramsey County, for the term of five years
from the third day of May, 1919.

Chief Boiler Inspector:

V. E. Patnaude, Ramsey County, for the term ending February
1, 1921.

District Boiler Inspector:

Edward Jacobs, Ramsey County, for the term expiring the first
day of February, 1921.

William Ives, Hennepin County, for the term expiring the first
day of February, 1921.

William Beveridge, Morrison County, for Senatorial District No.
53, for the term ending February 1, 1921.

M. Kaliher, Mille Lacs County, for Senatorial District No. 55, for
the term ending February 1, 1921.

Andrew Elness, Cottonwood County, for Senatorial District No.
10, for the term ending February 1, 1921.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Ward offered the following Resolution and moved its adop-
tion:

Whereas, This Nation, on account of unpreparedness, was at a
great disadvantage in the world war. That to protect the people,
the honor and reputation of the government, it is necessary at all
times to be ready. While war is to be deprecated, national honor
and the rights and liberty of the people may sometimes require that
the nation fights for peace. Resolved, That we advocate compul-
sory military training, a standing army, a substantial navy, and that
the United States shall be kept in position to resist national foes
and protect its people from internal enemies who seek to violate its
laws and the rights guaranteed to all the people.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now recess until 12 P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

RECESS.

The President called the Senate to order at 12 o'clock P. M.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 24, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to transmit for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

Board for Seed Potato Inspection and Certification—
Robert Scott, Clay County, for the term of one year.
A. M. Sisler, Itasca County, for the term of two years.
C. E. Brown, Sherburne County, for the term of three years.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
----- Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 24, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

State Board of Education:

George B. Aiton, Itasca County, for the term ending January 1, 1920.

Julius Boraas, Rice County, for the term ending January 1, 1922.

Thomas E. Cashman, Steele County, for the term ending January 1, 1922.

Mrs. R. D. Musser, Morrison County, for the term ending January 1, 1924.

W. D. Willard, Blue Earth County, for the term ending January 1, 1924.

Very truly yours,
J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
----- Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 24, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following proposed nomination:

Commissioner of Agriculture:

N. J. Holmberg, Renville County, for the term of four years.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 24, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following proposed nomination:

Member of Board of Grain Appeals:

D. P. O'Neill, Pennington County, for the term ending August 1, 1920.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Gjerset moved that the Senate, having advised with, do now consent to and confirm the appointments of His Excellency, the Governor, heretofore and above transmitted, with the exception of William Beveridge of Morrison County, as District Oil Inspector for Senatorial District No. 53.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President of the Senate announced the following Senators as members of the Guarantee of Bank Deposit Interim Commission: Messrs. Nolan, Benson, Gooding, Gandrud and Johnson.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 24, 1919.

Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.

Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith for the consideration of the Senate the following nominations:

Members Great Lakes, St. Lawrence, Tidewater Commission—
J. L. Record, Hennepin County; C. P. Craig, St. Louis County;
M. J. Dowling, Renville County.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

CONFIRMATION.

Mr. Peterson moved that the Senate, having advised with, do now consent to and confirm the appointments of His Excellency the Governor, above transmitted.

Which motion prevailed.

IN MEMORIAM—SENATOR JOHN A. RYSTROM.

Senator John A. Rystrom was born in Slatthok, Kronebergs, Lan, Sweden, December 21, 1855, and came to the United States with his parents in 1866. They settled in Indiana, moving to Chisago County in 1867, settling first at Center City and later moving to Spring Lake. In 1880 he bought a farm near North Branch. He was united in marriage on June 24, 1882, to Ida C. Peterson of Fish Lake. Six children were born to this union.

He resided on this farm with his family until 1907, when they moved to the village of North Branch, where he resided until his death.

In 1900 he was made president and manager of the North Branch Milling Company, and has also been president and manager of the Farmers' Starch Company since its organization. He was president of the Merchants State Bank of North Branch, held various offices in Chisago County, and served his district in the State Senate during the sessions of 1915 and 1917.

He always took a prominent part in all movements of every kind that he considered beneficial to the community in which he resided, and his dominant personality always carried weight and influence for any activity in which he engaged.

His knowledge of the wants, the needs, the hopes and aspirations of the state was most comprehensive and there were few members of the Senate whose counsel was more frequently sought on public measures or more highly valued. His legislative career was marked by broad-minded, comprehensive action.

The passing of Honorable John A. Rystrom created another vacancy in the rapidly diminishing ranks of those sturdy, typical

pioneers who not only "made Minnesota" but "made America"—men whom no obstacles could long delay, no difficulties deter and no dangers daunt.

Inheriting as he did an indomitable will, incorruptible honesty, unconquerable courage and tireless patience, Senator Rystrom was a natural leader of men, uniting with these qualities a keen intellect and a clear far-seeing judgment of men and measures.

In his home life, Senator Rystrom was always kind and gentle—a loving husband and a companionable and indulgent father, and his passing has left a void in the hearts of those who were nearest and dearest to him that can never be filled.

His qualities of heart and mind greatly endeared Senator Rystrom to all who knew him intimately as a private citizen, or were associated with him in positions of public trust, and it is but a fitting and deserving tribute to his memory to say that in his death, the state has sustained the loss of one of her most loyal and honored citizens.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota :

That in the death of the Hon. John A. Rystrom, the state and nation loses one of its wise counsellors, devoted servitors, and a valued citizen, and those who were his colleagues in legislative service and who knew him best, most profoundly mourn his loss.

That in terms of warmest sympathy, we desire to convey to his hereaved and stricken wife and family our sincere condolence in the personal loss by them suffered of a splendid husband and father.

That the people of the state whom he served so long and well will long remember him as a public servant, always devoted to their interests and with an eye single to their welfare.

And Be It Further Resolved that this report, together with the resolutions forming a part thereof, shall be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and an engrossed copy thereof be forwarded to the family of the departed Senator.

ADOLPH S. LARSON,
F. H. PETERSON,
OLE O. SAGENG.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

ADDRESS BY MR. PETERSON.

JOHN A. RYSTROM.

It is one of the traditions of this body, faithfully observed during the years I have been a member of it, to take note of the death of its members and to write into the Permanent Journal some word of appreciation of their lives and character.

And it is peculiarly fitting on this last day of the session before the motion is made to adjourn without date and the acts of this body go into history that we pause for a brief moment out of respect to the memory of John A. Rystrom, re-call his life among us here, inscribe in our records a tribute to his worth and lay upon his tomb a simple token of our affection.

I served with Senator Rystrom in the sessions of 1915 and 1917. We sat near each other, served on committees together, and I soon became well acquainted with him. I was drawn to him because of his very evident purpose to devote his whole time and energy while here to the service of his state and the district which had so signally honored him.

He had been a successful farmer and business man. He was a keen student of the events of the day and had a great store of knowledge of history and of the history of his adopted state and nation. He had thought out from day to day the ways to meet and overcome the difficulties he met with in a business way. He was a patriot and not only sincerely loved his country but he believed our form of government to be the best in the world, and was unwilling to stray very far from the landmarks established by the fathers.

He brought to the Senate an intelligent and well-balanced mind, good judgment and a conscientious desire to do his utmost to advance the state's highest interest. He was painstaking in all his duties. He worked out in his own way the solution of the many bills presented for his consideration, and I never knew him to throw upon another the responsibility for his vote.

He was modest, diffident and unpretentious. He rarely rose to address the Senate, and when he did he confined himself to plain statements and facts. The graces of fine speech, ornate diction and eloquent address were never claimed by him, or for him by his best friends. If he had been obliged to compete with others in these lines in order to properly represent his district he would probably have resigned and gone home before the close of a week's service.

Fortunate it is that we have had, not only men of brilliant parts whose attainments have sometimes dazzled us by their splendor, but

the calm, quiet, self-possessed discriminating minds, able to comprehend intricate questions, to discern right from wrong, and to deliver by their simple "aye" and "no" the final judgment which after all is the test of the true legislator.

To this latter class belongs Senator Rystrom, and his judgments, with others of his class, have been written into the permanent laws of the state and constitute a rich and enduring legacy for all future generations.

Although modest and unassuming, Senator Rystrom was by no means a weak or timid man. Once his mind came to a conclusion as to the right position to take he clung to that position with great tenacity. His courage was unflinching and his purpose unbending and uncompromising.

His characer and reputation were untarnished by even a whisper of suspicion.

His was a useful and well-spent life, for himself, his family and his state.

His district honored him in his election to this body and he honored his district and state in the faithful and conscientious performance of his duties.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rockne moved that the remarks offered by Mr. Peterson be printed in the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Benson moved that a Committee of three be appointed to advise His Excellency, the Governor, that the Senate is about to adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President appointed Messrs. Benson, Putnam and Fowler as such committee.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Joint Rules, offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, the general index to bills of the Senate and of the House as heretofore printed in the Permanent Journal of the Senate, cov-

ers over 140 pages thereof, more than one-half of which space is required by reason of printing in nearly complete form the lengthy titles of bills; and

Whereas, the utility of such index will not be impaired, but probably improved, if the titles are very materially reduced—such words being used to fully identify the bills—and in that way reducing the cost of printing that part of the Permanent Journal more than 50%.

Now therefore, be it resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed, when arranging and preparing copy for the Journal Index, to reduce and condense titles wherever the same can be done without impairing the usefulness of such index.

Be it further resolved that the Secretary be and he is hereby allowed the sum of \$100.00 for services in complying with this resolution.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 60 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Coleman,	Guilford,	Lindsley,	Ribenack,
Anderson,	Cosgrove,	Hall,	Loonam,	Rockne,
Baldwin,	Cumming,	Hamer,	McGarry,	Romberg,
Bessette,	Denegre,	Handlan,	Madigan,	Sageng,
Blomgren,	Devold,	Hegnes,	Millett,	Schmechel,
Bonniwell,	Dwyer,	Hopp,	Naplin,	Stepan,
Boylan,	Erickson,	Jackson,	Nolan,	Sullivan, G. H.,
Brooks,	Fowler,	Johnson,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Callahan,	Gandrud,	Kingsbury,	Orr,	Turnham,
Carley,	Gillam,	Kuntz,	Peterson,	Vibert,
Cashel,	Gjerset,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Cliff,	Gooding,	Lee,	Reed,	Wold,

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Swanson offered a resolution which was read.

Mr. Fowler moved that the resolution be rejected.

The question being taken on the rejection of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 63 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Callahan,	Dwyer,	Hamer,	Lee,
Anderson,	Carley,	Erickson,	Handlan,	Lindsley,
Baldwin,	Cliff,	Fowler,	Hegnes,	McGarry,
Benson,	Coleman,	Gandrud,	Hopp,	Madigan,
Bessette,	Conroy,	Gillam,	Jackson,	Millett,
Blomgren,	Cosgrove,	Gjerset,	Johnson,	Naplin,
Bonniwell,	Cumming,	Gooding,	Kingsbury,	Nolan,
Boylan,	Denegre,	Guilford,	Kuntz,	Nord,
Brooks,	Devold,	Hall,	Larson,	Orr,

Palmer,	Reed,	Sageng,	Sullivan, J. D.,	Widell,
Peterson,	Ribenack,	Schmechel,	Turnham,	Wold,
Putnam,	Rockne,	Stepan,	Van Hoven,	
Rask,	Romberg,	Sullivan, G. H.,	Vibert,	

Mr. Swanson voted in the negative.

So the resolution was rejected.

Mr. Larson, from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Expenses, to which was referred resolutions by Senators Putnam, Kingsbury and Denegre, and all other resolutions concerning legislative expenses referred to said committee, hereby reports to the Senate as a substitute for all of said resolutions, that the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to draw his warrant in favor of the following named persons for the following sums for the following purposes, namely:

EXPENSES AND ATTORNEYS FEES OF GEORGE H. SULLIVAN, CONTESTANT IN THE SULLIVAN-WILCOX CONTEST.

To Thomas H. Maher, sheriff fees and witness fees paid..	\$86.44
To Warren A. Maunsell, court reporter, for stenographic services and transcript.....	77.90
To Review Publishing Company, printing transcript of testimony	187.75
To Easton and Masterman, printing brief.....	120.00
To David Connors, Clerk of Court, for clerk fees.....	2.10
To Wilson Thoreen, for legal services in said election contest	500.00
To Albert Schaller, for legal services in said election contest	500.00

EXPENSES AND ATTORNEYS FEES OF W. W. WILCOX, CONTESTEE, IN THE SULLIVAN-WILCOX CONTEST.

To James Manahan, for legal services and expenses.....	379.70
To Thomas V. Sullivan, for legal services and expenses...	378.00
To Charles W. Barnes, for legal services and expenses....	148.60
To Warren E. Maunsell, for stenographic work.....	26.58

EXPENSES AND ATTORNEYS FEES IN C. F. NORWOOD CONTEST.

To Floyd A. Lindsley, for election contest—attorney fees and expenses	173.00
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EXPENSES AND ATTORNEYS FEES IN THE PETER VAN HOVEN CONTEST.

To T. J. Doyle and Albert Schaller, election contest, attorney fees and expenses..... 275.00

EXPENSES—MISCELLANEOUS.

To Archie Coleman, in payment of first installment of salary as Senator from the 34th district..... 250.00

To C. M. Cosgrove, in payment of first installment of salary as Senator from the 17th district..... 250.00

To George H. Sullivan, in payment of first installment of salary as Senator from the 43d district..... 250.00

To George W. Peachey, for services and expenses of clerk hire in preparing copy of topical and office index, to be included in the Senate Journal for the 1919 session.... \$200.00

To George W. Peachey, for work to be rendered in completing the records at the close of the session..... 200.00

To George W. Peachey, for postage and drayage for use of the 1919 session of the Senate..... 106.32

To George W. Peachey, for extra services to be paid at the close of 1919 session..... 135.00

To John Kirby, for car fare expenses paid out as legislative mail carrier 30.00

To Marion M. Booth, for stenographic services..... 30.00

To R. L. Coburn, for extra services in charge of elevator.. 50.00

To John M. O'Dowd, for extra services in charge of elevator 50.00

To N. Bowers, for extra services in charge of elevator.... 50.00

To Rose Cook, for services rendered as telephone messenger 200.00

To Eva Olson, for services rendered as telephone messenger 200.00

To Lucetta Mangen, for services rendered as telegraph operator 200.00

To Catherine Lederman, for labor as charwoman..... 50.00

To Edith Young, for labor as charwoman..... 50.00

To Annie Carlson, for labor as charwoman..... 50.00

To Mary Theno, for labor as charwoman..... 50.00

To Roy Dilley, for delivering copies of Senate Journal to printer	100.00
To John A. Stoneberg, for additional compensation as Sergeant-at-Arms	500.00
To T. A. Walsh, for additional salary as assistant engrossing clerk	150.00

Mr. Larson moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 61 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adams,	Cumming,	Handlan,	Naplin,	Schmechel,
Anderson,	Denegre,	Hegnes,	Nolan,	Stepan,
Baldwin,	Devold,	Hopp,	Nord,	Sullivan, J. D.,
Benson,	Dwyer,	Jackson,	Orr,	Swanson,
Bessette,	Erickson,	Johnson,	Palmer,	Turnham,
Blomgren,	Fowler,	Kingsbury,	Peterson,	Van Hoven,
Bonniwell,	Gandrud,	Kuntz,	Putnam,	Vibert,
Boylan,	Gillam,	Larson,	Rask,	Widell,
Brooks,	Gjerset,	Lindsley,	Reed,	Wold,
Callahan,	Gooding,	Loonam,	Ribenack,	
Carley,	Guilford,	McGarry,	Rockne,	
Cliff,	Hall,	Madigan,	Romberg,	
Conroy,	Hamer,	Millett,	Sageng,	

So the resolution was adopted.

CORRECTION.

The Senate Journal for April 14, page 1394 is corrected to read as follows:

Mr. Adams moved that the rules be suspended, that H. F. No. 653, No. 38 on the Calendar, be given its third reading and placed on its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House stands ready to adjourn sine die, and requests that if the Senate has any further communication, that the House will await their pleasure.

OSCAR ARNESON,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 24, 1919.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ST. PAUL, APRIL 23, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 265, An act entitled, An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 156 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, the same being an act relating to sheriffs and their deputies and other assistants in counties containing not less than eighty congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000 and to the salaries of such deputies and assistants.

S. F. No. 372, An act to amend Section 1177 General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.

S. F. No. 441, An act to amend Section 7305, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the making of verified inventories by executors and administrators, and returning the same to probate courts.

S. F. No. 466, An act to amend Sections 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020 and 5021, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Dental Examiners and the licensing of dentists and the practicing of dentistry and fixing the fees to be charged therefor in the State of Minnesota, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and providing for the manner of taking appeals from orders made by the Board of Dental Examiners.

S. F. No. 474, An act to validate certain bonds heretofore purchased by the State Board of Investment with the funds of the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 636, An act to require employers who make deductions from the wages of employes for benefit funds, to have a license from the Commissioner of Insurance and providing a penalty.

S. F. No. 727, An act to prescribe the summons in municipal courts in villages and cities of the fourth class, however organized.

S. F. No. 772, An act to amend Subdivision 8 of Chapter 217 of the General Laws of 1917 entitled, "An act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts, and to apportion anew the Senators and Representatives among the several districts.

S. F. No. 1001, An act to amend Subdivision 2 of Section 2632, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, prescribing regulations concerning the driving of motor vehicles.

S. F. No. 1055, An act to legalize the proceedings of city councils of cities of the fourth class and the election had in connection with the issuing of bonds for sewerage and electric lighting purposes.

S. F. No. 1058. An act authorizing any mutual company, maintaining a guaranty fund equal to the capital stock of a like stock company, to issue policies of insurance without contingent liability and authorizing any such company writing workmen's compensation or liability insurance to write automobile insurance.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

St. Paul, April 23, 1919.

*Hon. Thomas Frankson,
President of the Senate.*

Sir: I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 271, An act to amend Subdivision 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 459 Session Laws, Minnesota 1917, relating to the salaries of certain state officers and employes.

S. F. No. 284, An act empowering the state board for vocational education to establish a division for the re-education and placement of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, permitting co-operation with the federal government, and making an appropriation.

S. F. No. 307, An act to amend Subdivision 3, Section 1 of Chapter 400 of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.

S. F. No. 341, An act making it unlawful to discriminate against handicapped persons through workmen's compensation insurance rates and providing a penalty.

S. F. No. 357, An act authorizing the State auditor to allow the construction and use of school houses in certain state parks.

S. F. No. 454, An act to fix the salaries of the Public Examiner and of the several employees in his office.

S. F. No. 475, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees.

S. F. No. 529, An act relating to life or casualty insurance upon the co-operative or assessment plan.

S. F. No. 545, An act to amend Section 2375, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 394, Laws of 1917; Sections 2376 and 2377, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws of 1917 and Section 2377 Revised Laws of 1905, which said sections relate to "noxious weeds".

S. F. No. 556, An act validating the appropriation and expenditure of funds for certain purposes by certain political subdivisions of this state.

S. F. No. 561, An act to legalize certain mortgage foreclosure sales by action and certificates thereof.

S. F. No. 571, An act to legalize and validate the defective execution of deeds, mortgages and other instruments, and the record thereof.

S. F. No. 647, An act relating to the election of trustees in villages organized under and governed by chapter 145 General Laws of Minnesota 1885.

S. F. No. 788, An act to legalize conveyances of real property heretofore made by a married man or married woman directly to his or her spouse, and the record of such conveyance.

S. F. N. 809, An act to provide that the positions of director of the State Teachers' Employment Bureau and secretary Board of Trustees of the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund

may be held by the same person and that his salary may be paid one-half from the department of education maintenance appropriation and one-half from the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

S. F. No. 961, An act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 118, of the Laws of 1915, relating to appropriations for armories or organizations of the Minnesota National Guard.

S. F. No. 970, An act legalizing the foreclosure or cancellation of contracts for the purchase or sale of real estate and the records thereof where the mortgage registration tax on such contracts had not been paid prior to the commencement of the foreclosure or cancellation thereof but which said mortgage registration tax was paid in full prior to the passage of this act or was paid in full during the pendency of said foreclosure or cancellation proceeding.

S. F. No. 1050, An act relieving counties of liability to incorporated cities, boroughs or villages on account of the failure of county auditors to apportion, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 239, General Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 159, Laws of 1915, penalties and interest accruing upon taxes heretofore levied upon real property.

Very truly yours,

J. A. A. BURNQUIST,
Governor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Benson reported that the Special Committee to notify His Excellency, the Governor, that the Senate was about to adjourn, reported that it had performed its duty and that His Excellency, the Governor, had no further communications to make to the Legislature.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do now adjourn sine die.

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.

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2	An act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the gross value of ores from persons, copartnerships and corporations engaged in the mining or production thereof.	51		1255, 1255				
3	An act to establish a branch school of agriculture at Waseca, as a Department of the University of Minnesota.	51	587	585, 890	928		1786	
4	An act to amend Section 9284, General Statutes 1913, relating to recognizances on appeals or writs of error to the Supreme Court in criminal cases.	52	227	226, 322	406		918	1051
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15	An act to amend Sections 2624, 2625, 2627 and 2628 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 33, Section 7, of the Laws of 1915, relating to the licensing of motor vehicles, and determining the horse power of the same.	54		1020, 1020				
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33	An act regulating appointments, employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state, judicial, county, township, city and town officers.	64		420, 420				
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57	An act forbidding the use, without permission, of motor vehicles and prescribing punishment therefor.	71		271, 271				
58	An act to amend Section 776, General Statutes for 1913, and to repeal Section 777, General Statutes for 1913, relating to method of organization of towns, and the petitioners necessary thereto and their qualifications.	71	227	227, 322	463			
59	An act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, the same being Section 8213, of the General Statutes of 1913, and as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, so as to allow the employe to make selection of his physician or surgeon and hospital.	71		124, 983 983				
60	An act to regulate the width of sleds and sleighs and that all sleds and sleighs hereafter made or sold shall be of standard width after November 1, 1921.	71		582, 582				
61	An act entitled An act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants.	71	271	267, 271 322, 383 383, 383				
62	An act entitled an act to authorize and empower the City Council or Common Council of cities of this state of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds and to use the proceeds thereof for defraying the cost of laying main trunk sewers, storm sewers.	72	153	152, 260 260	287		442	550
63	An act entitled an act to amend Section 1427 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Section 6, of Chapter 343 of the General Laws of the year 1909; relating to the teachers' retirement fund in cities of the first class.	72	153	153, 247	274	1015	1011	1155
64	An act entitled An act to pay Frank G. Scribner for re-scales of certain timber while Surveyor General of Logs and Lumber of Minnesota, and appropriating money therefor.	72						

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65	An act proposing an amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota providing for an eight hour work day for persons engaged and employed in certain pursuits.	72	307	306, 889 889, 1177	1178			
66	An act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the office of county treasurers, in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million nor more than ten million dollars.	72	369	363, 440	471		567	658
67	An act to appropriate money to the State Board of Investment for the purpose of reimbursing the State Trust funds for losses sustained by reason of the inability of the village of Brookston to pay back moneys borrowed from such trust funds, and to provide for the cancellation of certain bonds heretofore issued by said village to the State of Minnesota.	73						
68	An act relating to the filing of valuations of lands in certain cases and penalties therefor.	73		397				
69	An act to amend Section 3938 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the taking or receiving of fees from applicants for employment.	73						
70	An act to amend Section 2232 of General Statutes of 1913, relating to a division of 25% of the gross earnings tax paid by railroad companies, excepting street railways, and the apportionment of said taxes to the tax district wherein the property of said railroads are located.	73		1025, 1025 1026, 1026				
71	An act to recompense Dr. A. D. Whiting of the City of St. Cloud, Minnesota, for professional services rendered for one Peter Bohn, an employe of the State Normal School at St. Cloud, Minnesota.	73						
72	A concurrent resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to co-operate with the Dominion of Canada in the enlarged canalization of the St. Lawrence river for the passage of ocean going vessels into the Great Lakes.	74	453	384, 384 384, 452 597, 597				
73	An act entitled An Act for the relief of G. E. Quade for loss of property sustained by him near Duluth, Minnesota, during the forest fires in northern Minnesota on October 12th, 1913, by reason of the negligence and failure of the State of Minnesota to burn the slashings, brush, etc.	74						

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76	An act to abolish penalties upon unpaid real estate taxes and providing for the payment of interest upon unpaid real estate taxes, in lieu of said penalties, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.	74		304				
77	A joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America.	75	76	75	76		100	114
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79	An act to establish the English language as a basic language of instruction in all schools within the State of Minnesota, and to promote the work of Americanization of the peoples of the State.	82		586, 586				
80	An act to amend Section 3653, Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, the same being Section 7243 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as the same is amended by Chapter 350 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the descent of personal estate and distribution.	82	369	362	631			
81	An act authorizing cities of this State now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article IV, of the State Constitution, to impose a tax or license upon all motor vehicles in any such city.	82	491	486, 654 654	730			
82	An act entitled, An Act fixing the salary of the County Commissioners in counties of this State now or hereafter having not less than 70 or more than 80 full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than \$3,000,000 and not more than \$5,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.	83	111	109, 247	272		392	444

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84	An act to amend Chapter 159, Laws 1903, relating to pensions for retired and disabled policemen.	83	453	449, 653	725		1117	1180
85	An act giving the powers of the Chief Justice to an associate justice when the Chief Justice is absent from the State or incapacitated.	83	227	225, 322				
86	An act to authorize cities in this State of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of constructing bridges across navigable streams running through such cities.	83	911	909, 912	964		1231	1271
87	An act to authorize the District Court to dismiss actions and proceedings which shall not be brought to trial within five years from the commencement thereof.	83	227	225, 291	387			
88	An act authorizing village councils to acquire land for park purposes, and to appropriate money therefor and for the maintenance thereof.	83	336	331, 440 466	466		1231	1271
89	An act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 3673, General Statutes 1913, relating to the adulteration of ice cream.	84		1367, 1367				
90	An act to promote the health and safety of employes in foundries, prescribing standard rules and regulations therefor and providing penalties for violations of the act.	84	369	366, 559	635		845	896
91	An act to define royalties, to determine the capitalized value thereof, and to provide for the taxation of royalties.	84		1255				
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95	An act to appropriate money to the ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic for caring for veterans of the Civil War, their wives and widows at the Anoka cottages.	85						

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96	An act to amend Section 6347 of the General Statutes of Minnesota.	85	285	283, 410 410	461	554	554	
97	An act relating to special elections.	85	101	101, 101	102	139	139	206
98	An act relating to the grain inspection and weighing department of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission of the State of Minnesota, providing for the creation of a committee to investigate its work and operations and to recommend improvements therein and changes in existing laws and appropriating money for that purpose.	85						
99	An act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, as amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913.	85	1044	1043, 1044	1213		1581	1662
100	An act to fix the salaries of county commissioners in counties of this state having not less than 100, nor more than 137 congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.	85	111	110, 260	286		595	658
101	An act defining nuisances, providing for the abatement thereof, and the injunction of the person creating, keeping or maintaining or aiding in the same and providing that such person shall be guilty of misdemeanor.	86						
102	An act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 352, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to reserves and deposits under certain classes of indemnity contracts.	86	1134	1130, 1585 1585, 1585				
103	An act relating to public schools in special school districts of not less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor more than 20,000 inhabitants, and to the rate of taxation in such districts.	86	86		87		241	279
104	An act entitled, An act authorizing and empowering boards of County Commissioners in counties now or hereafter having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 to appropriate and expend not exceeding \$25,000 per year for two years in the improvement of lakes.	87	111	110, 151 211, 211				
105	An act to amend Chapter 217, General Laws of 1917, being an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.	87	217	215, 227 227, 227				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
106	An act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 344, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to commitment and petition for discharge of feeble-minded persons.	87		452, 452				
107	An act creating a Board of Censors for motion picture films, reels or views, prescribing its duties and the salaries of the members thereof, providing a system of examination of such films, reels and views, and providing penalties for violation of the act.	87		772, 772				
108	An act to regulate the sale of cigarettes and cigarette paper and providing for licensing the manufacture and sale of same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.	88	336	332, 559 559, 756 756	831	1575	1575	1789
109	An act to amend Sections 6481 and 6483, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to co-operative associations.	88	404	400, 559	638			
110	An act to promote the public health by providing for one day of rest in every seven days, in certain employments.	88	307	306				
111	An act to amend Chapter 363, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to contestants in boxing or sparring matches.	88		699, 700				
112	An act entitled, An act authorizing the City Council or other governing body of any city now or hereafter having over fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to fix the salary of the assistant fire chief of such city.	92	1364	1364, 1364	1364		1578	1662
113	An act entitled, An act providing that the claims of laborers shall be preferred claims in certain cases.	92		451, 451 572, 572				
114	An act to establish a department of foods and markets, providing for the administration of such department, and defining the duties and powers of same.	92						
115	An act to amend Section 4256 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to road crossings over railroads.	92	541	535, 784	869		1779	
116	An act proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, providing for the amendment of the State Constitution by a majority vote of all the votes cast upon each separate amendment.	92		111, 111				
117	An act to prohibit the cutting, harvesting, taking or obtaining of ice in or from certain waters within the limits of cities of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter.	93	111	93, 111 111, 111	112		222	234

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
118	An act to amend Section 64 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which section relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards and the audit and payment of damages after the determination of an appeal in proceedings for the establishment, alteration or vacation of public highways.	93	143	142, 247 247	273		393	444
119	An act proposing an amendment to Sections 5 and 6 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, so as to empower the State of Minnesota to acquire, lease, construct, own and operate warehouses, cold-storage plants, elevators, flour mills, packing plants, power plants and other facilities for conserving, storing, manufacturing and marketing food.	93						
120	An act requiring the owner of premises on which barberry bushes of the rust producing varieties may be grown; to destroy the same.	93	369	363, 440 471, 471 569	618		847	897
121	An act to amend Section 1231, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 477, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the separation from villages or boroughs of unplatted agricultural lands, included within the corporate limits of such villages or boroughs in certain cases.	94	382 369	363, 372 372, 381 561, 561	635	1741, 1741 1755, 1756 1762, 1762 1765, 1765	1739	
122	An act providing for free tuition in the State University and State Normal Schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts, or parts of acts inconsistent herewith	94		1557, 1557				
123	An act to appropriate money to refund to Edward Gaffney amount of overpayment on state land contract.	94						
124	An act to amend Chapter 338, Laws of Minnesota 1915, relative to salaries of auditors and treasurers in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles and valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$40,000,000.	94	227	224, 260	290		1765	
125	An act providing for admission to and the attendance at the University of Minnesota of residents of this State who have served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war and have been honorably discharged.	94		1556, 1556				
126	An act to amend Section 2128, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes, and repealing inconsistent laws.	95	404	397, 1210 1211, 1211				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
127	An act to amend Section 127, General Statutes, 1913, relating to bond, deputy and assistants of the Clerk of the Supreme Court.	95		333, 333				
128	An act entitled, An act to legalize certain proceedings in Probate Court.	95	541	537, 784	870		1351	1480
129	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 6958, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the area of the homestead exemption.	95		483, 483				
130	An act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.	95	404	399, 559	637			
131	An act to amend Section 6017, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 282, Session Laws, Minnesota 1915, and as amended by Chapter 408, Session Laws, Minnesota 1917, and to amend Sections 6019, 6020, General Statutes Minnesota, as amended by Chapter 173, Session Laws Minnesota 1915, and to amend Sections 6021, 6022, 6023, 6024, 6025, 6026, 6027, 6028, 6029, 6031, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, and to repeal Sections 6016, 6032, 6033, 6034, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to legal and partition fences.	95	825 271	270, 677 677, 819 819, 1332				
132	An act entitled, An act to provide for drainage and control of flood waters.	96	714	710, 1048 1048				
133	An act for the relief of Ethel Alice Strickler, and to appropriate money therefore.	96						
134	An act to amend Section 347 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, with reference to the qualifications of voters at primary elections and providing for the oath or affirmation of the voter as to his party affiliation.	96						
135	An act to amend Sub-division I, Section 6492, of General Statutes, 1913, pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.	96		514, 515				
136	An act entitled, An act providing for the purchase by the State of Minnesota and sale to the farmers in the burned over district in northern Minnesota, of gasoline engines and circular saw attachments, and appropriating money therefor.	96		431, 431				
137	An act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works.	97	143	142, 242 242, 242 247				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
138	An act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the District Judges and to rules of the District Court.	97	227	225, 292 292	387	394, 394 439, 439 439	428	
139	An act relating to and providing for the creation of charitable trusts and amending Section 3249 of the Revised Laws, 1905, being Section 6710 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, by adding thereto a new subdivision to be known as Subdivision 8	97						
140	An act relating to the circulation of false or defamatory circulars for political purposes.	97		604, 604				
141	An act to appropriate four hundred and forty-seven dollars and ninety-seven cents to re-imburse John Orłowski for services rendered the State as deputy inspector of oils.	97						
142	An act relating to premium rates of Workmen's Compensation Insurance.	98	1134	958, 958 958, 1128				
143	An act to amend Sub-division 1, of Section 5771, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the fees of Register of Deeds in certain counties.	98						
144	An act to amend Subdivision 5 of Section 5762, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, relating to the fees of sheriffs.	98	227	223, 292 292, 385				
145	An act to appropriate certain moneys for the maintenance of the Department of Labor and Industries.	98						
146	An act to appropriate money to compensate George Robertson for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment at the State Agricultural Experimental Station.	98						
147	An act relating to compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.	98	227	223, 260	290		1580	1662
148	An act requiring stockyards at terminal markets to be provided with feeding and watering troughs.	98	753	700, 700 753, 752 753, 764				
149	An act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.	99		1691, 1691				
150	An act to amend Section 2799, General Statutes, Minnesota 1913, and Section 14, Chapter 296, Session Laws, Minnesota 1915, relating to public schools.	99						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
151	An act to amend sub-section 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1913, which Chapter 400 is entitled "An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees."	99	958 670	669, 753 753, 944 1048, 1049	1105	1673	1673	1788
152	An act fixing the fees to be charged and received by county abstract clerks.	99	523	523, 785				
153	An act relating to salaries for employes in the Department of Weights and Measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.	99		746, 746				
154	An act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after the same are due and owing.	105	752	739, 1046 1046, 1046				
155	An act to provide how Fraternal Benefit societies organized under the laws of this state may consolidate, merge or reinsure its insurance risks with any other Fraternal Benefit Society.	105	217	212, 260	288		480	559
156	An act to empower any city of the fourth class in the State of Minnesota, whether existing under a special or general law, or under a home rule charter, to prescribe reasonable rates under which public service corporations supplying gas or current for electric lighting or power purposes.	106	336	332, 893 893	926	1643	1643	
157	An act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 239, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to public schools.	106	217	215, 247 277	277			
158	An act providing for an amendment to Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to the method of altering or amending said Constitution.	106		604, 605				
159	An act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants, owning a hospital, to levy annually a tax of not exceeding one mill for the purpose of operating and maintaining such hospital.	106	153	152, 247	274		623	658
160	An act to amend Section 1488, Revised Laws, 1905, the same being Section 3071, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the settlement of poor persons, so as to provide for the termination of a settlement in this state.	106	453	453, 756	835		1012	1068
161	An act to legalize mortgage foreclosures by advertisement upon real estate in certain cases.	107						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
162	An act to amend Section 6171, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the manner of filling vacancies in the Board of Directors of corporations.	107	285	282, 409	461		1494	1662
163	An act providing for the Minnesota Land and Lake Attractions Board; defining its powers and duties and appropriating money for carrying out the purposes thereof.	107	541	499, 534 609, 610	610		1159	1225
164	An act authorizing the County Board of any county that has heretofore expended funds or incurred indebtedness in the repair, deepening or changing the nature of any public ditch therein, or any branch thereof, to issue bonds therefor in certain cases.	107	143	142, 204	204		480	550
165	An act to authorize the chief executive officers of state institutions to execute bonds in favor of the Federal Government in certain cases.	107	227	224, 291	386		918	1052
166	An act providing an official designation for the several state asylums and state hospitals for the insane and the hospital farm for inebriates.	107	227	224, 260	291		918	1052
167	An act authorizing the State Treasurer and State Auditor to make temporary transfers of money in the State Treasury not needed for immediate disbursements to the State Prison Revolving Fund.	108	204	199, 247	275		378	444
168	An act to amend Sections 8 and 9 of Chapter 440 of the General Laws of 1913, as amended by Chapter 511, Laws of 1917, which said sections so amended fix and regulate the salaries and compensation of the Register of Deeds, his deputies, assistants and employes.	108		541, 541				
169	An act to provide the place and method of assessing the personal property of electric light and power companies.	108	587	575, 890	964			
170	Joint Resolution. A concurrent resolution relating to fixing of wheat prices by Federal Government.	108		352, 352 352				
171	An act proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota to provide for the levy of a tax for the purpose of creating a fund to insure owners of growing crops against losses by hail.	108		1256, 1257				
172	An act entitled. An act amending Section 3107, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salary of the clerk of the poor board.	109	143	143, 247	273		392	444

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
173	An act to provide for a temporary additional military organization to be known as a Provost Guard and for the temporary relief of men in the State of Minnesota, who have been honorably discharged from the military or naval forces of the United States during the present war.	109	217	214, 227 227				
174	An act entitled, An act to reimburse the official reporter of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District for amounts paid out for railway, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from his place of residence in the discharge of his official duties.	109	227	225, 291 303, 303 303				
175	An act defining and regulating the practice of Chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.	109	307	305, 422 440, 440 441, 441 504, 504 504				
176	An act creating a State Industrial and Insurance Board of the State of Minnesota; creating an Industrial Insurance Fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board.	114		1453, 1453				
177	An act to amend Section 8207, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 351, General Laws 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employes for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.	114	1173	1164, 1346 1346, 1346				
178	An act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employes sustaining personal injury.	115	630	628, 1045 1045, 1045				
179	An act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 229, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to compensate the dependents of employes in all cases where death results to an employe.	115	985	983, 1346 1346, 1346				
180	An act to amend the title and Sections 1, 9 and 34 of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation by way of damages for injuries due to accident received by an employe arising out of and in the course of employment.	115		1452, 1453				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
181	An act to amend Chapter 311, Laws 1911, relating to salaries of State Inspector of Apiaries and deputy inspectors.	115	453	450, 653	725		918	1052
182	An act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Section 28 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards with reference to highways which have or may become impassable by reason of neglect thereof by the town.	116	227	222, 222 322, 322 370, 370	408			
183	An act amending Section 2 of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, which said Chapter is entitled, "An act to enable the guardians of insane persons to furnish aid for the support and maintenance of children of insane persons in certain cases."	116	369	362, 440	470		1494	1660
184	An act relating to the manufacture and sale of bread and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions thereof.	116		490, 490				
185	An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of sleighs.	116		217, 217 217, 397				
186	An act entitled, An act to provide that any patent or proprietary medicine, pills, powders, salves, liniments, salts of all kinds and cigars, manufactured or offered for sale in this state, shall not have the retail selling price printed or stamped on them.	116		750, 750				
187	An act to amend Sections one and two of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917, entitled, An act authorizing County Boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceding year have totally or partially failed.	117		431, 431				
188	An act to amend Section 2148, General Statutes 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sale.	117	307	305, 547 547	619	1740	1739	
189	An act relating to vacating judgments in criminal cases for perjury and subornation of perjury and other fraudulent acts and refundment of fines and costs paid therein.	117	401	398, 559	636			
190	An act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a Home Rule Charter.	117	491	485, 654	730		1319	1386
191	An act to provide for the payment of additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.	117	336	440, 488 488, 188				

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Number	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
192	An act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis, as amended by Chapter 465, of General Laws of 1907.	118		336, 336 539, 539				
193	An act fixing the salary and compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties.	118	118		118		901	1052
194	An act authorizing any village of this State now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant to dispose of surplus electricity to consumers outside the corporate limits of such village.	119	336	331, 440	465		1494	1663
195	An act to provide an annual tax levy for forestry purposes.	119		1255, 1255				
196	An act to legalize acknowledgments taken by military officers, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.	119						
197	An act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. H. W. Rand.	119						
198	An act appropriating money for the relief of Mrs. Chas. D. Kaliher.	119						
199	An act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. A. D. Varley.	119		556, 556				
200	An act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.	120	126	120, 125 125	126		378	444
201	An act to prescribe certain duties of the State Forester, and prescribing fees, duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.	120		703, 703				
202	An act for the relief of John F. Dahl and to appropriate money therefor.	120						
203	An act entitled, An act providing the method of payment of salaries and compensation of County Road Engineers and their assistants and employes, in any county in this state.	120	126	120, 126	127		667	759
204	An act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the State Constitution.	121	404	396, 559	636	652, 656 656, 656		
205	An act relating to investments and deposits of insurance companies.	128	217	212, 247	276		393	444
206	An act relating to insurance.	128						

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Number	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
207	An act to authorize the valuation of bonds and other securities, by insurance companies and fraternal beneficiary associations, by the Amortization Method.	128	307	305, 421	464		567	658
208	An act to prohibit the restraint of trade and commerce, and for the prevention of combinations for fixing charges for services and fixing prices.	129						
209	An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants or over.	129		539, 540				
210	An act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, fixing and regulating the salaries, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 inhabitants or over.	129		539, 539				
211	An act providing for the appointment of a fire marshal by the Commissioners of Insurance and fixing his salary; abolishing the offices of assistant fire marshal, deputy fire marshals and special deputies as now authorized by law; providing for the appointment of deputy fire marshals by the Commissioner of Insurance.	129	421	420, 588	683	902	900	1052
212	An act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV., Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city.	130	244	243, 409	458		648	659
213	An act to appropriate money for maintenance of public parks and for additions thereto.	130						
214	An act to amend Section 8969, General Statutes 1913, relating to frauds on innkeepers, etc.	130	369	363, 547, 547, 1000, 1000, 1001, 1045	1001			
215	An act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota granting to the people the direct power of the initiative and referendum as additional means to secure and control legislation.	134		1356, 1356				
216	An act providing for the publication and sale of "The Minnesota Capitol Official Guide and History."	134						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
217	An act making an appropriation to the State Drainage Commission to be expended in paying the state's share of the cost of the Red Lake River drainage project.	134		1559, 1559				
218	An act amending Section 1, of Chapter 194, General Laws for 1915, authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children, and mentally subnormal children.	134	453	450, 524 558, 655 807, 807 807, 807 807	807		1335	1387
219	An act to amend Section 2632 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to motor vehicles.	134	271	270, 409	460			
220	An act to appropriate money to Julie C. Gauthier for certain purposes.	135						
221	An act to amend Sections 3541 and 3545, General Statutes 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary associations.	135	217	212, 291 381, 381 381				
222	An act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants and over, and repealing all acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith.	135		541, 541				
223	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915 and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of county surveyors.	135		540, 540				
224	An act to provide for the organization or admission and the regulation and taxation of incorporated mutual insurance companies other than life, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.	135	1134	1127, 1254				
225	An act to amend Sections 1 and 3 of Chapter 114, Laws 1917, fixing the salaries of members of county boards in all counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million five hundred thousand dollars.	135	136		136		480	550
22	An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 235, Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Section 6 of Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota 1917, which section provides for the appointment by the Commissioner of Highways of assistant engineers and prescribing their powers, duties and compensation.	137	204	200, 247 276	275		697	759

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
227	An act to legalize certain payments of salary and expense to County Commissioners in certain counties.	137	137		137		481	550
228	An act fixing the clerk hire of the County Auditor in counties now or hereafter having not less than thirty-eight nor more than forty-two congressional townships and now or hereafter having a taxable valuation of not less than eight million dollars.	138	227	223, 223 260	289		1160	1225
1229	An act entitled, An act to provide for the investigation and demonstration of the most efficient and economical methods of land clearing and making an appropriation therefor	138	491	488, 588 588				
230	An act relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed by a board of tax levy.	138	284	284, 284	284		1060	1155
231	An act to amend Chapter 192, Laws 1915, as amended by Chapter 31 Laws 1917, relating to the issuance by the State Auditor of leases on school, university, internal improvement, swamp and other state lands in which the state may have an interest for taking sand, clay, rock marl, peat and black dirt therefrom storing thereon ore.	138	404	403, 588	641	1680	1679	1788
232	An act providing in certain cases for the issuance of patents to lands heretofore sold, by the state under executory contracts, to persons engaged during the present war in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States..	138	259	259, 324 324, 575 1332				
233	An act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made by foreign executors or administrators.	146						
234	An act to provide for an additional assistant attorney general.	146	439	439, 653	724		1440	1521
235	An act to appropriate money for Sibley House Association for maintenance of Sibley House.	146						
236	An act creating a board for seed potato inspection and certification, providing penalties for the violation of such provisions and appropriating money for its use.	146	421	418, 580 589, 756	832		1014	1117
237	An act to repeal Chapter 303, Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1883 relating to the compensation of County Commissioners in Goodhue County, Minnesota.	146	116		147		314	373

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
238	An act to amend Section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the duties of the clerk of the County Board of Education of unorganized territory.	147	217	214, 247	277		1581	1663
239	An act to provide whole family protection for members of fraternal benefit societies.	147	217	211, 260	288		359	412
240	An act to appropriate money for shelving and other furnishings for the enlarged quarters of the State Library.	147						
241	An act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the state, and designated as "Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in those portions of the state swept by forest fires in October, 1918.	148	148		148		281	309
242	An act entitled, An act relating to street improvements in cities of the fourth class, and in villages, and to the payment of the cost thereof.	149	382	382, 545 632	632 632		666	734
243	An act relating to the salary of the clerk of Probate Court, clerks, deputies, etc., of each county of this state then having, or which might hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand inhabitants or over.	149		540, 540				
244	An act entitled, An act to appropriate money for the benefit of Thomas Murphy.	149						
245	An act to regulate the manufacture, use and sale of oleomargarine, and to provide for license fees to be paid by manufacturers, wholesale and retail dealers, hotels, restaurants, dining or eating rooms, bakeries, and all other places where oleomargarine is sold or served to the public.	149						
246	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 273 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the levying of a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainment in public buildings or upon public grounds in incorporated villages.	150	336	332, 441 441	466		1061	1155
247	An act to provide for the elimination of certain lands from state forests.	150	711	704, 1065	1307		1579	1663
248	An act for the relief of the widow and dependents of Guy A. Riddle, private of Company A, Seventh Battalion, Minnesota Home Guard Motor Corps, on account of his death in forest fire relief work, near the city of Duluth, Minnesota.	150						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
249	An act to promote the safety of employes by providing for certain qualifications before such employes shall be intrusted with the operation of dangerous machinery.	150						
250	An act entitled, An act for the partial relief of the people who lost their homes in northeastern Minnesota in the forest fires of October 12, 1913.	150						
251	An act to amend Chapter 65 of the General Statutes of 1913, Minnesota, relating to registered land, upon the death of the owner thereof, and to provide for the transfer and administration thereof and to repeal Sections 6935 and 6936 of General Statutes of 1913.	150		483, 483				
252	An act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 44, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000), inhabitants or over.	151		705, 706				
253	An act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate and codify the laws of this state, relating to the preservation, protection and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.	155		854, 854				
254	An act to amend Section 4379 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913 as amended by Chapter W54, Session Laws, 1915, relating to railroads.	156	336	331, 331 421	464		1494	1660
255	An act to amend Subdivision 1 of Section 1 of Chapter 138, Laws of 1915 relating to insurance corporations, describing the kind of business such corporations may transact and repealing Chapter 276, Laws of 1917.	156	609	606, 932	992		1739	
256	An act fixing the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position and salary of subordinates in his department.	156	670	668, 1002 1002	1105 1393, 1397 1444, 1483 1483, 1484 1484, 1485		1382	1663
257	An act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes, 1913, as amended 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.	156		513, 513				
258	An act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on County road work under the provisions of Chapter 182, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915.	156	336	333, 441	616 619, 1091 1091, 1091			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
259	An act appropriating money for the maintenance and care of Itasca State Park and Forest.	157						
260	An act to amend Subdivision 2 of Section 3313, General Statutes 1913, regulating investment of the funds of domestic insurance companies.	157		953, 953				
261	An act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to state, county and city depositories.	157	285	282, 409	460		1738	
262	An act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park and to regulate hunting and trapping therein and adjacent thereto.	157	404	404, 589 590, 590 681, 714 714, 715	830 681	738, 738 738, 738 829, 829	1494 738	1662
263	An act to authorize the leasing of Douglas Lodge and certain other buildings in Itasca State Park.	157	404	404, 1065 1081, 1081 1081				
264	An act classifying telephone companies for purposes of taxation, providing the method by which the property of the companies in each class shall be taxed and fixing the rate of taxation for each class.	157	825	822, 1065 1503, 1503 1503				
265	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 156 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, the same being an act relating to sheriffs and their deputies and other assistants in counties containing not less than eighty congressional townships.	157	227	223, 260	289		1665	1802
266	An act to amend Sections 796, 797 and 788 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913 relating to the surveying or subdividing of townships or sections.	158		1097, 1097				
267	An act to repeal Sections 786 to 796, inclusive, of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the surveying or subdividing of townships or sections.	158		1097, 1098				
268	An act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their race, color, blood, descent or religious creed.	158		743, 743				
269	An act to appropriate money to compensate Silas L. Staples for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment, under the Surveyor General of the second district for the State of Minnesota.	158						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
270	An act to ratify and confirm the sale by the County board of any county in this state and the purchase by any city of the first class operating under a charter adopted in pursuance to Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, of a portion of the Court House grounds.	158	271	270, 409 454, 454 473, 473				
271	An act to amend Subdivision 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 as amended by Chapter 459, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the salaries of certain state officers and employees.	159	609	602, 930 930, 930	1100		1679	1803
272	An act providing for co-operation with the United States in the settlement of returned soldiers, sailors and marines, on state lands and lands acquired under this act; creating a soldier settlement board; defining its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor.	159		204				
273	An act authorizing and ratifying the payment of fees and expenses paid to any person for conveying insane patients to the state hospitals.	207	352	350, 440 468	468		1491	1520
274	An act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of the County Treasurers in counties of this state, containing not less than 38 Congressional townships of land.	207	271	269, 269 322	407		1160	1225
275	An act to appropriate money to reimburse Erick B. Olson and Ole B. Olson for overcharges in interest collected by the state on certain state land certificates.	207						
276	An act providing for reward for procuring the arrest and conviction of any person charged with automobile stealing, and the manner in which the claimant shall apply therefor.	207		399				
277	An act appropriating money for relief of Mrs. Chas. W. Robertson.	207						
278	An act to amend Chapter 3339, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled, An act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any municipality containing five thousand inhabitants or more may provide Salvage Corps Fire Patrol.	207		1696, 1697				
279	An act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 73 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars.	208		402				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
280	An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and dispensation of medicines, extracts and condiments.	208	1417	750, 750 779, 779 779, 1327 1327, 1417				
281	An act to fix the time of holding general terms of the District Court in and for the Tenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, and amending Chapter 367 of the General Statutes of 1917.	208	208		209		379	444
282	An act authorizing cities of this state now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements at and constructing and repairing municipal baths and bath houses in such cities.	209		705, 705				
283	An act to appropriate \$500.00 to pay Donald E. Bridgman for services rendered in connection with the compilation of the Uniform Commercial Acts.	209						
284	An act empowering the State Board for vocational education to establish a division for the re-education and placement of persons disabled in industry or otherwise, permitting co-operation with the Federal Government, and making an appropriation.	209	453	451, 654 654	726		1682	1803
285	An act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the salaries of county commissioners.	220	271	269, 409 409, 493 617, 617	617	1393	1382	1480
286	An act providing for the appointment of court reporters in the thirteenth and seventeenth judicial districts of this state, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of such reporters.	220	369	362, 440	470	1014	1011	1155
287	An act authorizing the licensing of certain persons as veterinarians without examination.	220		421, 421				
288	An act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken by the County Board of any county for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and to legalize the contract for doing said work and the bonds heretofore authorized or issued or hereafter to be authorized or issued in pursuance thereof.	221	335	335, 335 1082, 1082 1082				
289	An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915, relating to the prescription of physicians and dentists of certain narcotics for habitual users of the same so as to prohibit such prescriptions.	221		534, 534				
290	An act to amend Section 7401, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the depositing of money not claimed by distributees.	221	369	361, 440	469			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
291	An act to amend Section 6358, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to State Banks.	234	285	283, 409	461		900	1052
292	An act relating to reinsurance by insurers authorized to issue policies in this state.	234	609	608, 653 653, 653				
293	An act to amend Chapter 446, Section 3, of the General Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix and provide for the salaries of the deputy coroner, secretary, morgue keeper, and assistant morgue keeper of counties in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) and less than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants.	234						
294	An act to amend Section 1416, General Statutes 1913, relating to special assessments in installments for paying in cities having 20,000 inhabitants or less.	235	336	332, 891 891	1138			
295	An act to repeal Chapter 385, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, being an act entitled, An act to provide for the regulation and supervision of insurance and certain other companies.	235	271	266, 271 271, 370	463		901	1052
296	An act amending the title and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 15 and 17 of Chapter 429, General Laws, 1917, being an act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities.	235	271	266, 370 370, 370 421, 422	462	902	900	1052
297	An act to appropriate money to aid in the payment of premiums at exhibitions of poultry by poultry associations.	235	523	514, 514				
298	An act to appropriate money for the maintenance and encouragement of county and district agricultural societies, and for payment of premiums on exhibits at fairs held by such societies.	235						
299	An act permitting counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand people to appropriate money for the purpose of advertising, improving or developing the agricultural resources of such counties.	235	436	432, 588 684	684		1275	1335
300	An act to amend subdivision (1) of Section 88 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, which Section 88 was amended by Section 28, Laws 1917, by adding thereto at the end thereof a new subdivision and which section as so amended relates to the powers and duties of town and county boards.	236	436	432, 588	684	1443	1439	1521

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
301	An act to amend Section 6516, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.	236						
302	An act to authorize County Commissioners to appropriate moneys to assist in the construction, improvement and maintenance of connecting roads, and streets, and bridges thereon, in certain cities.	236	307	304, 410	462		623	659
303	An act relating to court bonds, undertakings, recognizances and other securities.	236						
304	An act to amend Chapter 5, General Laws 1919, entitled, An act relating to special elections and primaries therefor.	236	258	257, 258	258	293	293	309
305	An act to amend Sections 2 and 5, Chapter 194 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota.	237	504	498, 524 558, 655 861, 861	862		1014	1068
305	An act to amend Sections 1, 2 and 3, Chapter 65, of the laws of 1915, relating to mutual liability insurance associations.	237	1173	1168, 1465	1465		1528	1663
307	An act to amend subdivision three, section one, of Chapter 409, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employees.	237	752	745, 1049 1049	1114	1645	1644	1804
308	An act to amend Section 83, Chapter 235, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto.	237	404	403, 653 653, 653 654	985 720 985, 985 985, 1587 1587, 1587	721, 778 778, 778 985, 985 985, 1587 1587, 1587	1490	1790
309	An act to amend Chapter 488, Laws of 1917, relating to state assignment, tax sale certificates or forfeited sale tax certificates, and limiting the time within which notices of expiration of redemption may be issued or served upon such certificates, and declaring void all such certificates upon which such notice is not issued and served within the time so limited.	238	752	743, 1048	1110		1159	1225
310	An act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 200,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bid and letting of contracts.	238		705, 705				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
311	An act authorizing county boards of counties now or hereafter having a population of 300,000 or more to provide and maintain at the expense of the county, transportation facilities for the use of certain county officers.	238	491	484, 653	729		1117	1180
312	An act to amend Chapter 376, Session Laws of 1913, which Chapter 376 is entitled, An act to appropriate money in aid of the maintenance and expenses of County Agricultural agents, to empower counties to appropriate money for the same purpose.	238	352	351, 542				
313	An act to amend section 252, General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, as amended by Chapter 400 of the Session Laws of 1913, being subdivision 2 of Chapter 5A of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the salaries of judges and certain other officers of the Supreme and District Courts.	239		438, 1304 1305				
314	An act to amend Section 220, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relative to fees on deposits of money in court.	239	404	399, 559	637			
315	An act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the Constitution and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections.	239	801	800, 801	873		1061	1156
316	An act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.	239	491	485, 653	730	1322, 1322 1415	1316	1521
317	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 5384, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to killing of animals and birds in forest reserves, parks, etc.	239		259, 259 259, 708 708				
318	An act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.	239	556	556, 784	870			
319	An act to authorize and empower cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36 Article 4 of the state constitution, to acquire, construct, equip, own, maintain and operate street railways, and to issue bonds of the city therefor.	240		908, 908				
320	An act prohibiting railroad common carriers from demanding or collecting from transient merchants demurrage charges in certain cases, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.	240		1028, 1028				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
321	An act providing that where a patent is issued to a deceased patentee, title shall inure to and become vested in the heirs, devisees or assignees of such deceased patentee.	240	886	883, 1123 1123, 1123				
322	An act providing a penalty of five years in the penitentiary for stealing an automobile, or having a stolen automobile in possession.	240		582, 582				
323	An act to amend Section 1038, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to salaries of County Coroners in certain counties.	240		540, 540				
324	An act to amend Section 1039, General Statutes of Minnesota, relating to salaries of deputies and secretaries of county coroners in certain counties.	241		541, 541				
325	An act establishing the Minnesota War Records Commission; providing for the compilation of records and the collection of materials relating to the participation of the State and its citizens in the World War.	250	855	851, 1278 1278, 1278				
326	An act memorializing Congress to establish a standard of motor gasoline according to specifications for motor gasoline.	250	250		250		1440	
327	An act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of County Boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships.	251		366, 366				
328	An act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of deputy oil inspectors for the years ending July 31, 1918, and July 31, 1919.	251						
329	An act to amend subdivision 5 of Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.	251		396				
330	An act to provide for the creation of a military unit in the State of Minnesota, to be known as Minnesota State Motor Corps.	251						
331	An act to amend Chapter 88, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1915, An act to fix the salaries of County Boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships.	251	352	350, 440	468		1351	1480

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
332	An act for the relief of H. S. Smoland for the loss of property sustained by him at Grand Marais, Minnesota, by reason of the seizure thereof by a deputy state game warden and the disposal thereof and appropriating money therefor.	252						
333	An act to amend Section 2, of Chapter 429 of the Session Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1917, by adding to said section a provision that said act shall not apply to foreign building and loan associations under the supervision of the superintendent of banks and banking of this state.	252		706, 706				
334	An act requiring persons having charge of buildings, structures or other premises to keep same safe from fire loss, defining the power and authority of the fire marshal with reference to the prevention of fire, and repealing inconsistent acts.	252						
335	An act to establish Toqua Lake State Park.	252		403, 403				
336	An act to amend Section 5529, General Statutes 1913, relating to drainage.	253						
337	An act creating the State Printing Commission and providing for the appointment of a state expert printer, and defining their duties.	253	958	943, 943 1137, 1295	1285	1655, 1655 1706, 1706 1707, 1707 1780	1671	
338	An act to appropriate money to reimburse the village of Zumbrota for expenses upon armory belonging to State of Minnesota.	253						
339	An act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of absence to serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.	253		484, 484				
340	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Adeline Hoffman and her four children for the death of George J. Hoffman, which occurred on November 11, 1918, while doing duty as a member of the Motor Corps Division of the Minnesota Home Guard.	253						
341	An act making it unlawful to discriminate against handicapped persons through Workmen's Compensation Insurance rates and providing a penalty.	253	453	452, 653	726		1682	1804
342	An act abolishing the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives, and transferring all the powers and duties now possessed by said Commission to the State Board of Health.	254		1186, 1186				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
343	An act to reimburse A. F. and A. M. Lodge No. 8 for taxes paid on armory in the City of Red Wing while the property was owned by the State of Minnesota.	254						
344	An act to appropriate money to reimburse Nels C. Lien for injuries sustained in the course of his duties while serving as a private in Company A, Fifth Battalion, Home Guards of Minnesota.	262	587	571, 718	871		918	1052
345	An act requiring Chief of the Fire Department in every city, village or town to make inspections of buildings and keep records thereof.	254	752	748, 1376	1423 1376			
346	An act to amend Chapter 93 of the Session Laws of 1915, relating to the manner, time and place of holding terms of District Court in the Eleventh Judicial District of Minnesota.	254		259, 259				
347	An act to amend Section 9, Chapter 199, Laws 1915, authorizing payment for annuities and benefits from teacher's insurance and retirement fund.	254		586, 586				
348	An act to amend Section 718, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 270 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to the establishment and maintenance of County Tuberculosis Sanatoria.	255		772, 773				
349	An act prohibiting the sale or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor in certain localities.	255		572, 573 573, 573 574				
350	An act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of employes of the State Auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state land.	255						
351	An act to amend Section 6483 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the amount of capital stock of co-operative associations.	255						
352	An act to amend Section 9313, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of binding twine manufactured in the Minnesota state prison.	255	491	488, 784	863	1232	1231	1271
353	An act authorizing the Board of Control to expend \$50,000 from the State Prison revolving fund for the erection of a building for inmates of the State Reformatory for Women.	261		418, 419				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
354	An act providing for the imprisonment in the State Reformatory for Women of females convicted of any crime, punishable, under the provisions of the statutes prescribing for punishment for such crime, by imprisonment in the State Prison and also providing for the transfer from the State Prison to the State Reformatory for Women of females committed to the State Prison.	262	587	571, 718	871		918	1052
355	An act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.	262	523	515, 784 799, 890 890				
356	An act to amend Sections 2168, 2174, 2180, 2181 and 2184, Revised Laws of 1905, being part of Chapter 31 thereof, which chapter relates to the inspection of steam vessels and boilers and to licensing of engineers.	262	541	535, 784	869		1362	1404
357	An act authorizing the State Auditor to allow the construction and use of school houses in certain State Parks.	263	404	404, 588	640		1682	1804
358	An act to amend Section 4146, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws of 1917, relating to admissions to the state schools for the deaf and the blind.	263	491	489, 653	731		793	838
359	An act to validate disbursements heretofore made by any county for the purpose of equipping any company or companies of the Minnesota Home Guard or any motor corps of said county.	263	336	333, 560 560	634			
360	An act relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Health in the sanitation of labor camps and provisions for the enforcement thereof.	263	958	938, 1378	1430			
361	An act amending Chapter 250, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915 and authorizing the Secretary of State to modify the contract entered into on behalf of the State of Minnesota for the printing and publishing of the Supreme Court Reports under such act.	263	1627	1454, 1458 1627, 1627 1627, 1627	1627		1738	
362	An act to amend Section 3787 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 7386 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to proceedings in probate court and attorneys' lien therein.	263	369	361, 440	469	593, 608 593, 593	608 567	659
363	An act to authorize the publication of the summary of the annual statements of insurance companies in certain insurance trade journals.	264	609	607, 993 933	993		1275	1335

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
364	An act to provide for the renewal of the period of duration of building and loan associations in certain cases.	264	541	383, 383 537, 785				
365	An act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4 of the State Constitution.	264		908, 908				
366	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. Milton Paul Ware.	264						
367	An act proposing an amendment to Article 9 of the Constitution of this state, which amendment, if adopted, will authorize the state to insure persons, owning property in this state, against loss of or damage to such property by fire and lightning.	264						
368	An act providing for general terms of District Court at Virginia, Hibbing and Ely in St. Louis county.	264		1132, 1132				
369	An act to amend Section 4940, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, with reference to the publication of the Legislative Manual.	265		449, 449				
370	A joint resolution.	265	336	331, 352 422	465		1485	
371	An act to amend Section 534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to compensation of judges and clerks of elections.	279	404	396, 440 472	472			
372	An act to amend Section 1177, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.	279	352	351, 351 560, 560	634		1689	1802
373	An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to purchase the necessary equipment for the cleaning out, repair and improvement of public drainage ditches within the county.	279						
374	An act to amend Chapter 131 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to conveyances by husband and wife of insane or incompetent persons.	279	985	976, 1395 1635	1635		1715	1788
375	An act to legalize mechanic's lien foreclosure sales heretofore made.	280						
376	An act to establish transportation centers in consolidated school districts.	280						
377	An act to appropriate to the Minnesota Tax Conference the sum of \$500 for the publication of its proceedings and for the distribution of such published proceedings.	280						

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378	An act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws 1915, relating to state aid to certain schools.	280						
379	An act to reimburse Arthur L. Lewis for damages to his automobile while in the employ of the State as a private in the Motor Corps Department of the State of Minnesota.	280						
380	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 1970, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to taxation and property exempt therefrom.	295		397, 442 442, 575 575				
381	An act defining contracts as applied to sales of wheat and other food products, declaring same illegal, and providing penalty for violation.	295	958	307, 957 986, 1064 1154, 1212 1213, 1213 1262	1262			
382	An act to appropriate money for improvements at Fort Ridgely State Park and for the purchase of additional ground for such park.	296						
383	An act to abolish the office of Chief Inspector of Oils, and conferring upon the Dairy and Food Commissioner all the duties and powers now possessed by the Chief Inspector of Oils.	296	421	419, 655	721			
384	An act to compensate Henry Weyrauch of the City of St. Cloud, Minnesota, for damages sustained by him by reason and because of breach of a contract on the part of the State of Minnesota for binding twine entered into on the 11th day of December, 1917.	296						
385	An act to amend Section 720 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to a tuberculosis sanatoria.	296		1182, 1182				
386	An act requiring the display of a motor number on motor vehicles.	296		1019, 1019				
387	An act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 229 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, entitled "An act to establish municipal courts in incorporated cities having a population of less than five thousand (5,000) inhabitants.	296	336	333, 440	467		1494	1663
388	An act amending Section 9412 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 designating holidays.	297						
389	An act to authorize cities of the first class to levy taxes for defraying the current expenses of such cities.	297	911	905, 912	967		1317	1385

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
390	An act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of any co-operative creamery association whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof.	297	404	402, 559	638		1350	1480
391	An act providing for sanitation in the operation of railroad cars.	297	886	883, 1375	1428			
392	An act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.	297		1063, 1063				
393	An act to authorize the Minnesota Historical Society to act as custodian of state and local archives, and to provide for the collection and administration of public records.	297	453	453, 653 728	727		1161	1225
394	An act permitting the forwarding of a check direct to payor.	298	504	497, 757 986	986		1495	1663
395	An act to limit the liability of a bank for nonpayment of a check through error.	298	504	497, 756				
396	An act to amend Section 6360, General Statutes 1913, relating to the percentage of its actual paid in capital and surplus a bank may invest in real estate used by it for the transaction of its business.	298	439	438, 653	724		845	897
397	An act to amend Section 6348, General Statutes 1913, relating to the amount of capital stock and surplus required of state banks.	298	439	437, 653 723	723			
398	An act to amend Section 8873, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or other depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or a credit for the payment of the same.	298	504	498, 784 856, 856 856				
399	An act prohibiting the making, transmitting to others, or circulating of derogatory statements, affecting banks, savings banks, banking institutions, or trust companies, and prescribing a penalty therefor.	298	439	438, 886 886				
400	An act entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of state banks having a capital of not less than fifty thousand dollars; authorizing such state banks to act as agent, attorney in fact, depositee of trust and other funds, assignee, receiver, representative of estates and trustee.	299		984, 984				
401	An act entitled, An act to provide for reports on road work in cities, villages and townships and for the publication thereof.	299	404	402, 757 757, 757 862, 862				
402	An act to appropriate money for the free distribution of certain memoirs.	311						

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403	An act providing for changing the location of farm crossing and the payment of the cost thereof.	311	652	651, 932	997			
404	An act to appropriate money for the purpose of constructing a ladies' rest room and toilet at the Interstate Park, Dalles of St. Croix.	311						
405	An act requiring registers of deeds to record and return instruments within thirty days.	311	436	434, 886	886		1300	1335
406	An act proposing an amendment to Section Seven (7), Article Six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, changing the length of the term of the judge of the probate court.	312	421	419, 588	682		1161	1225
407	An act to appropriate money for the rental and equipment of quarters for the State Board of Health.	312						
408	An act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission."	312	436	429, 597 597, 597 650, 650				
409	An act entitled an act legalizing proceedings heretofore taken by any city of the fourth class in reference to the issuance of bonds under the provisions of Chapter 205, Laws 1909.	312	352	350, 440	467		1160	1226
410	An act to abolish the offices of six surveyors general of logs and lumber, and providing for the appointment of but one surveyor general of logs and lumber with jurisdiction throughout the state, and repealing inconsistent acts.	312		746, 747				
411	An act to amend Section 534, General Statutes, 1913, relating to compensation for election services.	313		396				
412	An act to amend Chapter 379 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1901, entitled "An act to authorize and empower cities of this state which now have or hereafter may have no more than fifty thousand (50,000) and not less than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants, to make local improvements."	313	805	805, 1065	1399		1785	
413	An act to create a real estate brokers' board, issue certificates to real estate brokers and provide for their regulation.	313	1208 587	576, 1063 1064, 1190 1217, 1466				
414	An act to appropriate money to reimburse the officers and enlisted men of the Minnesota Home Guard for the expenditures made by them in the purchase of Home Guard uniforms.	313						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
415	An act relating to the storing of milk or cream pending transportation by common carriers, providing for sanitary receiving rooms, and fixing penalties for violation of this act.	313	541	533, 670 671, 1396 1396				
416	A joint resolution memorializing congress to permit honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines to retain their uniforms.	324	360	360, 360	360			
417	An act providing for the recordation of affidavits relating to matters affecting the title to real property in this state.	327		537, 537				
418	An act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.	327	587	569, 784	871		1381	1480
419	An act authorizing cities and villages to license and regulate the sale of non-alcoholic beverages.	327	1063	827, 827 1062, 1369 1369, 1369				
420	An act authorizing any county in this state which now or hereafter owns and maintains a work or correctional farm under the provisions of Chapter 188, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended, to sell and convey all or any portion of such farm, including equipment and improvements thereon.	327	436	435, 588	717		1117	1181
421	An act prohibiting the taking of ice from improved lakes.	328	436	435				
422	An act to amend Section 1016, General Statutes 1913, relating to the traveling expenses of county superintendents.	328	523	520, 890	925		1351	1480
423	An act to amend Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the salaries of county treasurers, and the sums to be allowed to county treasurers for clerk hire, in certain counties.	328	436	436, 588 717, 717	717		1381	1480
424	An act to amend Section 2628, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to motor vehicles, certificates of registration therefor; providing for the issuance of identification cards to owners of motor vehicles and requiring persons in charge of motor vehicles to have and exhibit such identification cards.	328		1020, 1020				
425	An act relating to habitual criminals and providing punishment for the offense of "habitual offending" as herein defined.	328	825	825, 1065	1328			
426	An act to amend Section 9390, General Statutes 1913, relating to the salaries and clerk hire of probation officers, their duties and clerks in certain counties of this state.	329	436	435, 894 924	924	1061, 1061 1397, 1397 1398, 1398 1444, 1516 1517, 1581	1059	1790

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
427	An act to appropriate money for the erection of a monument in Flora Township, Renville county.	329						
428	An act relating to the practice of suggestive therapeutics, in the treatment of mental and bodily ailments.	329		534, 534				
429	An act to amend Section 2979, General Statutes 1913, relating to compulsory school attendance, and to establish the English language as the basic language of instruction.	329	369	366, 547 548, 631	631	1467	1382	1663
430	An act to appropriate money for the erection of a monument in the National Cemetery at Nashville, Tennessee.	329						
431	An act to establish county boards of health of five members and to authorize county boards to appoint county physician and county dentist and to appropriate money therefor and to levy taxes for the support thereof.	329		366, 366 384, 385 385				
432	An act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.	330	504	498, 653	783	890, 895 895, 895		
433	An act authorizing the sale and disposition of that certain frame dwelling owned by the state in connection with the experiment station for the Dairy and Food Department, within one mile of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota.	330	652	649, 932	996		1407	1480
434	An act to amend Section 6393, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 88, General Laws 1917, relating to investments of savings banks.	330	714	706, 881 881, 881				
435	An act forbidding the carrying or transportation of intoxicating liquor into or through any county, city, village or borough in which the sale of intoxicating liquor is illegal under any law or treaty.	344						
436	An act to amend Section 3864, General Statutes of 1913, relating to communication between engine rooms and workrooms; the same being Section 3, Chapter 316, General Laws of 1913, an act to require more adequate protection of employes from accidental injury or death.	344	491	489, 653	781		845	1053
437	An act to amend Section 3879, General Statutes 1913, relating to external fire escapes and fire protection in buildings where persons are employed.	344	491	490, 653	782		845	1053

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
438	An act to amend Section 3816, General Statutes 1913, relating to examinations for positions in the Department of Labor and Industries, the same being Section 5, Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, an act creating the Department of Labor and Industries.	344	491	490, 653	781		846	1053
439	An act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 518, General Laws of 1913, the same being Section 3819 of the General Statutes of 1913, to empower the employes of the Department of Labor and Industries to enter offices as well as places of employment and to remain while engaged in their official duties.	344	491	490, 653	782		846	1053
440	An act authorizing and providing for the establishment of Retiring Boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants, to provide the funds therefor.	345		1606, 1606				
441	An act to amend Section 7305, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the making of verified inventories by executors and administrators, and returning the same to Probate Courts.	345	404	399, 559	636		1674	1802
442	An act requiring adjoining towns to bear, in equal shares, the expense of constructing and maintaining bridges on roads on the lines between such towns in certain cases.	345	523	518, 784	866		1159	1226
443	An act to amend Chapter 364, Session Laws 1917, an act authorizing cities and villages now or hereafter having a population of 10,000, or under, to macadam or pave its streets and alleys.	345		1695, 1695				
444	An act to regulate the making of abstracts of title to real estate, and to provide security to the public against errors, omissions and defects therein.	345		1164, 1164				
445	An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last Federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of aiding in the construction of main sewers.	346	436	429, 756	832		1440	1521
446	An act authorizing the addition and annexation of territory to cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census.	346	436	429, 757	833		1117	1180
447	An act entitled, An act to appropriate money for the benefit of Private Clarence Peterson.	346						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
448	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 209, Laws of Minnesota, 1915, relating to settlement and payment of compensation under said chapter and fees of the clerk of court for filing papers.	346	714	701, 1375	1422			
449	An act to authorize the State Auditor to lease the surface of any unsold state land for additional room for stockpiling, storing, handling or depositing thereon and removal therefrom of ore.	346	404	404, 588	640		1318	1385
450	An act to provide for the licensing of dental nurses, and providing the duties and rights of dental nurses.	346	453	451, 891 891, 916	964		1351	1480
451	An act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 500, G. L., 1913, relating to county tuberculosis sanatoria.	347	491	489, 653	781		1580	1663
452	An act to amend Section 3255, General Statutes of 1913, relating to insurance.	347	609	607, 932	994			
453	An act to amend Sections 3228 and 3229, G. S. 1913, relating to the office of public examiner.	347	453	450, 756	834		1644	
454	An act to fix the salaries of the public examiner and of the several employees in his office.	347	958 752	748, 778 778, 945 1048	1141		1680	1804
455	An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and installing a water filtration plant.	347	439	437, 756	834		1440	1521
456	An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of extending, and improving the public water works system owned and operated by any such city.	347	439	437, 756	833		1440	1522
457	An act authorizing cities having a population of not less than ten thousand people nor more than twenty thousand people, according to the last federal census, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public armory building in such city.	348	436	429, 756	832		1351	1480
458	An act regulating the crossing of railroad tracks by persons operating or driving motor vehicles and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.	348	587	581, 785 785, 963	963			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
459	An act to amend Section 4976, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of members and employees of the State Board of medical examiners.	348	421	419, 588	682			
460	An act to amend Section 4970, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the State Board of Medical Examiners.	348	421	420, 588	683			
461	An act requiring fraternal benefit societies collecting from members in this state different rates for like risks and benefits to keep separate accounts and funds, and prescribing the purposes for which such funds may be used.	348	609	608, 932	995			
462	An act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and towns, having a population of not less than five thousand, and on assessed valuation of not less than ten million and not covered by any special charter adopted by such village, pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, State Constitution.	348	752	629, 630 747, 1016 1016				
463	An act entitled, An act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to, all legislation affecting salary increases of state, county, township, city, village, and all other municipal employes in Minnesota.	353	491	382, 383 383, 482 756	887			
464	An act to provide for the Americanization of illiterates and of persons not speaking the American language; to provide and maintain evening schools and to provide an appropriation therefor.	353		955, 955				
465	An act to designate a state fiscal year and making appropriations available therefor.	354	714	706, 1083 1083, 1083				
466	An act to amend Sections 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020 and 5021, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Dental Examiners.	354	453	450, 756 756, 891 892	924	1582	1439	1802
467	An act to develop the agricultural resources of the State of Minnesota by land colonization within the state, and creating a State Colonization Commission.	354	609	606, 677 677, 766 911, 958 1111, 1111 1111, 1111 1112, 1112 1113, 1113 1113, 1113 1114, 1114 1153, 1285 1286, 1287 1287	1287			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
468	An act to amend subsection one of Section 6147, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the contents of the certificate required to be subscribed and acknowledged by persons desiring to form a corporation.	355	439	369, 369 369, 437 653	723		919	1053
469	An act authorizing the several counties of this state to reimburse County Agricultural Societies or officers thereof for the cost and expense of making certain improvements on land owned by any county and used for county agricultural fairs.	356	523	515, 784	865		1012	1068
470	An act relating to state fishing operations, appropriating money for a revolving fund to be used in such operations, conferring certain powers on the Game and Fish Commissioner.	356	958	951, 1212 1279, 1254 1415, 1503 1503, 1512 1516, 1516				
471	An act to amend Section 17, Chapter 209, Laws 1915, and defining and construing the words "employee" and "workmen" as used in the Workmen's Compensation Act.	356	453	451, 653	726			
472	An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 456 of Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salary of County Surveyors in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles, and having an assessed valuation of more than 20 million dollars and less than 50 million dollars.	356	523	518, 784	913		1764	
473	An act to refund to Peter E. Olson the sum of one hundred and nineteen dollars and twenty cents (\$119.20) erroneously and unintentionally paid by him on school land contracts.	356						
474	An act to validate certain bonds heretofore purchased by the State Board of Investment with the funds of the State of Minnesota.	357	357	357	357		1674	1802
475	An act to fix the salaries of certain state officers and employees.	374	752	747, 1048	1115	1451, 1525 1525, 1516 1573, 1573 1574, 1574 1574	1439	1804
476	An act to amend Section 4973, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians by the State Medical Examining Board.	374	752	752, 1065	1308		1351	1480
477	An act to repeal Section 113, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to salaries of state officers and employees.	374	609	602, 929	990			
478	An act to amend subdivision 1, Section 1, Chapter 400, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 459, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to salaries of certain state officers and employees.	374		605, 605				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
479	An act relating to the high school board examinations and repealing Sections 2893 and 2894, General Statutes of 1913.	374	504	500, 653	830		1440	1522
480	An act authorizing the issuance, by the State Board of Investment, of \$1,000,000 certificates of indebtedness, of the State of Minnesota, the proceeds from the sale of which are to be used for the purpose of making second mortgage loans on improved and cultivated lands.	374	652	652, 961 961, 1372 1372, 1372 1372, 1375				
481	An act directing the State Auditor to correct school land certificates, Nos. 44,619, 44,620, 44,621 and 44,622 authorizing the governor to execute patents therefor to James A. Ogilvie.	375	676	676, 1048	1107		1249	1271
482	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 199, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, the same being an act entitled, An act to establish a State Teachers' insurance and retirement fund and to authorize the payment of annuities and benefits from such fund to retired teachers of public schools and of other educational, correctional and charitable institutions.	375	504	500, 654	784			
483	An act to amend Section 6142 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, providing a minimum capitalization of mortgage loan and land companies.	375	609	606, 911 958, 1111 1114, 1153 1285, 1286	1288			
484	An act to establish the ninth state fish hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commissioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.	375	1208	1195				
485	An act to authorize the county board of certain counties to issue, sell or exchange bonds for the purpose of funding certain floating indebtedness of such county now outstanding.	375	523	521	867		1117	1180
486	An act to repeal Chapter 466 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1909, defining the method of taxation of grain elevators and warehouses, and grain therein.	376		1598, 1598				
487	An act to amend Sections 2330 and 2331, General Statutes 1913, relating to the taxation of grain in elevators and warehouses.	376	825	822, 1065 1390, 1390 1390				
488	An act to provide for the assessment of property subject to assessment under the provisions of Chapter 285, General Laws of 1911, omitted in the assessment of any year or years and to provide penalties for failure to list the same.	376		1546, 1546				

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489	An act to prohibit unlawful discrimination in the sale of certain commodities, and providing penalties for violations.	376		439, 439 439				
490	An act to appropriate money for improvement and maintenance of Camp Release State Park.	376						
491	An act authorizing county boards in all counties having not less than fifty-five nor more than fifty-seven congressional townships, whole or fractional, and having an assessed valuation of not less than five million nor more than ten million dollars, to construct roads on township or range lines, and to levy taxes therefor.	376	436	435, 653	722		1231	1271
492	An act to amend Sections 9, 10, 12, 20, 21 and 24 of Chapter 152, General Laws of 1915, relating to telephones and telephone companies.	377	587	584, 892 892, 1083 1083, 1083				
493	An act relating to the time for the commencement of actions to recover from common carriers' overcharges.	377						
494	An act to amend Section 5794, General Statutes of 1913, relating to weights and measures.	377		910, 910				
495	An act to reimburse Caroline Oas and her dependent children for personal injury sustained by her husband, Anton Oas, and resulting in his death.	377						
496	An act to provide for the extradition of persons of unsound mind and of delinquent juveniles and to make uniform the laws of the states which enact the same.	377	1570	1559				
497	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 7197 of the General Statutes 1913, relating to aid to mothers.	377		743, 743				
498	An act to amend Chapter 7, Laws 1917, authorizing the treasurer of the State of Minnesota to receive payments on sales of school and other state lands where the time limit for payment has expired or will expire on or before July 31, 1919.	378	676	675, 1048 1121, 1121 1121				
499	An act to amend Section 3957 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 188 of the General Laws for 1917, relating to trustees for Soldiers' Home and compensation for attending meetings of its board.	378	491	489, 653	731		1012	1068
500	An act to appropriate money for the University of Minnesota.	378						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
501	An act entitled, An act to authorize the County Board of the several counties in this state under the conditions named in this act to make all necessary orders directing the improvement hereinafter provided for, to secure the removal of trees, brush, stumps, and other like material from land suitable for cultivation and for the prevention of forest fires.	389	436	431, 432 432, 472 523, 611 612, 613 613, 613 614, 677 677	755 678	714, 714 754, 755 754		
502	An act relating to contracts for the construction of drainage ditches, contractors' bonds, changes in construction plans, progress payments and acceptance upon completion.	390						
503	An act to prohibit unlawful discrimination in the sale of certain commodities, and providing penalties for violations.	390		1025, 1025 1091, 1091 1091, 1392 1392				
504	An act to amend Section 4321, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913, relating to the liability of common carriers.	390		1557, 1557				
505	An act establishing department of agriculture, providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture, determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner, appropriating money for the purposes of this act.	390		439, 439 439				
506	An act to reimburse A. V. Slattengren for 12 thoroughbred cattle killed by order of State Live Stock Sanitary Board.	390						
507	An act authorizing cities operating under a Home Rule Charter and having ten thousand inhabitants or less to issue and sell refunding bonds under certain conditions.	391	491	483, 653	728		1249	1271
508	An act to amend Section 3806 of Chapter 22, General Statutes 1913, and acts amendatory thereto, relating to forestry and forest fires.	391	825	823, 1065	1328			
509	An act authorizing the creation of a department of city planning in Cities of the First Class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution, and defining the powers and duties of such a department.	391	1091	1085, 1212	1212		1491	1520
510	An act to amend Section 14, Chapter 295, Laws of 1915, relating to state aid for public schools, and for the method of its distribution.	391	587	585, 1122 1122, 1122				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
511	An act to legalize acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.	391						
512	An act for the sale of the homestead of a deceased person by the Probate Court and the distribution of money received therefrom.	412						
513	An act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552—added to Chapter 44 of the General Statutes of 1913.	412						
514	An act to amend Section 2621, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to licensed chauffeurs and drivers of motor vehicles.	412	1044	1018				
515	An act to amend Section 2206, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of railroad companies owning or operating any line of railroad situate within or partly within this state.	412	1247 587	574, 894 1236, 1332	1401		1580	1663
516	An act to amend Chapter 33, General Laws of 1907, entitled, An act to authorize the payment from county funds of certain expenses of county superintendents of schools.	413	587	586, 1000				
517	An act to amend Section 57, of Chapter 400, General Laws of 1917, so as to limit expenditures by the Adjutant General to appropriations made by the legislature.	413						
518	An act to compensate P. O. Finstuen of Roscoe, Minnesota, for injuries sustained in the line of his duties in taking the alien census for the State of Minnesota.	413						
519	An act to appropriate money for the improvement of and adding to the State Armory at St. Peter, Minnesota.	413						
520	An act authorizing any county of this state which now is or hereafter may be so located with reference to another state, that it is desirable and necessary for the public interests to construct a highway across a portion of such adjoining state, to appropriate and expend county road funds of such county in acquiring a road right of way across such state.	413	609	605, 932	992		1318	1385
521	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 202, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the salary of the Register of Deeds in certain counties.	414	609	603, 1000 1102	1102		1158	1226

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
522	An act to amend Section 1204 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.	414		1697, 1697				
523	An act to amend Chapter 195, Laws 1915, being an act entitled, An act relating to insurance agents and brokers; providing penalties for violation thereof.	414	609	607, 1002 1002	1103			
524	An act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2, and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.	414		820, 820				
525	An act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.	414	752	744, 1048 1137, 1137				
526	An act appropriating certain moneys to compensate Engvald Ovale for damages sustained by him by reason of the acts of an escaped inmate of the Willmar State Asylum.	415						
527	An act to amend Chapter 194 of the Laws of 1915 entitled, An act authorizing and empowering any special, independent or common school district in the State of Minnesota, to provide for, establish, conduct and maintain schools for deaf children, blind children, defective speech children and mentally subnormal children in such school districts.	415		955, 956				
528	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 282, Session Laws Minnesota, 1917, relating to the admission of attorneys at law to practice in Minnesota.	415						
529	An act relating to life or casualty insurance upon the co-operative or assessment plan.	424	609	607, 932	994		1679	1804
530	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 7730 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the service of summonses.	425		701, 701				
531	An act providing for the establishment of a depositors' guaranty fund to guarantee payments of general deposits and the establishment of a commission to supervise and control such fund; also establishing the rate of interest that may be paid.	425						
532	An act transferring to the Minnesota Tax Commission the duties of enforcing and administering the inheritance tax laws of this state.	425		823, 823				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
533	An act to amend Chapter 312 of the General Laws of Minnesota, 1903, as amended by Chapter 141 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1907; Chapter 364 of the General Laws of 1909; Chapter 396 of the General Laws of 1913; and Chapter 35 of the General Laws of 1913; authorizing cities having a population of 10,000 or less, and all villages and boroughs of this state organized under the General Laws or under a special law, to establish and maintain a general system of sewers.	425	1295	1290				
534	An act to amend Chapter 303, Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes.	426		1545, 1545				
535	An act fixing the salaries and expense allowance of county commissioners in all counties of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than two hundred and fifty million (\$250,000,000) dollars and an area of more than five thousand (5,000) square miles.	426	523	436, 436 436, 520 784, 860	860		1060	1156
536	An act entitled, An act to authorize and empower the governing body of cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds.	426	627	626, 627	627		1013	1068
537	An act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, register of deeds, superintendent of schools, judge of probate, and providing for the number of assistants, deputies, clerks and other help thereon and their compensation.	426	523	521, 785 785, 859	859		1061	1156
538	An act authorizing the printing of the annual report of the inspector of mines by the county for which he was appointed and ratifying any payments heretofore made for printing such reports.	426	523	520, 784	866		1117	1180
539	An act entitled, An act requiring persons appointed as deputy sheriffs, by the sheriffs of the counties of the State of Minnesota to be residents of the State of Minnesota and citizens of the United States of America.	427	609	602, 929	991			
540	An act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and county bonds issued in connection therewith.	427						
541	An act fixing the salary of county auditors in certain counties.	427	523	517, 784	913		1060	1156

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
542	An act entitled, An act to authorize the State Drainage Commission to co-operate with the Department of the Interior and the Department of Agriculture of the United States in carrying on topographical and hydrographical surveys and investigations and appropriating money therefor.	427						
543	An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes.	427		504				
544	An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 378, Laws of 1917, relating to railroads and the delivery of live stock at stock yards.	428	541	535, 785	868		1579	1663
545	An act to amend Section 2376 and 2377, Revised Laws 1905, as amended by Chapter 229, Laws 1917, which sections relate to noxious weeds.	428	958	938, 938 1370, 1421	1421		1671	1804
546	An act fixing the salary of judges of Probate Court in certain counties.	445	609	603, 1000 1102	1102		1494	1520
547	An act entitled, An act to legalize and validate certain policies of insurance affecting and relating to property destroyed in the forest fires of October 12, 1918, in Northern Minnesota,	445		1131, 1131				
548	An act to amend Chapter 89, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to an act fixing the clerk hire for county treasurer in certain counties.	445	609	602, 929 1018, 1018 1018				
549	An act proposing an amendment to Section one (1), Article fourteen (14) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota relative to the adoption of constitutional amendments.	445	609	604, 1332				
550	An act legalizing certain bonds heretofore issued by school districts.	445	805	797, 1065 1084, 1084				
551	An act to empower counties bordering on the Red River of the North to make appropriations to aid and assist townships within said counties bordering on said river in paying for, erecting, repairing and improving and rebuilding bridges across the said Red River of the North in such townships.	446	778	771, 772 1065	1310		1579	1664
552	An act to allow school buildings to be used as polling places.	446		1183, 1183				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
553	An act granting the right of subrogation to sureties upon bonds to the state in certain cases.	446	676	674, 1048	1107			
554	An act to amend Chapter 30, General Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.	446		1200, 1201				
555	An act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the value of ores from persons, co-partnerships and corporations engaged in the mining or production thereof.	446		1255, 1256				
556	An act validating the appropriation and expenditure of funds for certain purposes by certain political subdivisions of this state.	446	504	502, 784	864	1643	1493	1804
557	An act to amend Sections 1204 and 1205, General Statutes 1913, relating to the incorporation of villages.	447	630	630, 932 1138, 1139 1258	1258	1495	1493	1664
558	An act appropriating money for the making of certain improvements and repairs on the buildings on the State Fair grounds and for the construction on said grounds of a new live stock barn.	447						
559	An act providing for the issue of permits to prospect for iron ore on lands belonging to the State, or in which the State has an interest, and leases for the mining of such ore.	447	609	605, 611 930, 931 931, 1332				
560	An act to provide for the payment to officers suspended by the governor of their salaries for the period of suspension.	447	1208	1186				
561	An act to legalize certain mortgage foreclosure sales by action and certificates thereof.	447	587	572, 585	872		1681	1804
562	An act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 6492 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to membership in the State Agricultural Societies.	447	523	515, 784	866			
563	An act to amend Section 1832, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to taxation for Fire Department Relief funds in cities having less than 50,000 inhabitants and in villages.	448	587	572, 1375				
564	An act amending Section 5224, General Statutes 1913, relating to sales of state land and land sales manager.	448	609	598, 930 930	990		1231	1271
565	An act entitled, An act relating to bids on public works.	448						

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Number	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Return from House.	Approved.
566	An act to repeal certain acts authorizing cities of the first class not governed by Home Rule Charter framed pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the state constitution to issue the bonds of any such city.	456	911	909, 912 1100	1100		1581	1664
567	An act to amend Section 3345 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 207 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to disposition of fire department aid.	456	491	484, 653	729		1494	1664
568	An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in adjoining counties.	457	587	587, 894	929		1093	1156
569	An act to provide for field experiments on sandy soils.	457	1305	1305, 1414 1414				
570	An act relating to cemetery association and to authorize the termination of titles to cemetery lots in certain cases.	474		537, 537				
571	An act to legalize and validate the defective execution of deeds, mortgages and other instruments, and the record thereof.	474	505	505, 505	505		1683	1804
572	An act fixing the salary, compensation, duties and clerk hire of the county coroner and his deputies in counties now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000, exclusive of money and credits.	474	523	520, 784	867		1492	1520
573	An act authorizing cities having over 50,000 inhabitants in the State of Minnesota to issue and sell bonds for public school purposes in such cities.	474	474	474	475		1318	1385
574	An act creating a board of estimate and taxation in each city of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution, and defining its powers and duties and regulating taxation, finance and indebtedness therein.	475	819	817, 819	914	1322	1316	1481
575	An act creating pensions for disabled and retired policemen in cities now or hereafter having a population of 20,000 and not over 50,000 inhabitants, and providing for a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid.	475	803	803, 803	804		1060	1156

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
576	An act to amend Section 3, Chapter 335, General Laws of Minnesota, 1909, same being Section 238, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of clerks of the District Court in certain counties in this state.	475	609	605, 932 933, 1001 1001	1105		1351	1385
577	An act creating and establishing a department of public welfare in the government of cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants, and not governed under a charter adopted pursuant to the provisions of Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution and relating to the preservation of the public health.	476	851	850, 851 961, 961 962, 987	987	1493	1490	1664
578	An act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-B of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes for the year 1913.	476						
579	An act to amend Section 5597 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to drainage.	476						
580	An act fixing the salaries of certain county officers in counties having a population of less than 40,000 providing for the appointment and compensation of clerks, deputies and assistants to such officers, and repealing certain laws relating thereto.	476						
581	An act to legalize notices of claims filed pursuant to Chapter 391, Section 1, General Laws of Minnesota 1913, where said notices have been filed more than thirty days after the alleged loss or injury and prior to the passage of this act.	476		742, 743				
582	An act relating to the salary of the executive officers of the State Securities Commission.	476		745, 745				
583	An act authorizing the county boards in any county in this State now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credit to appropriate and expend public funds for the purpose of furnishing temporary relief to sufferers from fire or other calamity.	477	523	521, 784	868		1012	1068
584	A concurrent resolution relating to the re-establishment of the grain grades as Minnesota grades, on grain raised in this state and transported in interstate commerce.	477	1199	1196, 1199	1199		1407	
585	An act to amend Section 1011, General Statutes 1913, relating to expenses incurred by County Superintendents of Schools, for postage, teachers' examinations and other purposes.	477	587	575, 784 915	967			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
586	An act providing for the general care, improvement and supervision of the land owned and acquired by the State of Minnesota under the provisions of Chapter 376, Laws of 1895, which land is situated in Renville County.	477	478	478	478		1275	1335
587	An act amending Chapter 103 of the Laws of 1917, amending Chapter 185, Laws of 1911, relating to the acquisition of lands for streets, parks and parkways in cities of the first class.	478	541	539, 784	870		1318	1386
588	An act setting apart and appropriating \$250,000 for the clearing of state lands and amending Section 1, Chapter 164, Laws 1917.	479	1514	1513, 1514	1514			
589	An act relating to the division and apportionment of ditch assessment liens in certain cases.	479						
590	An act to acquire land for trackage purposes and to be added to lands of Fourth Hospital for Insane and appropriating money therefor.	479						
591	An act to amend Section 1020, General Statutes 1913, relating to teachers' institutes.	479	587	585, 915	967			
592	An act to amend Section 2513, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to compensation of surveyors in judicial road proceedings.	479		504, 504 773, 773				
593	An act to appropriate money to compensate M. F. Kain for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment under the Public Examiner.	479						
594	An act amending Section 773 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the re-establishment of lost or destroyed monuments at section, quarter section and meander corners.	479		700, 700				
595	An act entitled an act providing for the issuance of interest bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a court house, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars and a bonded indebtedness of not more than two hundred seventy-five thousand dollars.	480		519, 519				
596	An act amending Section 981, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to compensation of County Surveyors in certain counties.	480	523	521, 893 893	926			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
597	An act providing for town ditches and local assessments therefor for the drainage of lands and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds in anticipation of the collection of such assessments.	495						
598	An act to make provision for supervisors of teaching in rural schools.	495	587	586, 1375 1375	1422			
599	An act relating to the appraisal and sale of certain state and trust lands.	495	495	495, 784	865			
600	An act relating to the organization of banks, and prescribing the duties of the State Securities Commission, and the Superintendent of Banks, in respect thereto.	495	495	495, 559	632	847	845	896
601	An act to amend Section 9206, General Statutes of 1913, relating to argument upon trial.	496		626, 626				
602	An act relating to county co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics, authorizing counties to appropriate funds for said purposes.	496	652	525, 525 525, 651	997	1676, 1676 1688, 1688 1711, 1717 1717, 1718 1743, 1743 1744	1676	
603	An act to regulate the sale of garden and farm seeds.	496	911	910, 910				
604	An act to extend the period of licenses granted by the Secretary of State for automobiles during the triennial period of 1918, 1919 and 1920, until such time as the legislature of 1921 shall make provisions for the relicensing of the same.	496	496	496, 784	864		1014	1069
605	An act prohibiting the placing of advertising matter in certain places and prohibiting the removal of or injury to certain signs and inscriptions, and providing penalties therefor.	497	1460	1460				
606	An act to conform the organization, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the Federal Law, relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency.	507	523	593, 523 523, 807 807, 1007 1007, 1007 1044, 1044				
607	An act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.	508		1184, 1184				
608	An act establishing a Department of Agriculture, providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture and determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner.	508		1185, 1185				
609	An act to limit the time within which a vendor of land must exercise an option reserved in his conveyance of real estate to another to repurchase the same at a valuation fixed and agreed upon therein.	509						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
610	An act changing the administration of part II of the Workmen's Compensation Law; providing for a Workmen's Compensation Board to have original jurisdiction over all compensation matters herein specified in place of the District Courts; empowering the Workmen's Compensation Board to supervise the licensing and regulating of insurance carriers writing Workmen's Compensation insurance in this state.	509		754, 1453 1453				
611	An act to amend Sections 24 and 25 of Chapter 3, Laws 1913, entitled, An act relating to corrupt practices at primaries and elections and candidates to be voted for therein, and providing for punishments for violations thereof.	510	805	798, 1065 1398, 1398 1474, 1474	1473			
612	An act relating to legislative contests in case of persons declared elected to the State Legislature, and to the issuing of certificate of election to the one found to receive the highest number of votes, and to the taking and returning of evidence to the legislature.	510	609	604, 929	991		1117	1180
613	An act to amend Sections 6833, 6834 and 6837, General Statutes 1913, relating to execution of conveyances, and the record of certain instruments affecting title to real estate.	510						
614	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 230, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, an act relating to government of cities of the first class and authorizing the levy of taxes for play ground purposes.	510	911	908, 912	965		1319	1386
615	An act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 220,000 and more than 300,000 inhabitants.	510						
616	An act authorizing the register of deeds in any county in this state now or hereafter having not less than 50 nor more than 70 full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of not more than \$3,000,000, to engage in the abstract business in said county.	511	609	603, 929	993			
617	An act to legalize certain corporations.	511	714	699, 1048	1107			
618	An act to provide for the making of profit-sharing contracts between employers and employes and defining the respective rights and liabilities of the parties thereto.	527	714	700, 1065	1258			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
619	An act relating to and providing for the levy of additional school taxes in school districts in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants.	527	527	527	527	1322, 1322 1341, 1341 1341	1316	1481
620	An act providing for an appropriation reimbursing F. E. Lindsley for expenses incurred in election contest in the twelfth senatorial district.	528		798, 798				
621	An act relating to fire insurance policies on motor vehicles.	528	609	607, 932	994			
622	An act to promote the health and welfare of female employes by limiting the hours of employment, by prescribing time for rest and by establishing certain standards of working conditions.	528	958	951, 1253 1378				
623	An act to amend Section 3633, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the Dairy and Food Commissioner.	528		746, 746				
624	An act to amend Sections 4476, 4477, 4478, 4479, 4481, 4483, 4489, 4497 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the general supervision of the grain interests of the state and to repeal acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.	528	630	625, 656 756	831	1321	1320	1481
625	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Mr. Henry Paavola of Grey Eagle, Minnesota.	528						
626	An act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws of 1909, and Chapter 253, Laws of 1915, except as to pending proceedings.	529		1695, 1695				
627	An act imposing certain liabilities on persons, firm and corporations in municipalities for the cost of extinguishing fires which occur through their criminal intent, design or willful negligence.	529	805	802, 1378 1379, 1379				
628	An act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their religious faith or creed.	529	752	741, 1048 1085, 1085 1085				
629	An act entitled, An act providing for the laying out, straightening, widening, grading, turnpiking, constructing or otherwise substantially improving state lateral highways outside of cities and villages and for the payment of same by counties and by the assessment of benefited lands.	529						
630	An act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.	529	1413	1408, 1670 1670				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
631	An act to amend Section 4489, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to public local warehouses.	530						
632	An act designating the place of trials of actions brought upon wind, hail, fire or lightning insurance policies within the State of Minnesota.	530						
633	An act to amend Section 255, General Statutes 1913, relating to retirement of district judges.	530	886	883				
634	An act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled, An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto.	530						
635	An act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.	530		907, 907				
636	An act to require employers who make deductions from the wages of employes for benefit funds, to have a license from the Commissioner of Insurance and providing a penalty.	530	630	629, 933 933, 996	996		1681	1802
637	An act to amend Section 8209, General Statutes of 1913, to provide for the payment of total permanent compensation out of a special fund in certain cases.	531	985	982, 1326 1326, 1326				
638	An act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor.	531		982, 982				
639	An act to promote the safety of employes and the general public by requiring owners of certain buildings in which elevators are used jointly by two or more tenants to provide operators to run such elevators.	531	958	952, 1395 1531, 1531 1531				
640	An act to amend Section 7715 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913 governing actions relating to land.	544		884, 884				
641	An act to appropriate money to aid in the payment of premiums at the exhibitions of the Sibley County Poultry Association, in the County of Sibley, State of Minnesota.	544						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
642	An act relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the state now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000, and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.	545						
643	An act providing for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing. Also covering the construction, alteration and repair of all plumbing and house drainage in the State of Minnesota.	545		1183, 1183				
644	An act providing for participation of certain teachers in the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.	545						
645	An act to appropriate money to compensate the widow of E. M. Snow for the death of her husband due to injuries sustained in the course of his employment at the State Agricultural Experimental Station.	550						
646	An act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right, title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.	551		1591, 1591				
647	An act relating to the election of trustees in villages organized under and governed, by Chapter 145 General Laws of Minnesota 1885.	551	805	804, 1065	1399		1679	1804
648	An act regulating the equipment and regulation of hotels and restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses and places of refreshment, defining the same, and relating to the inspection thereof.	551		977, 978				
649	An act providing for the reimbursement of County Auditors for expenses incurred in attending meetings called by the Tax Commission to confer in regard to assessments and taxation.	551	609	602, 929	991		1764	
650	An act authorizing the establishment, improvement and maintenance of county parks in certain counties and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds to provide funds therefor.	551		805, 805				
651	An act to provide for safety to life and property in this state in the construction and use of steam boilers; creating a board of boiler rules to prescribe rules and regulations for boilers used in this state, which will be uniform with other state rules now in existence, in order to provide for the free interchange of boilers between states.	552		921, 921				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
652	An act to amend Section 2272, General Statutes of 1913, fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies, and gifts.	552	1413	652, 1583 1583, 1583				
653	An act to amend Section 7238, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 272, Laws 1917, and Section 7243, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 350, Laws 1915, so as to provide that where there is only one child, the surviving spouse shall receive one-half the estate.	552		675, 675				
654	An act fixing the times of holding general terms of the District Court in the county of Pine, nineteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.	552	701	701, 701	702		763	838
655	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. John Romine.	552						
656	An act to appropriate money, to reimburse the village of Crosby in the county of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota, for moneys advanced and expended by it in the completion and furnishing of the state armory at Crosby, Minnesota.	553						
657	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. Arthur W. Van Akin.	553						
658	An act to amend subdivision 11 of Section 1268, General Statutes 1913, relating to powers of village councils.	553						
659	An act to amend Section 3564, General Statutes 1913, relating to the admission and regulation of Fraternal Beneficiary Associations.	553	1134	1131, 1174 1174, 1174				
660	An act to provide for County Boards of Health of five members in the several counties of the state and to authorize the employment of physicians, dentists and nurses for such boards.	553	958	941, 1378 1378				
661	An act extending to women the right to vote at any primary election in this state, held for the purpose of nominating candidates for any elective office.	553		796, 796 1356, 1356				
662	An act to provide, under certain conditions, remuneration to retired employes of the State of Minnesota, who have been in war-time military service of the United States.	563						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
663	An act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 47, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913, entitled, An act requiring all places or receptacles where any fruit or any food products are manufactured, packed, stored, deposited, kept, collected, prepared, produced, sold or served to be kept and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition.	563	752	751, 1048	1213		1644	1790
664	An act to amend Section 3712, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the sale of unwholesome substances for use as food and penalties for violation thereof.	563	752	751, 1049 1049, 1214	1214		1644	1790
665	An act to provide for an annual farm census.	563	630	625				
666	An act providing for the codification and revision of the dairy and food laws.	563	825	820, 1211 1330	1330	1678	1678	1788
667	An act authorizing trust companies to be designated depositories of state, county and municipal funds.	564		984, 984				
668	An act to appropriate money to compensate for services rendered state in inheritance tax matters.	564						
669	An act authorizing county boards to grant petitions of school boards to have lands adjacent to or projecting into school districts set off and made a part of such districts.	564	778	774, 1065 1122, 1122 1122				
670	An act authorizing the state board of control, with the approval of the state auditor, to select from the public lands owned by the state not to exceed four sections of land to be used as a location for the maintenance of a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons.	564	640	639, 640	718	1672	1671	1788
671	An act appropriating certain money to be expended under the direction of the state board of control for the erection of buildings and the making of improvements on lands to be selected as a location for a colony for epileptics and a colony for feeble-minded persons.	564						
672	An act fixing the salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor, county treasurer, clerk of the district court and register of deeds, in counties now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships.	565	821	821, 821 1211, 1211 1211				
673	An act to amend Section 3678, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the licensing of operations of testing apparatus, and the penalties for violation thereof.	565	752	751, 1048	1215		1644	1790

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
674	An act granting the right to vote for certain offices and on certain propositions and matters of women.	565		1356, 1356				
675	An act to provide for the regulation of traffic in eggs, to provide for the licensing of dealers in eggs; to prevent fraud and misrepresentation in dealing in eggs and to prevent the sale of eggs unfit for human food.	565	778	764, 1375	1424			
676	An act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.	565	855	755, 853 1378				
677	An act to amend Section 1968, General Statutes of 1913, relating to powers and duties of school boards.	565	752	738, 1375	1423			
678	An act to amend Section 8249, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the time when action can be commenced on bonds given to public authorities in performance of contracts.	566						
679	An act abolishing the office of state oil inspector and transferring his powers to the dairy and food commissioner, providing for appointment of a chief oil inspector and deputy oil inspectors.	566	958	946, 1338 1338, 1338				
680	An act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 199 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the classes of persons entitled to benefits and annuities from the state teachers' insurance and retirement fund.	566						
681	An act to amend Section 5219, General Statutes 1913, providing for the appraisal of state lands, appointment of appraisers and their compensation.	566	609	598, 1447 1447, 1447				
682	An act empowering the court to exclude the general public from the court room during the trial of causes in certain cases.	566	752	742, 1049	1110 1049			
683	An act to amend Section 8673, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the conducting of public pool or billiard halls or rooms, or public bowling alleys, and prescribing the time when the same shall be closed and remain closed.	592	1413	1408				
684	An act to amend Sections 5480, 5481, 5482 of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes of 1913, creating a State Drainage Commission and defining the duties and authorities thereof.	592						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
685	An act authorizing the State Auditor to grant temporary rights of way across state lands, requiring logging railroads to secure permits to cross state lands, requiring logging railroads to haul freight for the public under the supervision of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission.	592						
686	An act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.	592		773, 773				
687	An act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, relating to transient merchants.	592						
688	An act to amend Section 2763, General Statutes 1913, relating to depositories of funds in independent school districts.	592	752	738				
689	An act to reimburse William L. Carss for moneys paid in connection with purchase, under executory contracts, from the state of certain swamp lands.	593						
690	An act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1917, being subdivisions 2 and 3 of Section 59 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of 1913, relating to public highways and powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities relative thereto.	593	752	741, 1048	1109		1231	1271
691	An act requiring the State Auditor and State Treasurer to credit the State Agricultural Society with interest earnings on money received by the society from the operation of the State Fair, rentals and sale of property and deposited with the State Treasurer.	594	709	709, 709	709	1443	1439	1522
692	A concurrent resolution creating a commission for the codification and revision of the laws relative to legal publications in newspapers.	594	923	921, 1094 1094, 1094				
693	An act to appropriate money to compensate Mrs. Herman Teichroew for the death of her husband due to injuries sustained in the course of his employment as a state weigher.	594						
694	An act to amend Chapter 200 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1876, and Chapter 92 of the Special Laws of the year 1881, and acts confirmatory and amendatory thereof, by adding a provision for a department of the Municipal Court of the City of Stillwater to be known as the Court of Conciliation.	594	630	626, 753	881 753	881	880	1053

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
695	An act to establish a Municipal Court in the village of Ironton, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.	594	595	595	595		615	658
696	An act abolishing the Minnesota State Board of Immigration and repealing Sections 3947, 3948, 3949, 3950, 3951 and 3952 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, being Chapter 23A of said General Statutes.	595	923	920				
697	An act to appropriate money to State Board of Control for the purpose of removing weeds from certain public waters in this state.	621	752	751, 751				
698	An act relating to lost, stolen and unclaimed property in cities of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed by a home rule charter.	621	911	676, 677 907, 912	965	1492	1491	1789
699	An act to amend Section 8781, General Statutes 1913, relating to guarding ice cutting.	621						
700	An act to authorize an additional assessment and the issue and sale of additional bonds in certain county and judicial ditch proceedings.	621						
701	An act to appropriate money for the purchase of a suitable site and the erection of a monument thereon in commemoration of the Dustin family killed by the Indians in Wright County, Minnesota, on June 29th, 1863.	621						
702	An act permitting the discharge of the overflow from sewerage treatment plants into public drainage ditches under certain conditions.	621						
703	An act to appropriate money for publishing the reports of the State Dairymen's Association, and for the payment of expenses in connection with its work.	622						
704	An act to levy a tax to provide funds to erect buildings and to acquire property under a comprehensive building plan at the University of Minnesota.	622						
705	An act for the relief of William Klicke, and to appropriate money therefor.	622						
706	An act to amend Chapter 210 of the Laws of 1915 of Minnesota, known as the act for the regulation of warehousemen in cities of the first class other than grain and cold storage warehouses.	622	923	922, 1375	1431			

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
707	An act to repeal Chapter 146, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913 relating to final examination of accounts of county officers and payment of last month's salary.	622	825	822, 1065	1327		1495	1520
708	An act to amend Section 7662, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, and to authorize justices of the peace to hear and determine the defense of part performance of an oral contract for the renting and leasing of agricultural lands in actions in forcible entry and unlawful detainer.	622		885, 885				
709	An act to amend Chapter 223, General Laws 1917, relating to allowances out of state funds for support of dependent children by counties.	643						
710	An act legalizing the executions of leases of a part of armory premises by companies of the National Guard in certain cases.	643	886	884, 911	912		1012	1069
711	An act to provide for the erection of armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages.	643		803, 803				
712	An act to amend Section 3954, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws 1915, and Chapter 205, Laws 1917, relating to admission of persons to the Minnesota Soldiers' Home.	643	643	643	643		816	838
713	An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of County Free Libraries, and for contracts between boards of county commissioners and existing public libraries.	644	1098	1098, 1451 1451, 1451				
714	An act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 152, Laws of 1915, relating to the control and jurisdiction of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission over telephone companies.	644		677, 677 1558, 1558				
715	An act entitled, An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 220,000 and less than 300,000 inhabitants.	644						
716	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 9102, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913.	644	855	853, 1375	1427			
717	An act permitting the discharge of the overflow from sewerage treatment plants into public drainage ditches under certain conditions.	645						

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718	An act to amend Section 684, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of County Commissioners.	645	1028	772, 772 806, 1028 1311, 1315 1315, 1331 1360	1360			
719	An act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.	645	805	802, 1065 1210, 1210				
720	An act authorizing the governing body of any city to provide, by resolution, for the exercise by one of the judges of the Municipal Court of any such city of like powers and duties as are granted to and imposed on the conciliation judge of the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis by the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws 1917.	645		778, 778 778, 778 956, 956				
721	An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of carbonated and still beverages, commonly known as soft drinks, and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof.	645	1368	1368, 1368 1368				
722	An act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled, An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota..	645	752	748, 1048	1140			
723	An act requiring approval of voters to authorize issuance and sale of drainage bonds, in any county which has a bonded indebtedness on account of county and judicial ditches, equal to or greater than 25 per cent of the assessed valuation thereof.	646						
724	An act to amend Section 4335 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 53 of the General Laws of 1917 prohibiting the granting to or use by any person of any free pass, frank or special privilege withheld from any other person.	646						
725	An act legalizing certain appropriations made by county boards to agricultural societies and farm improvement associations.	646	708	708, 708	708		880	896
726	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 223 Laws 1917, which said chapter is entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes.	646	752	752, 1065	1307		1580	1664
727	An act to prescribe the summons in Municipal Courts in villages and cities of the fourth class, however organized.	646	886	884, 1375	1429		1674	1803

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
728	An act to regulate the hours of opening and closing of freight and express depots, for the purpose of receiving and delivering freight and express.	647		1691, 1692				
729	An act to appropriate money for the payment of premiums of the Red River Valley Livestock Association of Crookston, Minnesota.	647						
730	An act to amend Section 5710, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, providing that hereafter all seals of Notary Public shall contain the name and address of all Notary Publics hereafter commissioned.	647		849, 850				
731	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Hugh M. Hatton for injury sustained by him on the eighteenth day of April, 1917.	647						
732	An act to amend Section 8886, General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913, relating to receiving stolen property, averment and proof.	647						
733	An act authorizing the Board of Timber Commissioners to require the purchaser of state lands to cut clean all standing timber upon lands covered by permit issued to said purchaser.	658	714	702, 1304 1304, 1304				
734	An act to authorize the Board of Timber Commissioners to determine the number of sections of land or fractions thereof to be covered by and described in a timber permit.	658	714	702, 1375 1448, 1448 1448				
735	An act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 333, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to commercial fishing in Lake Superior, and the size of nets to be used.	658		707, 707				
736	An act to reimburse L. H. Weil for Clothing and furnishings supplied soldiers upon certification of the commanding officer of the National Guard.	660		797, 797				
737	An act to amend Sections 874 and 875, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 135, of the Laws of Minnesota for 1915 and as amended by Chapter 472, of the Laws of Minnesota for 1917, fixing the salaries of County Treasurers in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 200,000 inhabitants or over and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.	660						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
738	An act to amend Chapter 29, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 37, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act to require all public service corporations doing business within this state to pay their employees at least semi-monthly the wages earned by them, to within fifteen (15) days of the date of such payment.	660	1700	1694				
739	An act authorizing the county attorney of any county in this state to appoint, with the consent of the county board, an assistant county attorney, who shall be paid by the county attorney appointing him.	660	805	797, 1065				
740	An act appropriating money to Cora Nethaway for the salary of John C. Nethaway as District Judge for the unexpired part of the year 1917, from the time of the death of said John C. Nethaway.	660						
741	An act to appropriate the sum of four hundred sixty-five and 34/100 dollars (\$465.34) to Washington County to reimburse said county for expenses in the case of State of Minnesota vs. Frank Chessman.	661						
742	An act authorizing cities or villages in this state by a majority vote of the council thereof to modify the conditions upon which lands have been heretofore or may hereafter be deeded to school district.	661	805	804, 1374	1374		1440	1522
743	An act requiring bathing establishments to be equipped with pulmotors.	661						
744	An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.	661	778	775, 1065 1498, 1498 1498				
745	An act authorizing any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of thirty thousand, or less, according to the last state or national census, in which is located a city of the third class, operating under a Home Rule Charter, to acquire by gift from such city an interest in and to any hospital and hospital equipment which may now or hereafter belong to such city.	661	778	776, 1065 1353, 1353 1353				
746	An act to amend Section 6434, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the power of a local building and loan association to deal in real estate.	662	855	851, 1375 1426	1426		1579	1664

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
747	An act to amend Section 9346 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to charges for other than county prisoners and authorizing counties to pay one dollar per day for the board of its prisoners confined in other counties from and after April 10, 1917.	662	778	775, 1376 1376				
748	An act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge purposes additional to that which it is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for purposes of town government.	662	825	821, 1375 1379, 1379				
749	An act entitled, An act to provide for the relief and assistance of soldiers and sailors, residents of the State of Minnesota, who are now or have been a part of the land or naval forces of the United States engaged in the war with Germany and her allies.	662						
750	An act providing notice of hearing on application for allowance of expense items in judicial ditch proceedings.	663						
751	An act relating to public warehouses on the right of way of railroads.	663	1295	1289, 1375 1534				
752	An act to reimburse the Lion Bonding & Surety Company for money paid the State of Minnesota in excess of the total amount of material removed, and to appropriate money therefor.	663						
753	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24, Laws 1907 and Section 8 of Chapter 24, Laws 1907, as amended by Chapter 318, Laws 1913, said Chapter 24, Laws 1907, being entitled, An act creating a fund and providing for the disbursement thereof, for pensions and relief by Firemen's Relief Associations.	663						
754	An act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled, An act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes, and for investigation and supervision in such cases, and to repeal Sections 7197, 7198 and 7199, General Statutes 1913.	663						
755	An act to appropriate money to compensate Carl F. Swanson for personal injuries sustained while in the course of his employment at the State Capitol.	663						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference, Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
756	An act providing for the designation of a site and the erection thereon of a building for the use of the state, in providing offices for state officials, boards and commissions, and as a memorial for the soldiers, sailors and marines of the state, and providing for a tax levy to raise \$750,000 for such purposes.	664					
757	An act entitled, An act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty-four million dollars and an area of more than two thousand five hundred square miles.	664 1044	1029, 1252 1252				
758	An act to authorize the recording of certificates of discharge from the United States army, navy and marine corps.	664 825	823, 882 882, 882				
759	An act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by home rule charter to designate and redesignate the ward boundaries of such cities.	664 805	805, 1046	1141		1319	1386
760	An act to prescribe certain duties of the surveyor general of logs and lumber, and prescribing duties, bonds and penalties relating to officers employed in state timber work, and appropriating money therefor.	664 714	703, 1065 1065	1307	1579	1579	
761	An act to amend Section 5278, General Statutes 1913, regulating the extension of permits.	665 714	703, 1375 1537, 1537 1537				
762	An act to amend Section 5265, General Statutes 1913, relating to sale of timber on state lands.	665 714	703, 1065	1306		1494	1520
763	An act to amend Chapter 327, Laws 1917, relating to sale of timber on state lands and regulating the issuance of permits.	665 714	702, 1375 1448, 1448 1448				
764	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 2769 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of common school districts.	665	1459, 1459				
765	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 193, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 412 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, to fix the compensation of county surveyors, deputies, employees and clerks, hired in the State of Minnesota.	665					
766	An act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes 1913, relating to prejudice or bias of judges of the District Court.	666	884, 884				

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767	An act relating to dangerous railroad crossings over streets and public highways.	666	1044	1028, 1355 1355, 1355				
768	An act to provide in certain cases for the separation from cities containing 10,000 inhabitants or less, and from school districts contained in such cities, of unplatted agricultural lands included in the corporate limits of such city.	666	714	707, 1065 1162, 1162 1162				
769	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 448, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to establishment of state forests.	666		704, 704				
770	An act to amend subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employees.	666		1184, 1184				
771	An act to provide against fraud on hospitals, sanitariums, public or private institutions for care and treatment of the sick or disabled and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.	673		1288, 1288				
772	An act to amend Chapter 91 of the General Laws of 1913, entitled an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts.	673	752	744, 745 911	911		1689	1803
773	An act to reimburse the Alexander Wilken Woman's Relief Corps No. 64 of Mankato, Minnesota, for moneys expended by it in improving and furnishing a certain room in the state armory at Mankato and appropriating money therefor.	673						
774	An act relating to the collection of the costs and expenses heretofore incurred, by the establishment of drainage ditches, in certain cases and authorizing the filing of additional liens therefor, and authorizing the collection of such costs as taxes in certain instances.	673						
775	An act to amend Section 4635, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 299, Session Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to the fees to be paid for examinations of state banks, trust companies, savings banks, and local and general building and loan associations.	686	687	687, 784	862		1014	1069
776	An act authorizing certain villages and cities to acquire land for use as a place within which to tie horses and park automobiles.	687	825	823, 1046	1142		1439	1522
777	An act to appropriate money to reimburse the socialist party of Minneapolis for an American flag taken by the Home Guards of Hennepin County and not returned to it.	687						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
778	An act to appropriate money for current expenses, buildings, and improvements at State institutions, and for other purposes. .	687	688	688, 1047 1047				
779	An act to amend Sections 2623 and 2626 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to tags of registration on motor vehicles and prescribing the manner in which such tags shall be displayed.	688		1020, 1020				
780	An act to provide an additional judge for the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District, detaching the county of Pipestone from the Thirteenth Judicial District and attaching it to the Ninth Judicial District.	688	824	825, 1065				
781	An act to authorize the County Board in any county in this State now or hereafter having not less than 150,000 nor more than 220,000 inhabitants, and an area of over 5,000 square miles to establish by purchase or lease an industrial home school for girls.	688	774	773, 773	774		1059	1157
782	An act to amend Sections 1453, 1454, 1455, and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons.	688	1413	1411				
783	An act for the relief of Alfred Christofferson, private in Company "C," Fourth Minnesota, National Guard, on account of injuries received by him while on duty at the Great Northern Power Company's Dam, near Thompson, Minnesota, on or about November 1, 1917.	689						
784	An act to prohibit a person from holding the offices of school trustee and member of village council at the same time.	689		1697, 1697				
785	An act to amend Section 923, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of Register of Deeds.	689	689	689	689		794	839
786	An act to provide funds for carrying into effect Chapter 491, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and defining the duties of the high school board in the distribution of such funds.	690	958	954, 1703	1703		1738	
787	An act requiring the stock of state banks hereafter organized to be owned by individuals, and making certain transactions relative thereto unlawful.	690		985, 985				
788	An act to legalize conveyances of real property heretofore made by a married man or married woman directed to his or her spouse, and the record of such conveyance.	690	855	853, 1375	1427		1681	1804

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789	An act to relieve Alger, Smith & Company from default on logging permits numbered 2471, 2478 and 2775, heretofore issued to said company by the State of Minnesota.	690						
790	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 298, Laws 1911 (Section 9267, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913), as amended by Chapter 319, Laws 1917; said Chapter 298, Laws 1911, being entitled "An act to provide for the indeterminate sentence of persons convicted of crime."	690						
791	An act to require coal dealers to inspect and remove slate and other foreign substances from coal.	691						
792	An act to legalize defective mortgage or mechanic's lien foreclosure sales heretofore made and the record thereof.	691	691	691, 929 998, 998	1047	1677	1677	1789
793	An act to legalize acknowledgments taken by notaries public who were or are members of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, at the time of taking such acknowledgments, and acknowledgments taken by military officers within this state.	691	691	691, 929	998	1683	1682	1789
794	An act to amend Sections 1038 and 1039, General Laws of 1913, and Section 1 of Chapter 225 of Laws of 1915, and Section 2 as amended by Chapter 411 of Laws of 1917, fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 330,000 inhabitants or over.	692	692	692	692	1489	1489	1660
795	An act providing for the regulation and inspection of schools for nurses and for the examination, regulation licensing and registration of nurses and aides to nurses and for the punishment of offenders against this act and repealing certain laws relating thereto.	693	1208	1202, 1202				
796	An act entitled, An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants, to incur certain expenses and appropriate money for the payment thereof.	693						
797	An act to amend Section 18, Chapter 34, Special Laws of 1889, relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Minneapolis.	693	694	694	694	1489	1490	1661

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
798	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90 of the General Laws of the year 1913, relating to railroad rates in this state and to increase the powers and further define the duties of the Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission in relation to the same and to define, prevent, and punish unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of freight on railroads in this state.	694	805	753, 753 753, 753 802, 1065 1174, 1174 1174				
799	An act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power of eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.	695		853, 853				
800	An act legalizing certain affidavits of publication heretofore filed and the record thereof, wherein certain facts which should have been stated were omitted.	695	695	695, 929 1045, 1045 1045				
801	An act creating a council of public domain, determining its powers and duties and appropriating money therefor.	695						
802	An act fixing the times of holding a general term of the District Court in the County of Isanti, Eighteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota.	696	696	696	696, 806	785, 793 793, 806	880	896
803	An act appropriating \$175,000 for the aid of certain school districts in the state.	696		752, 752 752				
804	An act to amend Section 4, Chapter 238, Laws 1915, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 410, Laws of 1917, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.	697	855	852, 1123 1124, 1124				
805	An act relating to the exhumation and examination of dead bodies, when necessary, for the purpose of determining the cause of death.	697	825	716, 716 716, 824 1065, 1331 1331, 1331				
806	An act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of mutual automobile insurance companies.	697	958	953, 1416 1416, 1416				
807	An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of any county of this state to issue and sell county bonds for the purpose of constructing or improving, or aiding in the construction or improvement of roads in said county.	697	776	753, 753 753, 753 775, 776	835	1578	1577	1790
808	An act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota, which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.	734	855	851, 858	858		894	935

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809	An act to provide that the positions of director of the State teachers' employment bureau and secretary Board of Trustees of the teachers' insurance and retirement fund may be held by the same person.	734	855	852	1372		1680	1804
810	An act to regulate the repapering, repainting and recalcimining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.	734		1367, 1367				
811	An act authorizing cities in Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to regulate and fix the rates and prices to be charged for electric light, power and heat furnished for the use of such cities and the inhabitants thereof.	734						
812	An act to repeal Chapter 156, of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1911, being Chapter 28a of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, to abolish the Department of Weights and Measures.	735		978, 978				
813	An act to amend Section 3840, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the regulation of labor.	735	958	937				
814	An act to amend Section 534, General Statutes 1913, relating to compensation for election services.	735	800	799, 800	800		1494	1664
815	Concurrent resolution memorializing congress of the United States to pass a bill for the establishment of a Department of Education.	735		1556, 1556				
816	An act appropriating the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) to United Theatre Equipment Corporation for reimbursement to said company for refundment of corporation filing fee paid twice by mistake.	735						
817	An act to amend Chapter 128, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, entitled, An act authorizing cities of the first class to designate and establish restricted residence districts and to prohibit the erection, alteration and repair of buildings thereon for certain prohibited purposes.	735	923	922, 1375	1430		1488	1520
818	An act authorizing municipal subdivisions of the state to appropriate funds in aid of the work to be carried on by the Minnesota War Records Commission.	736	825	820, 1280 1280, 1280				
819	An act to appropriate money for the University of Minnesota and for making a temporary advance to the University maintenance fund.	736						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
820	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Mary Kinne for the death of Herbert L. Kinne, which occurred on December 24, 1917.	736						
821	An act to provide for a memorial arch and building on the grounds of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society for the soldiers, sailors and marines enlisted or drafted from the State of Minnesota outside of the cities of the first class, in the war between the United States and Germany.	736		797, 797				
822	An act to amend Section 826, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 82, Laws 1917, relating to compensation of county auditor in certain counties.	736	737	736	737		1061	1157
823	An act directing the State Auditor to credit payments made upon lands purchased by Hugh D. Campbell, Helen M. Torinus, Martha E. Matthews and Roy F. Curley, in Roseau county, from the State of Minnesota, under a mistake of fact..	737	1134	1126, 1539 1539				
824	An act to amend Chapter 363, Laws of 1915, which said Chapter 363 is entitled, An act establishing a State Athletic Commission and regulating boxing and sparring in the State of Minnesota.	759						
825	An act relating to a Minnesota State Song and to the singing thereof in the various schools of this State.	759	856	856, 856 856	857	1005, 1006	901	
826	An act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation, lands, sites and buildings necessary therefor.	759		1547, 1547				
827	An act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to manufacture, gather, purchase and store ice and sell and distribute ice to such cities.	760		1409, 1409				
828	An act to authorize and empower cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to engage in and conduct and carry on the business of carrying and transporting passengers for hire upon the public streets and highways of such cities and to acquire, purchase, equip, own, maintain, use and operate automobiles, motor buses, motor vehicles and other vehicles and property of any kind necessary therefor.	760		1409, 1409				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
829	An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, provide for the appointment of a commissioner, and define his powers and duties, appropriate funds for the support of such department, defining penalties for the violation of law relative to food products.	760		1246, 1246				
830	An act to amend Section 2327, of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the collection of taxes on money and credits.	761		1257, 1257				
831	An act to amend Section 2330 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws 1907, being Section 5032, General Statutes 1913, relating to qualifications entitling pharmacists to registration.	761	985	978				
832	An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913, entitled, An act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.	761	985	978, 1353 1353, 1353				
833	An act to amend Section 879, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 80, Laws of 1917, relating to the compensation of County Treasurer in certain counties.	761	761	761	762		1117	1180
834	An act entitled, An act to authorize the county auditor and county treasurer in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants, to pay claims against the county for labor.	762	1043	1042, 1043	1215			
835	A joint resolution relating to amnesty for political prisoners.	762						
836	An act authorizing cemetery associations to re-invest themselves with title to the unused portions of cemetery lots, for failure to pay lot care thereon, and relating to cemeteries.	762	985	976, 1726	1726			
837	An act to improve the public service, commission and define its powers and duties in the State of Minnesota.	763		1185, 1185				
838	An act to define the qualifications for the practice of architecture in the State of Minnesota; to provide for the examination and registration of architects and to provide for the examination and registration of architects and to provide for the violation of this act.	787		920, 921				
839	An act relating to the number of hours a person may be permitted to labor and to the powers of the Commissioner of Labor.	787						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
840	An act fixing the salaries of judges of the district court in and for the fifteenth judicial district of the state.	787						
841	An act authorizing certain counties to make use of a part of the poorhouse for hospital purposes.	787	958	949, 1375				
842	An act to amend Section 7025, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to lien for labor and materials for improvement of real estate.	788	1173	1165				
843	An act to appropriate \$192.00 to pay Dr. J. E. Corrigan for professional services rendered Lillian White.	788						
844	An act authorizing county boards of education for unorganized territory, containing 75 or more townships or fractions thereof, in counties of this state, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding floating indebtedness.	788	958	956	1392		1407	1481
845	An act fixing salaries and clerk hire of the county auditor and the county treasurer in counties now and hereafter having not less than fifty nor more than seventy full or fractional congressional townships.	788	958	950, 1352 1352, 1352				
846	An act amending Chapter 122, Laws 1917, "authorizing and empowering any city of this state having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants to provide for a heating plant, the same to be of municipal or private ownership.	788	911	905, 961 999	999			
847	An act amending Section 2128 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 303, General Laws of Minnesota for year 1917, relating to delinquent taxes.	789		1598, 1598				
848	An act to fix the salary of county auditors in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.	789	958	950, 1378 1414, 1414 1414				
849	An act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.	789		1132, 1132				
850	An act concerning fraudulent conveyances and to make uniform the law relating thereto.	789		1131, 1131				
851	An act to amend Sections 6966 and 6973, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to chattel mortgages and the foreclosure thereof.	789						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
852	An act proposing an amendment to Section 10 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota and authorizing the Legislature to enact laws for the acquisition, improvement, development and sale of lands suitable for agricultural purposes.	789						
853	An act providing for the filing, recording and indexing in the office of Register of Deeds of bills of sale, instruments evidencing a lien on or reserving title to personal property and satisfactions of liens on personal property.	790		886, 886 886				
854	An act relating to the compensation of members of county boards in certain counties..	790	958	949				
855	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. Anna Nelson of Gray Eagle, Minnesota.	790						
856	An act authorizing the governing body of any city of the first or second class to provide, by resolution, for the exercise by one of the judges of the Municipal Court of any such city of like powers and duties as are granted to and imposed on the conciliation judge of the Municipal Court of the city of Minneapolis by the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws 1917.	790		1697, 1697				
857	An act to regulate the investment and expenditure of moneys, securities or property transferred to charitable, educational, religious or benevolent corporations or associations.	790	"					
858	An act to promote the health and safety of employes in all places of employment, both inside and outside, by requiring the owners of such places, and, in certain cases, the owners of buildings and grounds in or on which such places are located to keep them in good sanitary condition.	791	958	938, 1375 1530, 1530				
859	An act to provide for the appointment of a State Commissioner of Drainage, prescribing his duties and compensation, and for an advisory board its method of appointment and its duties, and for other purposes.	791						
860	An act limiting the hours of employment of persons engaged in work injurious to health, to-wit, laborers in flour mills, firemen and engineers in boiler and engine rooms, and laborers in mines underground and in linseed oil plants.	791						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
861	A joint resolution memorializing the War Department to discharge certain persons now in the military or naval services of the United States.	792	826	792, 792 792, 825 825, 826 826	826		894	1053
862	An act to amend Section 3631, General Statutes 1913, relating to oil inspection fees and the collection thereof.	810		943, 943				
863	An act to amend Sections 78 and 82, General Statutes 1913, relating to duties of State Treasurer, and repealing Chapter 524, Laws of 1913, providing for additional report by State Treasurer.	810	1208	1187, 1532 1532, 1532				
864	An act to amend Section 845, General Statutes 1913, relating to receipts and payments of money by County Treasurer.	810	1044	1028, 1532 1532, 1532				
865	An act to amend Section 824, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of 1917, relating to the employment of deputies and clerks in the offices of county auditors.	810						
866	An act to appropriate \$383.90 to reimburse H. E. Lindhe for overcharge in the scaling of timber.	810						
867	An act to appropriate money for the erection of a monument at Baudette, Minnesota.	810						
868	An act to appropriate money for purchasing a site and erecting a monument in commemoration of the pioneers who were massacred by the Indians in Murray County, Minnesota, in August, 1862.	811						
869	An act to reimburse Milton S. Smith to the extent of \$4,562.94 for balance due under contracts and notes given in connection therewith, and for articles of armory equipment furnished, all in connection with the acquisition of site and the building and furnishing of an armory thereon.	811						
870	An act to amend Section 9390, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the salaries of probation officers in certain counties of this state.	811		950, 950				
871	An act supplemental to Chapter 147, General Laws 1915, and providing for a chief deputy sheriff of the County of Beltrami, and a chief deputy clerk of the district court, resident at the village of Baudette, County of Beltrami, Minnesota.	811		1125, 1125				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
872	An act providing for the payment of loss or damage by fire or tornado to state property, requiring same to be kept safe from fire loss, and repealing certain laws inconsistent herewith.	811	1106	812, 1106	914		1407	1481
873	An act to amend Section 5807, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, so as to provide that the defense of usury shall not be interposed by a corporation.	812						
874	An act to amend Chapter 193 of the general Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 412 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, and fixing the compensation of county surveyors, their deputies, employees and clerks.	812	958	949, 1375				
875	An act fixing the rate of interest upon unpaid state auditor's drafts in certain cases.	812	1173	1165, 1586 1586, 1586				
876	An act to amend Section 5167, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 394, Laws of 1917, relating to noxious weeds and also to provide for a county weed inspector and prescribing his duties.	812	958	941, 1375				
877	An act to legalize notices of claims filed against cities of the first class, not having a home rule charter, during February, 1918, pursuant to Section 1 of Chapter 391, General Laws of Minnesota, 1913.	812	911	906, 912	966		1012	1069
878	An act to regulate the establishment of private schools.	813		858, 858				
879	A joint resolution memorializing the Minnesota Commission of Public Safety to pay enlisted men and officers of the Second Minnesota Field Artillery the sum of \$50 apiece.	813	1701	813, 813 813, 1701 1701	1701			
880	An act to establish and create a public park to be known as "The Sibley State Park" and authorizing the purchase and condemnation of land for park purposes.	814						
881	An act to amend Section 16, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, and Section 5532 of the General Statutes for 1913, relating to drainage, and providing for a method of payment of expenses in judicial ditch proceedings.	814						
882	An act to repeal Section 4 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1869 providing for the incorporation of the village of High Forest, Olmsted County, Minnesota.	814	911	904, 1250 1250, 1250				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
883	An act to amend Section 5571 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 16, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.	814		921, 922 1691, 1691				
884	An act defining and regulating public stock yards, placing them under the supervision and control of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission and providing penalties.	815	923	923, 1094 1094, 1094				
885	An act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the Workmen's Compensation Act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.	815	985	983				
886	A concurrent resolution providing for the creation of a commission known as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tide Water Commission.	815	1413	1408, 1450 1450, 1450				
887	An act to authorize cities of the fourth class in counties of this state containing twenty-five thousand or less inhabitants to acquire land for, to erect and equip hospitals for patients other than insane.	815						
888	An act requiring fire resisting construction of all buildings used as theaters or moving picture theaters.	816						
889	An act to establish and create a public park to be known and designated as "Mille Lacs Lake State Park" and authorizing the purchase and condemnation of land for park purposes and appropriating money therefor.	816						
890	An act to amend subdivisions 5 of Section 2a. and subdivision 1 of Section 2c of Chapter 288 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905 entitled, An act providing for taxation of, and fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts.	839		1611, 1611				
891	An act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.	839	1258	1258, 1338 1338, 1338				
892	An act providing for the payment of delinquent taxes against freight line companies.	839	1258	1257, 1530 1530, 1530				
893	An act to amend Section 2917, General Statutes 1913, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.	839	958	955, 1373 1584, 1584 1584				
894	An act to provide for the payment of certain salaries and appropriating money therefor.	840						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
895	An act to amend Sections 2896 and 2897, General Statutes 1913, relating to payment of school funds to counties by state treasurer and the apportionment thereof by county auditors.	840	958	955, 1584 1585, 1585				
896	An act to appropriate money to compensate Charles Beuch and Mary Beuch for damages sustained by reason of the death of their child Raymond Beuch, while an inmate of the school for feeble-minded.	840						
897	An act amending Section 53 of Chapter 264 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the municipal court of the city of Duluth and the salaries of the judges and clerks thereof.	840	840	840	915		1319	1386
898	An act to authorize the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to prescribe a uniform system of accounting by public local warehousemen receiving and shipping grain.	840		1293, 1293				
899	An act authorizing the governing body of certain cities to provide, by resolution, that one of the judges of the municipal court of any such city shall act as a court of conciliation and small debtors' court.	841	958	957, 1279 1279, 1279				
900	An act providing for the filing of descriptions of real estate with register of deeds in any county, by persons, companies or corporations desiring to sell or purchase such real estate.	841		1555, 1556				
901	An act providing for the forfeiture to the state of mineral rights upon which taxes are delinquent; fixing the period of such delinquency.	841						
902	An act relating to the taking of fish by nets and seines in certain of the public waters in this state.	841	958	951, 1212 1279, 1254 1415, 1503 1503, 1512 1516, 1516				
903	An act prohibiting the cutting of ice, for the purpose of selling or offering the same for sale in Minnesota, from the Mississippi river at any place in said river south of the south line of the City of South St. Paul.	841	911	904, 1375 1730	1730			
904	An act providing that counties, operating under the town system of caring for the poor, shall be liable to any town therein, having an assessed valuation of less than \$200,000, for such amount in excess of \$150 paid by such town during any year for the care and relief of the poor therein.	842	1044	1029				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
905	An act proposing to amend Section 5542, General Statutes 1913, being a part of the subdivision entitled: "County Ditches" of Chapter 44, entitled "Drainage."	842						
906	An act to amend Section 7703, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to limitation of actions in certain cases.	842		1236, 1236				
907	An act to amend Section 5626, of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 441 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.	842						
908	An act changing the administration of Part II of the Workmen's Compensation Law; providing for a Workmen's Compensation Board to have original jurisdiction over all matters herein specified in place of the district courts.	842	1149, 985	843, 972 973, 973 975, 975 1142, 1143 1143, 1144 1145, 1149 1149, 1151				
909	An act limiting the time within which an action may be brought to set aside certain deeds and mortgages made by executors and administrators, and legalizing such deeds and mortgages.	843	1324	1223, 1450 1451, 1451				
910	An act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.	843	1570	1545				
911	An act to amend subdivision 12, Section 294, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 149, Laws 1917, fixing salaries in State Treasurer's office.	843	1208	1187, 1450 1450, 1450				
912	An act creating a State Board of Deposit and repealing Sections 91, 93, 94, 95, 96 and 97, General Statutes 1913, and Chapter 396, Laws of 1917, said sections and chapter being inconsistent with this act.	843	1208	1186, 1585 1585, 1585				
913	An act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.	844		1598, 1598				
914	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 517 of the General Laws of 1913, as follows: relating to the salaries of stenographic reporters in municipal courts.	844	1413	904, 904 1412, 1412	1413		1578	1664
915	An act prohibiting any person from dealing in disabled horses, mules, or draft animals of any kind.	844	923	923, 1375				
916	An act to cure defects in the service of notice of expiration of time of redemption upon tax sale certificates, where notice of expiration of redemption was duly issued within six years after the tax sale.	844						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
917	An act to limit the expenditures of certain municipalities.	844	1044	1044, 1061 1064				
918	An act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter to use and dispose of its surplus and unused products and furnish fire protection and use of fire apparatus to other municipalities and communities outside of such cities..	844	911	905, 912	966		1318	1386
919	An act amending Section 2638 of the Revised Statutes for 1913 relating to Board of Automobile Examiners, examining and licensing of chauffeurs.	845	1044	1019				
920	An act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate and codify the laws of this state relating to the preservation, protection and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.	854	855	855, 1212 1279, 1254 1415, 1503 1503, 1512 1516, 1516				
921	An act to amend Section 1988, General Statutes 1913, an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the per cent of "full and true value" at which property in each class shall be assessed.	855		1026, 1027				
922	An act to prohibit compulsory medical examinations and treatment, including dental and physical, of persons residing in this state, except in certain cases, without their consent.	855		1366, 1367				
923	An act relating to insurance adjusters.	855						
924	An act to amend Sections 3343 and 3344, General Statutes, 1913, which said sections as so amended relate to the taxation of insurance policies.	855	911	910, 1375	1430		1673	1789
925	An act providing for a combined drainage and sewer system in villages and certain cities of the fourth class.		861					
926	An act to legalize elections by villages authorizing sales and leases of their municipal electric lighting plants and all action taken pursuant to such authority where notice of such elections has not been given in accordance with law.	877	878	878	878		894	935
927	An act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 324, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915, entitled, An act creating and establishing a State Reformatory for Women, authorizing the State Board of Control to select and acquire for the state a suitable tract of land to be used as a site for the purpose.	878		1185, 1185				

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928	An act entitled, An act to amend Chapter 44, of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to drainage by adding thereto certain sections to be known as Sections 5526-A and 5536-A.	879						
929	An act authorizing the incorporation of co-operative associations and defining their powers.	879						
930	An act providing for the testing of grain where received at the local elevator or mill and for forwarding a sample of said grain to the Railroad and Warehouse Commission for examination and report and requiring payment for said grain according to the report of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission.	879						
931	An act requiring mortgagees to pay mortgage registry taxes and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.	879		976, 976				
932	An act to amend Section 4272, General Statutes of 1913, the same being Section 1, Chapter 307, General Laws of 1913, an act to promote the safety of employes and travelers on railroads by requiring common carriers engaged in operating railroads in the State of Minnesota.	897	1570	1557				
933	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Mrs. G. Vader on account of the death of George Vader in the fire stricken district.	897						
934	An act to appropriate money for the relief of John H. Paulzine on account of the death of Francis Henry Paulzine in the fire stricken district.	898						
935	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Gertrude Colles on account of the death of Thomas Colles in the fire stricken district.	898						
936	An act to appropriate money for the relief of Martin Larson on account of total disability from injuries while in service in the fire stricken district.	898						
937	An act to amend Section 1720, Revised Laws 1905 (Section 3611, Statutes 1913), which Section prescribes penalties for the failure of insurance companies to comply with the law with reference to the filing of their annual statement.	898	958	952				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
938	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 209, Laws of Minnesota 1915, relating to procedure in case of dispute under said Workmen's Compensation Act in said chapter, and providing for the filing of papers with the clerk of the district court.	898	1134	1133				
939	An act providing for certain state aid to school districts whose assessed valuation of taxable real and personal property, exclusive of money and credits, is less than thirty-five per cent of the entire amount of real and personal property.	898						
940	An act relating to the taking and withholding by town or county boards, of lands for road purposes, and actions or proceedings to assess or recover damages for such taking and withholding, in certain cases.	899						
941	An act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, and restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, clubs, drug stores, Young Men's Christian Associations, Young Women's Christian Associations, or similar institutions.	899	985	981, 1533 1533				
942	An act to amend Section 7055 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, relating to liens on motor vehicles and the method of foreclosing the same.	899	1044	1021				
943	An act requiring counties to construct and maintain all highway bridges costing more than one thousand dollars.	899	1134	1126, 1760				
944	An act relating to the formation and powers of consumers' leagues.	899						
945	An act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.	900	1044	1025, 1594 1594				
946	An act fixing the amount which may be paid for the publication of delinquent tax lists in certain counties.	900		1598, 1598				
947	An act to amend Section 4139 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the State Board of Visitors for public institutions in the State of Minnesota.	917	1173	1168				
948	An act to amend Section 3995, General Statutes 1913, relating to the pensioning of citizen-soldiers of Minnesota, who participated in the Indian massacre in 1862.	918	1700	1694				
949	An act relating to leather and to the manufacture, purchase and sale thereof.	935	1044	1042				

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Number	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
950	An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 10, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, being an act authorizing all public service corporations to give mortgages or deeds of trust covering all their property or franchises.	935	936	935	936		1012	1051
951	An act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 324, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1915, entitled "An act creating and establishing a State Reformatory for Women" authorizing the State Board of Control to select and acquire for the state a suitable tract of land to be used as a site for the purpose.	936		1182, 1183				
952	An act entitled "An act to provide for the relief and assistance of soldiers, sailors and marines, and appropriating money therefor.	937		1064, 1064 1065				
953	An act to repeal Chapter 467, Session Laws of Minnesota of 1917, entitled "An act forbidding the drawing by state officers and other state employees of salary or compensation upon more than one voucher or warrant.	937	1208	1188, 1235 1235, 1235				
954	An act to repeal Chapter 9 of the General Laws of 1912 and Sections 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2237 and 2238 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the taxation of steam railroads within the State of Minnesota, and to provide for a system of taxation of such steam railroads.	937		1257, 1257				
955	An act establishing additional terms of the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial District in and for St. Louis county at the City of Virginia, at the village of Hibbing, and at the City of Ely in said county.	969						
956	An act abolishing the department of weights and measures, including the office of Commissioner of Weights and Measures, and transferring to the Dairy and Food Commissioner all the powers and duties now possessed by the said commissioner and the said department.	970	970	970				
957	An act authorizing the payment from the allotment of the state road and bridge fund made to any county of aid on account of cost of construction by any such county of a bridge over waters constituting a state boundary.	970	1063	1063				
958	An act to define the qualifications for the practice of architecture in the State of Minnesota; to provide for the examination and registration of architects and to provide for the violation of this act.	971		1184, 1184				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
959	An act to appropriate money for expenses of the State government and for other purposes and prescribing present and future regulations and limitations relative to the expenditure of certain portions thereof.	1006	1006	1006, 1138 1138, 1138 1138, 1259 1259, 1259 1259, 1259 1260, 1261	1261	1563, 1591 1617, 1617 1756, 1757 1759	1563	
960	An act appropriating fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), for the aid of school district No. 158, Fillmore County, Minnesota.	1006						
961	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 118, of the Laws of 1915, relating to appropriations for armories or organizations of the Minnesota National Guard.	1006	1091	1089, 1136	1329		1678	1805
962	An act to regulate the moving of buildings or structures upon, along or across the roads, streets, alleys, and highways, in cities now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants and not having a Home Rule Charter.	1007						
963	An act to amend Sections 37, 43, 53, 60 and 62 of Chapter 400, Session Laws 1917, entitled, An act to conform the organization, discipline and training of the National Guard to the requirements of the Federal law relating to the militia and to promote its efficiency.	1007	1007	1007, 1377 1378	1422		1495	1664
964	An act to amend Section 5030, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, in relation to compensation of members of the State Board of Pharmacy.	1007	1208	1187, 1359	1359			
965	An act to appropriate money for the purpose of paying bonuses to Red Cross nurses registered from the State of Minnesota.	1007						
966	An act to amend Section 5029, General Statutes 1913, relating to the creation of State Board of Pharmacy, employment of attorney, and when violators shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.	1008	1208	1189, 1326 1326, 1326				
967	An act amending Sections two (2), five (5) and six (6) of Chapter 194, Laws 1913, being an act to enable municipalities to establish and acquire building line easements along streets, highways, parks and parkways, and defining the nature of such easements.	1008		1605, 1605				
968	An act providing for the incorporation of villages from out of the territory of certain villages already incorporated or attempted to be incorporated in this State.	1008	1339	1338, 1339				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
969	An act to amend Section 824, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 133, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 474, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917.	1008	1010	1009	1010	1321, 1347 1470, 1470 1472, 1472 1501, 1501	1317	1661
970	An act legalizing the foreclosure or cancellation of contracts for the purchase or sale of real estate and the records thereof where the mortgage registration tax on such contracts had not been paid prior to the commencement of the foreclosure or cancellation thereof or subsequent thereto.	1046	1046	1046, 1216	1216		1682	1805
971	An act relating to the discharge and removal of deputies, assistants and employes in certain cities.	1054						
972	An act defining and providing for the punishment of bank robbery.	1054						
973	An act to amend subdivision 2 of Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, which subdivision fixes the annual salary of the chief justice, justices, clerk, reporter and their respective stenographers.	1054	1208	1201				
974	An act to provide for safety to life and property in this state in the construction and use of steam boilers.	1054		1183, 1184				
975	An act to provide for the assessment of lands benefited in drainage proceedings and the payment of moneys so collected to contractors where ditches have been constructed.	1054						
976	An act to legalize mortgages or deeds of trust executed by public service corporations in certain cases.	1055	1055	1055	1055		1159	1226
977	An act to amend Section 3142, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in certain places, and prescribing a penalty therefor.	1055						
978	An act amending Section 1079 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1894, relating to the designation of a newspaper for official publications in certain cities of the state.	1055		1696, 1696				
979	An act to amend Section 720, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the establishment and maintenance of tuberculosis sanatoria in counties of the state.	1056	1295	1291				
980	An act to provide for the taxation of freight line companies, and repealing Chapter 377, Laws 1911.	1056	1570	1545				

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981	An act to amend Section 5, Chapter 442 of the General Laws of 1917, relating to drainage on boundary waters and formation of drainage and flood control districts and co-operation with drainage authorities in the adjoining states.	1056	1413	1410				
982	An act to amend Section 573, Revised Laws 1905, as amended, being Section 974, General Statutes 1913, relating to salary of county attorneys in counties whose population is less than seventy-five thousand.	1056		1098, 1098				
983	An act to amend Section 8, Chapter 199, General Statutes 1915, relating to a State Teachers' insurance and retirement fund.	1056						
984	An act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public markets in such cities.	1057	1134	1127				
985	An act to provide for bringing on for immediate trial certain cases where the wages of the defendant has been garnished.	1057		1131, 1131				
986	An act to amend Section 1252, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to annual village elections.	1057	1057	1057	1057		1440	1522
987	An act to regulate common carriers of passengers by buses, taxicabs, motor vehicles and omnibuses in cities of the first class in this state, including all such carriers not operating upon specially constructed or fixed tracks but operating solely upon the streets of said cities, and providing for the licensing of the same.	1058		1695, 1695				
988	An act reimbursing any person, firm, association or corporation who has heretofore entered into a contract with the State of Minnesota, or any board, department or agency, thereof, for the actual loss sustained by him in the performance of such contract, in case such loss is due to increase in the cost of labor or material due to the existence of a state of war between the United States of America and the Imperial German government.	1058						
989	An act authorizing the creating of a retirement fund association and the granting of annuities to retired school janitors, engineers and firemen in cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants.	1069						

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
990	An act providing for the levy and collection of a tax upon the occupation of mining ore in this state, which tax shall be in lieu of ad valorem taxes upon mined iron ore.	1069		1256, 1256				
991	An act entitled, An act providing for an old age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of any county of this state now having, or hereafter having a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants.	1070						
992	An act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage.	1070		1410, 1410				
993	An act to amend Section 2502, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 119, General Laws 1917, relative to the allotment of the State Road and Bridge Fund.	1070						
994	An act relating to and authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to define, determine, require and enforce adequate street car service in such cities.	1070		1602, 1602				
995	An act to amend Section 7971 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for the year 1913, as amended by the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1917, relating to the selection of jurors.	1070	1247	1237, 1395	1396			
996	An act to amend Section 4445 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to terminal elevator storage charges.	1070		1294, 1294				
997	An act relating to the division and apportionment of ditch assessment liens in certain cases.	1071						
998	An act amending Section 4972, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the licensing of physicians from other states.	1071		1367, 1367				
999	An act making the continuance on record of instruments conveying real estate or an interest therein, where such conveyance does not affirmatively show that the grantors were married, for 20 years prima facie evidence that such grantors were unmarried.	1071	1295	1290, 1371	1371		1486	1520
1000	An act to amend Section 4445, of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to schedules of rates and maximum charges at terminal elevators.	1071	1295	1294				
1001	An act to amend subdivision (2) of General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to terminal elevator storage charges.	1071	1359	1357, 1373	1373		1673	1803

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
1002	An act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article 4, Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof.	1072						
1003	An act for the relief of William H. Schell, who was injured by the crushing of one of his feet, when engaged in fire relief work on or about November 25, 1918, from which injury he will suffer permanent partial disability of said member, and appropriating money therefor.	1072						
1004	An act directing the public examiner to adjust the drainage fund accounts in various counties of the state and providing for the payment of the expense thereof.	1072						
1005	An act fixing the salary and compensation of the county attorney, in all counties which now have or may hereafter have an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits, and an area of over 5,000 square miles; and repealing the provisions of any act inconsistent herewith.	1072	1073	1073, 1073 1134, 1134 1135	1135		1319	1387
1006	An act to amend Section 687 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to vacancies in county offices.	1073	1359	1357				
1007	An act to amend Section 115, General Statutes 1913, so as to define more clearly the authority of certain public officials to validate certain claims against the state.	1073	1073	1073, 1332	1399			
1008	An act to amend Section 7715 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, governing actions relating to land.	1073		1324, 1324				
1009	An act to appropriate monies to carry out the provisions of the law relative to seed potato certification.	1073						
1010	An act forbidding written or printed advertising matter in containers used in the sale of food products and providing a penalty for violation.	1074	1369	1368				

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Number.	TITLE.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.	Returned from House.	Approved.
1011	An act authorizing the County Sanatorium Commission in any county of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and an area of over 5,000 square miles for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting a new building or buildings for enlarging such sanatorium in the manner now provided by law, to issue properly authenticated vouchers or warrants upon the Sanatorium fund of said county.	1074	1074	1074, 1173	1173		1318	1385
1012	An act requiring warning signs to be placed on certain roads rendered impassable by reason of the construction or improvement thereof or bridges and culverts thereon.	1074	1134	1127				
1013	An act to amend Section 3010, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the government and general educational management of the State University by the appointment of a Board of Regents.	1074						
1014	An act relating to liability under cancelled mineral leases.	1075	1324	1323, 1395 1529				
1015	A joint resolution memorializing congress of the United States to enact legislation requiring aliens residing in foreign countries, desiring admission to the United States, to make application to authorized representatives of the United States in such foreign countries, and providing for an investigation by such representatives.	1075						
1016	An act to amend Section 4452, General Statutes 1913, relating to Minnesota grades of grain.	1075	1295	1294				
1017	An act to amend Section 4448, General Statutes 1913, relating to Boards of Grain Inspection.	1075	1295	1294				
1018	An act to amend Section 6, Chapter 223, Laws 1917, entitled an act to provide for allowances out of county and state funds in certain cases for the support of dependent children in their own homes.	1075	1341	1340, 1341	1420		1528	1665
1019	An act permitting political conventions to endorse candidates before primary elections.	1076		1226				

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1020	An act to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners or the body charged with control of the park system of any city now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 and not organized under Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, to build and construct or cause to be built and constructed, sidewalks and curb and gutter along the parkways of any such city and assess the cost thereof on abutting property.	1076	1163	1163, 1163	1164	1321	1316	1387
1021	An act to give sellers and consignors of grain a first lien upon the membership of any member of any Chamber of Commerce or Board of Trade on account of any indebtedness arising from the purchase, or sale upon consignment of grain by such member.	1076	1208	1200, 1393	1394		1440	1522
1022	An act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city nor or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more.	1076						
1023	An act forbidding charges to be made against candidates for public office within limited periods before election.	1076		1355, 1356				
1024	An act entitled, An act for the relief of Henry Vezina for loss of property sustained by him near Lengby, Minnesota.	1077						
1025	An act to amend Section 1 and Section 6 of Chapter 9, General Laws of Minnesota for the Special Session of 1912, the same being an act entitled, An act providing for the taxation of railroad properties.	1077		1256, 1256				
1026	An act to amend Chapter 329, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, the same being an act authorizing cities of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter or commission form of government to levy and assess a half mill tax for the purpose of providing musical entertainments in public buildings or upon public grounds.	1077						
1027	An act fixing the salaries and compensation, expenses and clerk hire, in all counties in this state now or hereafter having not less than thirty-five or more than forty congressional townships.	1077	1078	1078	1297 1078	1263, 1263 1297, 1297 1297	1320 1230	1387

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1028	An act to amend Section 2596, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, and to repeal Section 2599, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the building of bridges across navigable waters on county lines which are the boundary lines of the state and providing for the bonding of counties for such purposes.	1078	1460	1460, 1715	1716			
1029	An act requiring all hospitals and sanitoriums in this state to provide a room for the temporary storing of the bodies of persons who die in such hospitals.	1079						
1030	An act to amend subdivision 14, Section 7951, General Statutes 1913, relating to exemptions.	1079		1132, 1132				
1031	An act relating to the payment of compensation to officers and persons employed by the University of the State of Minnesota.	1079	1208	1189				
1032	An act to amend Section 90 of Chapter 235, General Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 29 of Chapter 119, General Laws of 1917, relating to keeping roads in a passable condition by town and county boards.	1115	1134	1127				
1033	An act to authorize any village in this State situate upon a river forming the boundary between the State of Minnesota and any other State to operate a ferry across such river.	1181	1182	1182	1182		1786	
1034	An act authorizing the county board of any county in this State, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of over \$300,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits and having at any time an area of over 5,000 square miles, to erect and maintain an automobile storage garage and repair shop on the court house grounds and to pay the cost thereof out of the general fund of said county.	1227	1227	1227	1227		1317	1386
1035	An act amending Chapter 429, General Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 105, General Laws of 1919, being an act to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds or other securities sold or offered for sale within the State of Minnesota.	1228	1296	1296, 1296	1296		1348	1481
1036	An act regulating the business of auctioneering and providing for the licensing of auctioneers.	1229		1458, 1459				
1037	An act to amend Section 3975, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, as amended by Chapter 230, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to the exemption of certain persons from paying a peddler's license fee.	1272	1272	1272	1272		1738	

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1038	An act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229, Laws 1909 (Section 9330, General Statutes 1913), which Section authorizes the Board of Control to furnish crush rock produced at the State Reformatory to the Highway Department for road purposes.	1273	1274		1273 1274		1320	1387
1039	An act to authorize the State Drainage Commission to construct a relief channel to carry the waters of the Redwood River around the city of Marshall and to appropriate money to defray in part the cost of such improvement.	1299		1416, 1416 1416, 1416				
1040	An act to amend Section 5204, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Laws 1917, relating to the sale of public lands.	1300	1300		1300 1300		1351	1481
1041	An act to amend Chapter 381 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1917, entitled, An act to prohibit the monopolization of markets for food products in this state or interfere with or restrict the freedom of such markets.	1325	1325		1325 1325			
1042	An act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to allow compensation to attorneys assisting the county attorney in criminal proceedings.	1343	1344		1344 1344		1349	1481
1043	An act to amend Chapter 44, and amendments thereto, of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1913, relating to drainage as follows: Add to said chapter certain sections to be known as 5541-A. Directing the public examiner to adjust the drainage fund accounts in various counties and providing for the payment of the expense thereof; 5548-A. Relating to the division and apportionment of assessments, 5552-C. Providing for the making and filing of a plat of tile drainage systems, 5597-A 5597-B, 5597-C, 5597-D, 5597-E and 5597-F.	1380	1381	1381, 1621 1622, 1623 1623, 1624 1624	1621 1767, 1767 1767, 1775 1778, 1778 1783, 1784	1766		
1044	An act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes.	1388						
1045	An act to legalize decrees of distribution of probate courts in certain cases.	1389	1389		1389 1389		1486	1521
1046	An act to amend Section 2461, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of employes in city owned armies.	1390		1410, 1410 1410, 1554 1554, 1554 1554				

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1047	An act providing for the construction and creation of a building to constitute a memorial for the services and sacrifices of the citizens of this state in the wars of the United States.	1406	1555	1554, 1555				
1048	An act to authorize the pledge of United States Liberty or Victory Loan Bonds as security for the performance of any public work.	1407	1407	1407, 1536 1536				
1049	An act levying a tax of six mills upon each dollar of assessed valuation of all taxable property within the state for each year for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the "Returned Soldiers' Fund."	1435						
1050	An act relieving counties of liability to incorporate cities, boroughs or villages on account of the failure of county auditors to apportion, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 239, General Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 159, Laws of 1915, penalties and interest accruing upon taxes heretofore levied upon real estate.	1436	1436	1436	1436		1678	1805
1051	An act authorizing the county board in any county of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all taxable property, exclusive of money and credits, of more than \$250,000,000 and an area of over 5,000 square miles, to build an addition to a district court building located at a place other than the county seat of said county.	1437	1438	1438			1488	1521
1052	An act amending Section 18 of Chapter 235 of the Laws of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 116, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, as amended by Chapter 119, Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to designation of roads and streets as state highways.	1482	1555	1555, 1555 1625, 1625 1625	1626			
1053	An act authorizing the Attorney General to appoint a law clerk in the attorney general's department, who shall have served in the military or naval forces of the United States and have been honorably discharged therefrom.	1523	1523	1523	1523			
1054	An act providing for the Minnesota Soldiers' Relief Commission; defining its powers and duties and providing for aid and relief to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines in certain cases.	1524	1525	1524				
1055	An act to legalize the proceedings of city councils of cities of the fourth class and the election had in connection with the issuing of bonds for sewerage and electric lighting purposes.	1572	1573	1573	1573		1665	1803

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1056	An act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the state's natural resources; for the maintenance, improvement and enlargement of certain state fish hatcheries, and for land for the same; for maintenance and improvement of State Soldiers' Home; for the maintenance of Minnesota Department G. A. R.	1615	1615	1615, 1658 1659	1658	1685, 1685 1685, 1714 1768, 1769 1772	1685	
1057	An act conferring on the municipal court of the City of South St. Paul the jurisdiction, powers, duties and rights conferred on probate courts when acting as a juvenile court under the provisions of Chapter 397, Laws 1917; providing that such jurisdiction shall be exercised concurrently with the jurisdiction of the probate court of Dakota County.	1616	1616	1616	1617			
1058	An act authorizing any mutual company, maintaining a guaranty fund equal to the capital stock of a like stock company, to issue policies of insurance without contingent liability.	1650	1650	1650	1651		1689	1803
1059	An act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government, authorizing the State Auditor to credit on pending logging permits amounts heretofore paid on certain other logging permits, all issued to the same party, and for other purposes.	1652	1652	1652, 1750	1750	1755, 1755 1780, 1780 1783	1755	

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3	An act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for certain public purposes.	121	124	141	141	141	
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20	An act creating an industrial accident compensation board of the State of Minnesota; creating an industrial accident compensation fund; providing for the payment, out of the funds herein created, and by law provided for, of the salaries and expenses of such board.	698	699	1146 985	972, 972, 972 975, 1142, 1143 1143, 1143, 1143 1144, 1145, 1146 1146, 1146, 1146 1146, 1147, 1147 1147, 1147, 1247 1247, 1247, 1342 1345, 1345		
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24	An act to amend Section 5805, General Statutes 1913, relating to interest rates.	596	597		1089, 1089, 1090 1090		
25	An act to amend Section 18, of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 7 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to provide suitable and necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment for employees sustaining personal injury.	919	919	985	981, 1045, 1392 1540	1540	
27	An act to amend Section 14, of Chapter 467, General Laws 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, relating to the liability of employers to compensate the dependents of employees.	1275	1277	1316	1346, 1346, 1346 1392, 1541, 1541	1541	
37	An act to extend protection to the Civil rights of members of the military and naval forces of the United States engaged in the present war.	395	395	1134	499, 1134		
43	An act to amend Section 1988, General Statutes 1913, an act to classify property for taxation purposes and to fix the per cent of "full and true value" at which property in each class shall be assessed.	1441	1445				
48	An act prohibiting, in certain cases, state, county and municipal officers from being candidates for election to offices other than those of which they are incumbents.	532	532		1355, 1355		
51	An act regulating the issuance and circulation of statements affecting candidates for office at any primary or general election, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.	532	532	1359	1357		
52	An act to amend Section 355, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 76, Section 1, Laws 1915, and to amend Section 336, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 167, Section 3, Laws 1915, relating to primary elections.	623	624	1359	1357		

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
55	A concurrent resolution to request the State Board of Investment to invest not to exceed \$500,000 in United States Victory Loan Bonds.	971	971				
58	An act providing for the restoration of civil rights of persons convicted of a felony.	151	151	1134 587	572, 615, 615 1132, 1332	1419	
59	An act to appropriate money to defray legalizing publications heretofore made by newspapers purporting to be published within such forest fire limits.	281	282	365	365, 365	365	
60	An act to prohibit the use of oleomargarine or any other butter substitute as a substitute for table butter in state institutions.	448	449	542	533, 1332	1400	
61	A concurrent resolution addressed to the United States Senate, relating to the submission of an amendment to the Federal Constitution.	121	122	122		122	
62	An act relating to the planting and maintaining of barberry bushes and barberry hedges and providing for destruction thereof.	395	395		649, 649, 649		
68	An act prescribing the legal qualifications of newspapers published in municipalities which were devastated by forest fire in October, 1918, and legalizing publications heretofore made by newspapers purporting to be published within such forest fire limits.	77	77	78	77	78	
77	An act to provide for the creation of a military unit in the State of Minnesota, to be known as Minnesota State Motor Corps.	358	359		512, 512, 512		
79	An act to amend Section 5778, General Statutes 1913, relating to the fees of Grand and Petit Jurors.	151	152	382	382, 547, 547 653	720	
80	An act to provide for the assessment of property subject to assessment under the provisions of Chapter 285, General Laws 1911, omitted in the assessment of any year or years, and to provide penalties for failure to list the same.	1120	1124		653		
87	An act authorizing the renewal of period of corporate existence of certain corporations whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof.	151	152	227	493, 616	616	
90	An act authorizing and empowering any city of this state, having a population of not more than ten thousand inhabitants, to establish and maintain a rest room.	300	301	352	350, 545, 679	680	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
94	An act relating to the furnishing of samples of grain by the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to the fees for such service, and to the breaking of seals on cars of grain.	1014	1018	1134	1125, 1647	1647	
98	An act to amend subdivision 10 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, relating to an appropriation by certain counties for a soldiers' and sailors monument.	210	211	321	314, 314, 545	630	
101	An act concerning, and defining the rights, duties and responsibilities of inn keepers, hotel keepers and landlords, and for the protection of their guests.	415	418	1173	1169, 1373, 1675 1675	1675	
102	An act relating to public school districts in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.	210	210	777	244, 244, 244 776, 777	777	
109	An act entitled, "An act to amend Section 870 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the duties of county treasurers in paying and cancelling county warrants."	210	211	369	361, 383	407	
114	An act to compensate workmen for time consumed while waiting for the payment of their wages after same are due and owing.	846	848	958	937, 1046, 1048 1108	1108	
115	An act entitled an act to amend Chapter 352, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to reserves and deposits under certain classes of indemnity contracts.	1577	1585	1585	1585, 1736	1736	
119	An act to amend Section 4750, General Statutes 1913, relating to classifications and qualifications of engineers.	428	428	542	536, 784	875	
120	A joint resolution relating to a bill pending in Congress relating to the promulgation of grain grades.	300	302	421	418, 653	722	
121	An act to amend sub-division 4 of Section 8375, General Statutes of 1913, relating to competency of witnesses.	623	624	1247	1237, 1397, 1763	1763	
122	An act to amend Section 7727, General Statutes of 1913, relating to the filing of an affidavit of bias or prejudice of judge.	241	242	405	398, 590, 590	888 716	806 816 817 888
124	An act entitled, "An act authorizing and empowering boards of County Commissioners in Counties now or hereafter having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 to appropriate and expend not exceeding \$25,000 per year for two years in the improvement of lakes."	210	210	211	211	406	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
129	An act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 344, Session Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to commitment and petition for discharge of feeble minded persons.	221	222	405	398, 588	681	
130	An act authorizing city or village councils, boards of county commissioners and town boards to employ public health nurses.	300	302	302	302, 409	459	
131	An act requiring street railway companies operating in cities of the first class not having a Home Rule Charter to maintain a watchman at all places where the street railway tracks owned by it cross railroad tracks at grade.	1487	1495				
133	An act to fix salaries of county commissioners in counties of this state having not less than 100 nor more than 137 congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than seven million nor more than ten million dollars.	567	568		568, 568		
135	An act requiring railroads to provide drinking water and individual sanitary drinking cups on passenger cars and prescribing a punishment for a violation of this act.	623	624	856	849, 1377, 1377	1428	
140	An act declaring the business of making abstracts of title to real estate a public calling and prescribing the fees to be charged or collected for making such abstracts.	623	624		1592, 1592, 1592 1593, 1593		
142	An act to amend Chapter 217, General Laws of 1917, being an act to prescribe the bounds of senatorial and representative districts and to apportion anew the senators and representatives among the several districts.	221	222	227		337	
143	An act requiring railroads, car shops, and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars, car trucks, and other equipment used as conveyances by rail, for either freight or passengers, and other equipment used in repair work or otherwise, and operated by railroad companies, to provide buildings that will protect their employes from heat, rain, cold, snow, and other inclement weather.	901	902	1098	1090, 1091, 1091 1095, 1096, 1466 1719	1719	
147	An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386, Laws 1911, relating to compensation of certain officers of the Department of Insurance; creating the office of Rate Supervisor and of Assistant Actuary and repealing Subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913.	623	624	752	749, 1065	1309	1347 1347 1461 1461 1462 1462
148	An act requiring stock yards at terminal markets to be provided with feeding and watering troughs.	763	764	764	764, 1065	1309	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
149	An act to authorize the District Court to dismiss actions and proceedings which shall not be brought to trial within five years from the commencement thereof.	532	532	559	559	559	
151	An act entitled, "An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in Public Departments and upon Public Works in the State of Minnesota, and the counties, cities and towns thereof, relating to state judicial, county, township, city and town officers."	241	242	242	242	336	
155	An act fixing the fees to be charged and received by county abstract clerks.	448	449	491	486, 653	783	
157	An act to amend Section 6518, General Statutes 1913, relating to the dates of annual meetings of county agricultural societies and dates on which said societies shall file their reports	379	380	523	514, 784	874	
159	An act to amend Chapter 243, Laws 1915, relating to state aid to agricultural societies and associations.	379	380	523 825	514, 806, 807 822, 890, 962	962	
161	An act making seditious and disloyal acts, language and propaganda unlawful.	532	532	825	824, 858, 858		
167	An act requiring the engineer in charge of the construction of any public ditch, drain or drainage project to file in the office of the register of deeds an accurate plat of all drain tile laid as a part of such system.	241	242				
170	An act providing for the nomination of candidates for certain state and federal offices.	511	511	806 1570	799, 799, 799 799, 986, 1248 1466, 1466, 1565 1566, 1635, 1639 1639, 1640, 1640 1640, 1641, 1656 1656	1642 1760 1760 1761	
171	An act to amend Section 2128, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1917, relating to delinquent taxes, repealing inconsistent laws.	1209	1210	1211	1210, 1333, 1333	1400	
172	An act to amend Section 6487 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to the formation and validating the acts of co-operative associations.	256	257	405	397, 588, 828 828	828	
173	An act amending Section 167 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the annual meeting of the district court judges and to rules of the district court.	393	393	394	393	394	
174	An act to amend Section 7830, General Statutes 1913, relating to errors and exceptions at the trial of civil actions.	378	380	542	538, 890	928	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
178	An act providing for free tuition in the State University and at the State Normal Schools for persons who have rendered certain services during war periods and repealing all acts, or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.	210	211	1089	1086, 1086, 1089 1333, 1418	1418	
180	An act to amend subdivision 1, Section 6492, of General Statutes 1913 pertaining to the membership of the State Agricultural Society.	379	380	523	515, 784	874	
181	A concurrent resolution memorializing the congress of the United States to grant a gratuity of three months' pay to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines.	139	140	140		140	
191	An act to amend Section 7018, General Statutes 1913, relating to the sale of merchandise in bulk in fraud of creditors.	919	920	1045	1042, 1773		
193	An act to amend subdivision 3 of Section 534, of General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to compensation for election services.	300	302		1357, 1357		
200	An act requiring trust companies conducting a banking business to comply with Section 6361 of the General Statutes of 1913 as amended, relating to reserve requirements.	301	302	504	498, 784	873	
204	An act entitled, "An act to reimburse the official reporter of the District Court of the 10th Judicial District for amounts paid out for railway, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from his place of residence in the discharge of his official duties."	300	302	303	303	386	
206	An act relating to and providing for the creation of charitable trusts and amending Section 3249 of the Revised Laws 1905, being Section 6710 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, by adding thereto a new subdivision to be known as subdivision 8.	416	416				
207	An act to amend subdivision "G" of Section 8230, General Statutes 1913, relating to the compensation of injured employees.	416	417	630	629, 1000	1104	
213	An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 260, Laws 1915, relating to the prescription by physicians and dentists of certain narcotics, for habitual users of the same, so as to prohibit such prescriptions.	511	511	542	533, 890	1230 927	1229 1230
219	An act relating to insurance.	1665	1690				
222	An act extending to women the right to vote for candidates for presidential elector.	596	597	799	798, 799, 860 860	887	

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Number	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
223	An act to amend Section 98, General Statutes 1913, relating to State, County and City Depositories.	300	303		984, 984		
226	An act to amend Section 7522 of the General Statutes 1913, relating to the time when pleadings in justices' court shall take place.	416	417	630	625, 1000	1103	
228	An act defining and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the State of Minnesota.	320	330	504	502, 504, 619	619	
238	An act amending Section 2632, General Statutes 1913, relating to headlights on motor vehicles.	393	394		1019, 1019		
240	An act classifying telephone companies for purposes of taxation, providing the method by which the property of the companies in each class shall be taxed and fixing the rate of taxation for each class.	1160	1161	1503	1501, 1501, 1501 1502, 1502, 1503 1503, 1765		
242	An act to amend Section 5534, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to appeals from orders of the county board in ditch proceedings.	416	417		710, 710		
247	An act to amend Section 318, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to ballots used in submission of proposed amendments to the state constitution.	596	596	656	656, 656, 656	719	
251	An act to provide for the payment of additional preliminary estimates on certain judicial ditch contracts from retained balances due thereon.	415	417	488	488, 488	506	
254	An act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 21 of the Session Laws of 1917, entitled, "An act authorizing County Boards to lend money to residents of the county to procure seed and feed where the crops of such residents for the preceding year have totally or partially failed.	395	395	430	430, 430	492	
255	An act to amend Subdivision 8 of Section 696, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 347, Laws 1917, relating to appropriations by the County Board to Agricultural Societies and Farm Improvement Associations.	379	380	523	513, 890	927	
260	An act to legalize newspapers in certain cases.	299	301	334	334	334	
363	An act to amend Section 1911, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the separation of villages and townships.	1335	1337	1413	1411		
264	An act authorizing cities of this state now or hereafter having over 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of making improvements.	481	481	491	491, 491	491	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage. Subsequent Proceedings.
266	An act authorizing the abatement of penalties, interest and costs which have accrued or may hereafter accrue, on taxes levied on lands owned by persons who have served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during the present war.	379	380	587	430, 574, 915	989
269	An act relating to salaries for employes in the department of weights and measures, and providing for the disposition of all monies collected by that department.	1363	1364	1570	1560, 1734	1734
276	An act entitled, "An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation and help of certain county officials in counties having, or which may hereafter have, a population of 300,000 inhabitants and over.	794	795		1602, 1602	
280	An act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.	567	568	1063	1063, 1732	1733
282	An act relating to court bonds, undertakings, recognizances and other securities.	1441	1446	1617	1592	
288	An act to amend Sections 3541 and 3545, General Statutes, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary associations.	379	381	381	381	385
295	An act to amend Section 7425, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 235, Laws 1917, relating to the appointment of guardians.	4167	417			
296	An act to ratify and confirm the sale by the county board of any county in this state and the purchase by any city of the first class operating under a charter adopted in pursuance to Section 36 of Article 4 of the State Constitution, of a portion of the court house grounds located in such city and acquired by such county for a county court house, jail and court house grounds.	301	303	454	322, 322, 322 454, 454, 454	459
298	An act to amend Section 8703, General Statutes 1913, defining the crime of fornication and providing punishment therefor.	531	532	676	675, 1065	1217
302	An act to repeal Chapter 289 of the Special Laws of Minnesota for 1889, which said Chapter is entitled, "An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Winona County to designate a German newspaper in which the official proceedings of the Board of Commissioners may be published in the German language.	481	482	542	538, 784	876
305	An act relating to county tuberculosis sanatoriums, their construction, improvement, equipment, enlargement and maintenance.	481	481	542	533, 653, 719	719

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
306	An act to amend Section 9344, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, Session Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to the compensation of sheriffs for the boarding of prisoners.	416	417				
307	An act to amend Section 5635 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913; and Section 5636, said statutes as said section was amended by Section 1 of Chapter 380, Laws 1917, pertaining to town ditches.	301	303	352	351, 587, 588		
311	An act requiring villages and cities of the Fourth Class to provide and maintain public rest rooms, with toilet and lavatory facilities.	1301	1302	1700	1696		
314	An act to amend Sections 2330 and 2331, General Statutes 1913, relating to the taxation of grain in elevators and warehouses.	1390	1390	1390	1390, 1474, 1475	1475	
316	An act to amend Sections 3302 and 3359, Chapter 19, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, entitled, "An act authorizing Board of Fire Underwriters in any municipality containing fifty thousand inhabitants or more may provide salvage corps fire patrol with competent superintendent for the purpose of discovering and preventing fire.	1336	1336	1700	1337, 1337, 1587 1587, 1587, 1587 1698, 1709	1710	
320	An act to authorize the leasing of Douglas Lodge and certain other buildings in Itasca State Park.	1080	1081	1081	1081, 1177	1177	
321	An act extending the time of expiration of certain state timber permits.	393	394	405	394, 405, 405 405	405	
324	A concurrent resolution petitioning Congress to extend to crippled workers benefits of retraining similar to those given to soldiers.	265	265	265	265	266	
328	An act to amend Section 3958, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to secretary and other officers of Soldiers' Home and compensation paid therefor.	301	304	752 491	489, 611, 611 748, 756	835	
330	An act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for improving parkways.	919	920	1546	1546	1547	
336	An act providing for the building of bridges over navigable waters in counties having more than 75 and less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having an assessed valuation of more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars and less than nine million (\$9,000,000) dollars providing for approaches thereto, and providing for the levy of taxes and issuance of bonds therefor.	300	303	523	517, 784	875	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
340	An act permitting employes and officials of state, county and municipal governments leave of absence to serve in the National Guard, attend military training camps, and military maneuvers without change of status.	415	416	523	512, 784	873	
341	An act providing a method of garnishing or attaching wages or money due any workman or laborer employed on county road work under the provisions of Chapter 69, General Laws of Minnesota for 1917.	919	920	958	956, 1091	1099	
343	An act to amend Section 693, G. S. 1913, relating to the incidental fund.	667	668	825	820, 1378, 1425	1425	
344	An act extending certain state timber permits.	281	281	349	349	349	
345	An act to amend Section 220, General Statutes of Minnesota 1915, relative to fees of deposits of money in court.	1487	1496				
349	An act entitled, "An act to amend Section 4599, General Statutes, 1913, having reference to the licensing of grain and Agricultural Commission merchants."	1302	1302	1460	1459		
352	A concurrent resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to cooperate with the Dominion of Canada in the enlarged canalization of the St. Lawrence River for the passage of ocean going vessels into the Great Lakes, thus connecting the heart of the continent with both the coastwise and foreign commerce of the high seas.	596	596	597	597, 653	727	
353	An act to amend Section 1011, General Statutes 1913, relating to certain school expenses and the payment of the same by the county board.	667	668	778	776, 1375, 1728	1728	
359	An act entitled, "An act to amend Section 4436, General statutes 1913, having reference to the licensing of Public Terminal Warehouses."	1013	1015	1295	1294, 1720	1720	
362	An act relating to reinsurance by insurers authorized to issue policies in this state.	596	598	653	652, 652	995	
364	An act creating a commission to be known and designated as the "Tyler Tornado Relief Commission," defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing relief in the matter of preserving the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the State of Minnesota swept by a tornado in August, 1918, and appropriating money therefor.	596	597	597 650	597, 611, 611 650, 650	650	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
366	An act to prevent fraud and deception in the manufacture and sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs and providing for registration and labeling thereof.	667	668	825	820, 1066, 1066	1328	
367	An act to amend Section 1177 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of town officers.	567	568	1098	1097, 1373		
369	An act to amend Chapter 446, Section 3, of the General Laws of 1913, entitled, "An act to fix and provide for the salaries of the Deputy Coroner, Secretary, Morgue-Keeper, and Assistant Morgue-Keeper.	1013	1015				
370	An act to authorize any city of the first class not governed by a Home Rule Charter to issue and sell its bonds for the purpose of arching, covering over or diverting any creek in such city.	1158	1161	1412	1412, 1412, 1723	1723	
371	An act to amend Section 5529, General Statutes 1913, relating to drainage.	667	668				
374	An act to amend Chapter 7, Laws 1917, authorizing the Treasurer of the State of Minnesota to receive payments on sales of school and other state lands where the time limit for payment has expired or will expire on or before July 31, 1919.	1119	1120	1121	1120	1140	
376	An act to amend Section 1092 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to the purchase of goods, materials and supplies in counties now or hereafter having a population of 200,000 or more inhabitants, the advertising for bids and letting of contracts.	1488	1496	1608	1607, 1607	1608	
390	An act to amend Section 20, of Chapter 440, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, entitled, "An act fixing and regulating the salaries, compensation, duties and help of certain county officials in counties having or which may hereafter have, a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants or over."	280	282	286	285, 285, 285	286	
382	An act authorizing villages to construct, maintain and operate heating systems in such villages, in connection with municipally owned light and power plants, and authorizing the disposition thereof.	281	282				
385	An act memorializing Congress to provide means for purchasing and moving of the wheat still remaining in the hands of the farmers.	241	242	243	243, 143	243	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
388	An act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 351 of the Special Laws for the year 1889, and to amend Sections 47 and 52 of said Chapter 351, and amended by Chapter 430 of the General Laws of the year 1913, relating to salaries of the Municipal Court of the City of St. Paul.	1158	1162				
393	An act creating a pension for disabled or retired employes in the classified service of any department or bureau of health in any city now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand or more, and providing a fund out of which such pensions shall be paid.	1319	1322	1599	1599	1599	
394	An act abolishing the advisory commission of the Minnesota Sanatorium for Consumptives.	1080	1082		1091, 1091, 1091 1091, 1186, 1186		
399	An act to amend Section 2330 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 346, Laws 1907, being Section 5032, General Statutes 1913, relating to qualifications entitling pharmacists to registration.	1681	1683	1684	1683	1684	
402	An act to amend Section 9012, General Statutes 1913, relating to desecration of the flag.	596	597	1045	1025, 1394, 1724	1724	
407	An act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the proceedings of any village not having Home Rule Charter, and whether organized under the General Laws or a Special Law, in the matter of establishing, constructing and providing for the cost of a general sewer system, and creating sewer districts therein.	256	256	268	267, 268	268	
412	An act to amend Section 3380 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for the year 1913, relating to farmers insurance companies.	1349	1354				
413	An act establishing the Minnesota War Records Commission; providing for the compilation of records and the collection of materials relating to the participation of the state and its citizens in the world war.	1276	1278	1278	1278, 1378	1425	
419	An act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken by the county board of any county for the drainage of lands in certain cases.	1081	1082	1082	1082, 1419	1099	
421	An act to amend Subdivision Three, Section One, of Chapter 400, of the Session Laws of 1913, entitled, "An act to fix the salaries of certain state officials and employes."	1249	1250	1289	1288, 1289	1289	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
427	A joint resolution memorializing Congress to investigate delays in the entrainment of drafted men ordered to report for military service, and to provide reimbursement for such delays.	299	301	369	360, 916		
428	An act to appropriate money for the payment of salaries and expenses of employes of the State Auditor for examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state lands.	281	282	364	364, 364	364	
434	An act entitled, "An act providing for the issuance of interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness to aid in the erection and furnishing of a Court House, in counties in this state having an assessed valuation of not less than sixteen million dollars."	379	381	519	518, 518	519	
435	An act to amend Chapter 238, Section 11, Session Laws 1915, relating to state aid to certain schools.	1442	1447	1691 1701	1700	1701	
440	An act relating to the payment of persons receiving compensation from the State of Minnesota.	901	903	1392	903, 903, 1136 1136, 1136, 1136 1392		
449	An act proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to taxation.	623	624	625	625, 678	678	
452	An act relative to the distribution of state aid to county and district agricultural societies and associations.	1013	1016	1391	1391, 1391		
454	An act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of certain counties to issue and negotiate bonds for the purpose of paying the floating indebtedness of such counties.	674	674	778	775, 1065	1312	
456	An act authorizing the creating of retirement fund associations and the granting of annuities to retired school janitors, engineers and firemen in cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants.	1677	1690				
457	An act providing the procedure of the probate court to secure a grant of title to real estate located in the dominion of Canada in performance of contract for the sale thereof by a deceased person.	648	649	752	742, 1065	1309	
467	An act to amend Section 8873, General Statutes 1913, relating to the giving of checks or drafts on any bank or depository wherein the person so giving such check or draft shall not have sufficient funds or a credit for the payment of the same.	846	848	856	848, 848, 856	863	

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Number	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
468	An act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to purchase the necessary equipment for the cleaning out, repair and improvement of public drainage ditches within the county.	674	674				
473	An act relating to lien of owners of breeding animals and providing a penalty.	1209	1211	1461	1454, 1747	1747	
477	An act requiring the display of a motor number on motor vehicles.	1209	1210	1254	1254, 1254		
478	An act to validate certain debts contracted, and pecuniary liabilities incurred, by the authorities of counties of this State, having a population of less than 16,000 in habitants, in certain cases.	623	625	778	777, 1065	1313	
479	An act relating to the storing of milk or cream pending transportation by common carriers.	1689	1690				
483	An act to amend Subdivision 2 and 8 and adding Subdivision 22 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913, relating to the salaries of the judges, officers and employees of the Supreme Court, the employees of the office of state librarian, and judges of the district court.	1301	1302				
489	An act relating to fishing in certain waters of this state.	1231	1233		1233, 1233, 1254 1254, 1254, 1254		
492	An act entitled, "An act authorizing boards of county commissioners in counties containing not less than 80 congressional townships and having an assessed valuation of more than \$25,000,000 and less than \$50,000,000, to levy and raise annually a tax for county road and bridge purposes."	1442	1446	1446	1446	1447	
493	An act to amend Laws 1913, Chapter 467, Section 33, being General Statutes 1913, Section 8229, (2), relating to workmen's compensation.	1274	1277	1369	1366, 1392, 1544	1544	
499	An act to amend Section 2148 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, for 1913, relating to notice of expiration of redemption from tax sales.	1079	1082	1413	1409		
502	An act to amend Section 5029, General Statutes 1913, relating to the creation of State Board of Pharmacy.	1249	1250	1326	1326, 1326, 1326 1731	1731	
508	An act providing for the establishment of a depositor's guaranty fund to guarantee payments of general deposits and the establishment of a commission to supervise and control such fund.	1301	1302		1303, 1303, 1611 1611, 1612, 1614 1614		
513	An act to provide for the examination of the books and accounts of co-operative corporations of associations.	1060	1061	1208	1189		

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526	An act to amend Section 6393, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Section one of Chapter 88, General Laws 1917, relating to investments of savings banks.	880	881	881	881, 1049	1108	
547	An act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, relating to the Superintendent of Banks, his deputy and other assistants and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.	846	848	890	890	912	
551	An act to amend Section 3564, General Statutes 1913, relating to the admission and regulation of fraternal beneficiary associations.	1118	1121	1174	1174, 1174, 1174		
561	An act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases, and county bonds issued in connection therewith.	880	881	1063	1062, 1135	1135	
575	An act to amend Chapter 137 of Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to and regulating the construction, alteration, maintenance, occupancy, use, equipment and removal of buildings and apartments for dwelling, lodging, hotel and similar purposes in cities of the first class not organized under Section 36 of Article IV of the State Constitution.	1487	1496	1607	1606, 1606	1607	
577	An act to fix the salaries of village president and trustees and town supervisors in certain villages and towns, having a population of not less than five thousand.	1013	1016	1016	1016, 1176	1176	
582	An act providing for town ditches and local assessments therefor for the drainage of lands and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds in anticipation of the collection of such assessment.	1301	1304				
585	An act to designate a State Fiscal Year and making appropriations available therefor.	1080	1083	1083	1083, 1136	1136	
587	An act to amend Chapter 329, Laws of 1913 (being Section 1745, General Statutes 1913), concerning the levying of taxes in cities of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter.	1118	1121	1748	1748, 1748, 1749 1749	1748	
592	An act to amend Section 7249, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, providing for the determination of heirship in certain cases.	1011	1017	1134	1133		
593	An act amending Section 3995 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, pertaining to pension of soldiers disabled in Indian massacre.	1441	1446	1700 1730	1693, 1729	1730	
600	An act relating to the powers of school boards in common school districts containing ten or more townships.	1349	1351	1461	1459		

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
609	An act to amend Sections 9, 10, 12, 20, 21 and 24 of Chapter 152, General Laws 1915, relating to telephone and telephone companies.	1080	1082	1083	1082	1099	
622	An act prohibiting excepting in cities of the first class any person from owning or having in his custody or control any dog more than six months old without a license therefor.	1079	1083	1208	1201		
623	An act to amend Subdivision 11 of Section 1208, General Statutes 1913, relating to powers of village councils.	1441	1446	1473	1473, 1473, 1473 1753	1753	
625	An act to amend Section 17, Chapter 35, General Laws of 1915, relating to the recording of conveyances of land assessed for sewer construction.	794	795	856	854, 1374	1374	
627	An act to regulate the repapering, repainting and re-calculining of rooms in hotels, tenements and dwellings, to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.	1275	1277	1369	1368, 1669	1669	
631	An act to establish the ninth State Fish Hatchery, to authorize and direct the State Game and Fish Commissioner to locate and acquire a site therefor and to equip, develop and maintain the same.	1276	1279	1515	1279, 1415, 1503 1512	1515 1671	1670
632	An act entitled an act to amend Section 981 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the compensation of county surveyor.	1013	1017	1359	1358, 1397, 1731	1731	
634	An act to amend Section 7871, General Statutes 1913, relating to default judgment against garnishee.	1011	1017	1134	1133, 1137	1140	
641	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90, General Laws of 1913, entitled, "An act relating to railroad rates in this state and to increase the powers and further define the duties of the Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commission in relation to the same and to define, prevent and punish unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of freight on railroads in this state."	1118	1121	1174	1174, 1174, 1174	1313	
652	An act to legalize the acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record or instruments bearing such acknowledgments.	578	1586	1586	1586	1586	
653	An act fixing the salaries and clerk hire of the County Auditor, County Treasurer, Clerk of District Court, and Register of Deeds, in counties now or hereafter having not less than seventy or more than eighty full or fractional congressional townships.	1209	1211	1211	1211, 1377, 1377 1394	1394	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
654	An act fixing salaries and clerk hire of the County Auditor and the County Treasurer in counties now and hereafter having not less than fifty or more than seventy full or fractional congressional townships and having at any time an assessed valuation of not more than three million (\$3,000,000) dollars.	1349	1352	1352	1352, 1376, 1376 1415	1415	
655	An act to amend Subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury, and fixing a scale of compensation therefor.	448	449	630	629, 716, 1000	1104	
657	An act to amend Section 8, Chapter 296, General Laws of 1915, being an act to provide state aid for public schools and for the method of its distribution.	1680	1689	1737	1737	1738	
659	An act authorizing cities and villages to license and regulate the sale of non-intoxicating beverages.	1363	1364	1369	1369, 1369, 1369 1645	1645	
663	An act authorizing county boards to grant petitions of school board to have lands adjacent to or projecting into school districts set off and made a part of such districts.	1119	1122	1122	1122	1310	
664	An act to provide for the extradition of persons of unsound mind and of delinquent juveniles and to make uniform the laws of the state which enact the same.	1681	1689		1785		
666	An act relating to state fishing operations, appropriating money for a revolving fund to be used in such operations, conferring certain powers on the Game and Fish Commissioner, and regulating the removal of fish from public waters in certain cases.	1232	1233	1514	1233, 1233, 1253 1253, 1254, 1279 1315, 1415, 1503 1512	1514	
667	An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition, or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes.	794	795	1280	1195, 1196, 1196 1196, 1280, 1280 1281, 1281, 1282 1282, 1282, 1282 1282, 1284	1284	1483 1483 1588 1590 1591
674	An act requiring mortgagees to pay mortgage registry taxes and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.	1301	1304				
676	An act entitled an act to amend Section 7730 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the service of summonses.	1739	1741				
681	An act to amend Section 14, Chapter 296, Laws of 1915, relating to State aid for Public Schools, and for the method of its distribution.	1119	1122	1122	1122, 1333, 1401 1402, 1402, 1402 1687	1687	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
684	An act to amend subdivision (c) Section 13, Chapter 351, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1917, relating to the liability of employers to compensate employees for personal injury.	1274	1277	1369	1366, 1392, 1544 1544		
693	An act to amend Chapter 89, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to an act fixing the clerk hire for County Treasurer in certain counties.	1014	1018	1018	1018, 1101		
695	An act to continue in existence a commission heretofore created by the Governor of the State, and designated as Minnesota Forest Fires Relief Commission, defining the powers and duties thereof relative to providing temporary relief in the matter of preserving the public health.	433	433	433	433	433	
702	An act providing for county school tax levies in certain counties, and for the apportionment and distribution and expenditure thereof.	567	568	1045	670, 670, 670 1027, 1027, 1027 1045, 1092	1306	
706	An act to amend Section 3302, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 184, General Laws 1915, relating to the taxation of insurance companies.	1441	1446	1594	1593, 1594	1594	1624 1637
722	An act to legalize Mechanics' Lien foreclosure sale heretofore made.	1011	1016	1017	1016	1017	
723	An act to legalize and validate defectively executed deeds, mortgages and other written instruments, and the record thereof.	1681	1690	1742	1742	1742	
727	An act to amend Chapter 30, General Laws Minnesota, 1913, relating to the use of hog cholera and other virus.	1012	1017	1201	1201, 1201	1330	
730	An act to amend Section 6373, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the consolidation or merger of banks.	919	920	1247	1236		
737	An act to amend Section 8148, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement.	1527	1536	1617	1593		
738	An act to amend Section 8167, General Statutes Minnesota, 1913, relating to redemption by creditors in cases of foreclosure by action.	1527	1536	1617	1593		
741	An act to amend Sections 31 and 40 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Sections 19 and 21 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which said Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled, "An act relating to public highways, the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto."	1576	1583	1729	1692, 1728	1729	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
747	An act requiring the stock of state banks hereafter organized to be owned by individuals, and making certain transactions relative thereto unlawful.	846	848	985	983, 1137		
750	An act to amend Section 5597 of the General Statutes of 1913, relating to drainage.	1080	1083				
751	An act to extend the time for closing the affairs of certain dissolved co-operative associations other than co-operative associations having power or eminent domain and legalizing conveyances.	794	795	856	853, 960	960	
757	An act relating to the sprinkling of streets in cities of the Fourth Class, and providing for the paying of the expense thereof.	648	649	806	804, 1137	1137	
758	A concurrent resolution relating to a request and demand for modification of the federal grades of grain, and to the establishment and promulgation of Minnesota grades, on grain raised in this state and transported in intrastate commerce.	1249	1250				
766	An act designating the place of trials of actions brought upon wind, hail, fire or lightning insurance policies within the State of Minnesota.	1158	1162				
774	An act authorizing the Park Board of Minneapolis to issue \$5,000 in bonds, for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of making a park and playground of Nicollet Island.	1492	1499	1617	1608, 1708	1708	
777	An act providing for the refunding of liquor license money.	1120	1124	1383	1383, 1670, 1670	1670	
781	An act to promote the safety of employes and the general public by requiring owners of certain buildings in which elevators are used jointly by two or more tenants to provide operators to run such elevators.	1526	1531	1531	1531, 1753	1753	
782	An act to amend Section 8209, General Statutes of 1913, to provide for the payment of total permanent compensation out of a special fund in certain cases.	1275	1276	1326	1326, 1326, 1326 1397, 1544	1544	
783	An act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-B of Chapter 44 of the General Statutes for the year 1913, which section is hereby amended.	1118	1122				

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
788	An act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1917, relating to drainage, the same being designated as Section 5552-A, added to Chapter 44 of the General Statutes of 1913, which section is hereby amended.	1158	1163				
791	An act entitled "An act authorizing cities of the fourth class to issue bonds for water works purposes, and repealing Chapter 205, Laws 1909, and Chapter 253, Laws 1915, except as to pending proceedings.	1209	1210	1339	1339, 1339	1340	
793	An act to amend Chapter 359, Laws 1917, relating to the change of boundaries and the establishment of new counties.	795	796	958	950, 1415, 1732	1732	
797	An act to provide for the payment of salaries, for the period of their suspension, to officers heretofore suspended and reinstated by the Governor in certain counties.	1492	1500		1500, 1500		
803	An act establishing a Department of Agriculture providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture, and determining the powers and duties of said Commissioner.	1093	1095	1247	1238, 1247, 1285 1629, 1629, 1634 1347, 1369, 1629	1629	
805	An act to legalize the refunding bonds of villages in certain cases.	1442	1447	1617	1610		
807	An act relating to the establishment of zones for protection against fires around certain cities and villages in this state.	1363	1363	1363 1675	1363, 1674, 1674	1675	
809	An act to amend Chapter 416 of the General Laws of 1913, the same being Sections 3892, 3893, 3894 and 3895 of the General Statutes of 1913, so as to require accidents to employes which disable them for more than the day, shift or turn on which the injury was incurred to be reported by the employer to the Commissioner of Labor.	846	848	985	982, 1392, 1541	1542	
812	A Concurrent Resolution creating a Commission for the codification and revision of the laws relative to legal publications in newspapers.	1093	1094	1094	1375, 1094, 1715 1715	1715	
815	An act providing for participation of certain teachers in the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.	1349	1352				
818	An act entitled, "An act legalizing certain bonds heretofore issued by school districts.	1080	1084	1084	1084	1313	
822	An act fixing the salaries of certain county officers in certain counties in this state and conditionally repealing Chapter 423, Special Laws Minnesota 1891.	555	555	555	555	555	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
824	An act to amend Section 2272, General Statutes of 1913, fixing the rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts.	1576	1582	1583	1583, 1647	1647	
826	An act abolishing the office of State Oil Inspector and transferring his powers to the Dairy and Food Commissioner.	1336	1337	1338	1338, 1373, 1719	1719	
829	An act providing for the erection of highway guide posts and signs by towns, villages and cities and imposing certain duties on the Commissioner of Highways in relation thereto.	698	699	778	765, 1375, 1744	1745	
831	An act to amend Section 2530, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the establishment, alteration and vacation of town roads.	1118	1123	1461	1460		
832	An act to amend Chapter 201 of General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, approved April 18, 1911, entitled, An act authorizing cities of the first class in the State of Minnesota to establish and maintain a purchasing department as a branch of the city government.	1319	1322		1550, 1550		
836	An act to amend Chapter 295 of the Laws of Minnesota 1915 relating to compensation to be allowed to sheriffs for boarding and caring for prisoners in all counties of the state now or hereafter having a population of not less than 215,000 and not more than 300,000 inhabitants.	1302	1304	1609	1608, 1609	1609	
837	An act entitled, An act providing for a fund in cities of the first class, operating under home rule charters pursuant to Section 36 of Article 4 of the state constitution, to be used for the payment of a portion of the cost of paving and repaving streets therefrom; defining "Arterial streets and providing for the designation thereof by the council or other governing bodies of such cities.	1093	1094				
840	An act to make uniform the law relating to limited partnerships.	1119	1123	1461	1454, 1722	1722	
847	An act regulating the use of headlamps on motor vehicles and providing for the enforcement of same.	1677	1690		1700, 1700		
849	An act providing for the levy and collection of a tax on royalty received by the owner of any right, title or interest in land situate in this state for permission to explore, mine, take out and remove ore from the same.	971	971	1600	1432, 1433, 1433 1600, 1600, 1639 1652, 1652, 1653 1653, 1653, 1654		
858	An act to authorize the modification of certain contracts for the construction of county and judicial ditches.	1118	1123	1413	1467, 1767		

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
859	An act to amend subdivision (3) of Section 2, Sections 16, 18, 20, 21 and subdivision (2) of Section 30 of Chapter 235, Laws 1913, as amended by Chapter 116, Laws 1915, and Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which Chapter 235, Laws 1913, is entitled: An act relating to public highways; the powers and duties of counties, towns, villages and cities in relation thereto.	763	764	806	801, 1046, 1218 1219, 1220, 1220	1221	
860	An act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 119, Laws 1917, which section relates to the salary and expenses of the Commissioner of Highways, the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, the several assistant engineers, the clerical and technical assistants of the Highway Department.	698	699	985	980, 1046, 1218 1221, 1285	1286	
861	An act authorizing the County Board of any county to designate an assistant engineer of the Highway Department of the state to act as superintendent of maintenance on State Roads and as such to issue time checks for work done in the maintenance of State Roads under the provisions of Chapter 182, Laws 1915.	698	698	778	765, 1046, 1218 1221, 1285	1286	
862	An act authorizing the issue and sale of county bonds for the purpose of permanently improving certain state roads.	763	764	985	979, 1046, 1092 1218, 1218, 1218 1218, 1218, 1218	1219	1417
869	An act to provide for the payment from state funds of the tuition of non-resident high school pupils.	1739	1740	1740		1740	1740
870	An act providing that where a patent is issued to a deceased patentee, title shall inure to and become vested in the heirs, devisees or assignees of such deceased patentee.	1118	1123	1123	1123, 1375	1429	
871	An act to amend Section 5219, General Statutes 1913, providing for the appraisal of state lands, appointment of appraisers and their compensation.	1441	1447	1447		1447	
876	An act entitled, an act providing for an old age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of cities now having or hereafter having a population of over two hundred twenty thousand inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36 of the Constitution.	1492	1500				
887	An act entitled, An act providing for an old-age and total disability pension for certain officers and employes of any county of this state now having, or hereafter having, a population of not less than 200,000 nor more than 300,000 inhabitants.	1486	1496				

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
885	An act to amend Chapter 14, Laws 1919, which Chapter 14 is entitled. An act to amend Chapter 499, Laws of Minnesota, 1917, relating to regulation of employment and removals in public departments and upon public works in the State of Minnesota.	1080	1084	1188	1187, 1188	1188	
888	An act relating to taxation in villages and in cities of the fourth class.	1208	1208	1208	1208	1208 1314	1343 1343 1464
894	An act to amend Chapter 327, Laws 1917, relating to sale of timber on state lands and regulating the issuance of permits.	1442	1448	1448	1448, 1761	1761	
895	An act to amend Subsection 4, Section 1, Chapter 400, Laws 1913, fixing the salaries of certain state officers and employes.	1682	1689	1712	1712	1712	
898	An act permitting the discharge of the overflow from sewerage treatment plants into public drainage ditches under certain conditions.	1527	1533	1534	1534		
899	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 242, Laws of Minnesota, 1919, relating to the salaries, expenses and allowances of county commissioners.	1576	1583	1747	1583, 1583, 1747	1748	
900	An act authorizing the Board of Timber Commissioners to require the purchaser of timber located upon state lands to cut clean all standing timber upon lands covered by permit issued to said purchaser.	1301	1303	1304	1304		
902	An act to authorize the Board of Timber Commissioners to determine the number of sections of land or fractions thereof to be covered by and described in a timber permit.	1443	1448	1448	1448, 1762	1762	
903	An act to amend Section 5278, General Statutes 1913, regulating the extension of permits.	1527	1537	1537	1537, 1763	1763	
905	An act authorizing cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants to issue municipal bonds to the amount of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, purchasing, constructing, owning, equipping, maintaining and operating public parks in such cities.	1488	1496	1603	1603, 1603	1604	
910	An act fixing the compensation of county commissioners in all counties of this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty four million dollars and an area of more than 2,500 square miles.	1080	1084	1208	1189, 1251	1251	
911	An act to provide for the appointment of a State Commissioner of Drainage, prescribing his duties and compensation, and for an advisory drainage board, its method of appointment and its duties, and for other purposes.	1232	1233	1570	1234, 1234, 1234 1560		

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Number	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference.	Second Reading.	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
913	An act to prevent, in written instruments relating to or affecting real estate, discriminations against persons or classes of persons because of their religious faith or creed.	1081	1084	1085	1085	1109	
914	An act authorizing and providing for the establishment of retirement boards and for the payment of retirement allowances to employes of cities of the State of Minnesota having over 50,000 inhabitants not governed under a home rule charter, to provide the funds therefor and to define the procedure for the administration thereof.	1118	1124	1549	1547, 1549	1549	
922	An act relating to public warehouses on the right of way of railroads.	1527	1534	1534	1534, 1722	1722	
924	An act to amend Section 4, Chapter 238, Laws 1915, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 410, Laws 1917, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.	1118	1123	1124	1123, 1377, 1377	1426	
926	An act to amend Section 6259, G. S. 1913, relating to the liability in certain cases of persons or corporations owning or operating telegraph lines.	1442	1448		1558, 1558		
930	An act to amend Sections 1453, 1454, 1455 and 1456, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired police matrons and to provide such pensions for assistant matrons and other police women.	1487	1496	1700	1698, 1707	1707	
931	A Concurrent Resolution authorizing the Railroad and Warehouse Commission to investigate and determine the proper method of requiring the purchaser of grain, subject to dockage, to reimburse the producers and to report to the next legislature its findings as to proper legislation to enact for that purpose.	1526	1532	1617	1591, 1737	1737	
933	An act defining and regulating public stock yards, placing them under the supervision and control of the railroad and warehouse commission and providing penalties.	1093	1094	1094	1094, 1375, 1705	1705	
936	An act entitled, An act to amend Section 2769 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of common school districts.	1275	1278	1461	1459		
937	An act to provide in certain cases for the separation from cities containing 10,000 inhabitants or less, and from school districts contained in such cities, of unplatted agricultural lands included in the corporate limits of such city.	1158	1162	1162	1162	1311	

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939	An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of County Free Libraries, and for contracts between boards of county commissioners and existing public libraries.	1441	1449	1451	1451, 1451, 1451 1736	1736	
940	An act relating to dangerous railroad crossings over streets and public highways.	1349	1355	1355	1355, 1637	1637	
941	An act to authorize the recording of certificates of discharge from the United States Army, Navy and Marine Corps.	880	882	882	882, 1370	1371	
943	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24, Laws of 1907, and Section 8 of Chapter 24, Laws of 1907 as amended by Chapter 318, Laws of 1913, said Chapter 24, Laws of 1907, being entitled An act creating a fund and providing for the disbursement thereof, for pensions and relief by Firemen's Relief Associations.	1492	1499	1700	1499, 1499, 1686 1686, 1686, 1699 1726	1726	
957	An act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of mutual automobile insurance companies.	1249	1250	1416	1416, 1416, 1416 1416, 1752	1752	
964	An act validating and legalizing proceedings for termination and the foreclosure and cancellation of contracts for the sale or purchase of real estate, and the records thereof where the mortgage tax on such contracts has not been paid prior to the foreclosure or cancellation thereof.	1581	1582				
965	An act legalizing certain affidavits of publication heretofore filed and the record thereof, wherein certain facts which should have been stated were omitted.	901	903	958	957, 1045, 1047		
966	An act fixing and regulating the salary of help in the office of the court commissioner in counties having or which may hereafter have a population of 300,000 or over.	1488	1497	1606	1605, 1606, 1749	1749	
973	An act authorizing cities of this state having over 50,000 inhabitants and governed by and under a charter adopted pursuant to Article IV, Section 36, of the State Constitution, to reimburse and pay the actual loss sustained by any person or corporation in the performance of any contract with such city, or any board, department or agency thereof.	1336	1337				
979	An act authorizing municipal subdivisions of the state to appropriate funds in aid of the work to be carried on by the Minnesota War Records Commission.	1276	1278	1280	1278, 1278, 1279 1279, 1280, 1375	1424	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received from House.	First Reading and Reference	Second Reading	Other Proceedings.	Third Reading and Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
984	An act authorizing any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of thirty thousand, or less, according to the last state or national census, in which is located a city of the third class, operating under a home rule charter, to acquire by gift from such city an interest in and to any hospital and hospital equipment which may now or hereafter belong to such city.	1349	1352	1353	1352	1361	
985	An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.	1488	1498	1498	1498, 1741	1741	
997	An act authorizing and empowering cities of Minnesota of over 50,000 inhabitants and not governed under a home rule charter to establish, construct, equip, maintain and operate public comfort and toilet stations in such city and to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation lands, sites and buildings necessary therefor.	1487	1497	1617	1604, 1717	1717	
1008	An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913 entitled, An act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.	1349	1353	1353	1353, 1709	1709	
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1014	An act to amend Section 6592 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the election of trustees for religious corporations.	793	796	913			
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1018	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 360, Laws 1915, providing for the publication of proceedings of meetings of school boards of independent school districts.	1080	1085	1570	1556, 1764	1764	
1020	An act establishing additional terms of the district court of the Eleventh Judicial District in and for St. Louis County at the City of Virginia, at the Village of Hibbing, and at the City of Ely in said county: providing for the officers of said court and the salaries of certain of such officers.	1491	1500		1558, 1559		

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1030	An act to cure defects in the service of notice of expiration of time of redemption upon tax sale certificates, where notice of expiration of redemption was duly issued within six years after the tax sale but the sixty day limit for redemption did not expire within six years after the date of this tax judgment sale.	1677	1690	1734		1734	1735
1033	An act to regulate, in cities now or hereafter having over fifty thousand inhabitants, the selling or offering for sale of ice cut from certain parts of rivers or streams into which sewerage of any city or village is discharged.	1119	1124				
1034	An act to amend Section 1143 General Statutes, Minnesota, 1913, relating to the keeping without a license of a billiard, pool or pigeon hole table or bowling alley, and to the exhibiting without a license of any circus, theatrical performance or show of any kind.	1528	1540	1628	1540, 1540, 1628 1628	1628	
1035	An act to amend the title and Sections 1, 2, 4, and 13 of Chapter 272, Laws 1915 which Chapter is entitled, An act relating to the duties of coroners and prescribing the manner and procedure of holding examinations and inquests.	1060	1062	1413	1412, 1636	1636	
1040	An act to amend Section 880, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, as amended by Chapter 206, General Laws Minnesota 1917, relating to clerk hire in the county treasurer's office in certain counties of this state.	880	882	882		882	882
1041	An act amending Section 1161, General Statutes 1913, relating to fees of town treasurers, as amended by Chapter 295, Laws 1917.	1443	1449	1617	1610, 1745	1745	
1042	An act to amend Section 1142, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to the powers and duties of town boards.	1527	1534	1534		1534	1535
1043	An act to amend Section 845, General Statutes 1913, relating to receipts and payments of money by county treasurer.	1526	1532	1532	1532, 1668	1668	
1045	An act fixing the rate of interest upon unpaid state auditor's drafts in certain cases.	1577	1586	1586	1586, 1666	1666	
1046	An act to amend Sections 78 and 82, General Statutes 1913, relating to duties of state treasurer, and repealing Chapter 524, Laws of 1913, providing for additional report by state treasurer.	1526	1531	1532	1532, 1667	1667	

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1054	An act to amend Section 3978 of the General Statutes of 1913, being Section 1805 of the Revised Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 129 of Laws of 1907, relating to the burial by counties of certain soldiers, sailors and marines who served the United States in certain wars.	1526	1532				
1056	An act to promote the health and safety of employes in all places of employment, both inside and outside, by requiring the owners of such places, and, in certain cases, the owners of buildings, and grounds in or on which such places are located to keep them in good sanitary condition; to require proper and adequate ventilation in such places.	1525	1529	1530	1530, 1724	1724	
1059	An act to provide for the erection of armories in cities and villages for use jointly by military organizations quartered in such cities and villages and by the citizens of such cities or villages.	1158	1162	1700	1692, 1692, 1705	1705	
1061	A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress of the United States, to enact legislation requiring aliens residing in foreign countries, desiring admission to the United States to make application to authorized representatives of the United States in such foreign countries, and providing for an investigation by such representatives.	1580	1583	1727	1727, 1727	1727	
1064	An act relating to insurance adjusters.	1674	1690				
1065	An act authorizing the incorporation of co-operative associations and defining their powers.	1093	1095	1247	1238, 1247, 1285 1347, 1369, 1655 1655		
1073	An act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 209, General Laws 1915, the same being Section 20-A of the workmen's compensation act, relating to the time within which actions or proceedings may be brought.	1275	1277	1369	1366, 1392, 1543	1543	
1075	An act to amend Section 259, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, relating to municipal courts in certain cities and villages.	1349	1353	1353	1353	1354	
1083	An act limiting the time within which an action may be brought to set aside certain deeds and mortgages made by executors and administrators, and legalizing such deeds and mortgages.	1442	1450	1451	1450, 1648	1648	
1086	An act relating to the equipment and regulation of hotels, restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, and places of refreshment, defining the same and relating to the inspection thereof, providing for penalties for violations of provisions of this act.	1526	1533	1533	1533, 1685	1686	

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1088	An act to amend Section 5526 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 441 of the General Laws for 1917, relating to drainage.	1526	1528	1529	1529		
1089	An act to amend Section 2917, General Statutes 1913, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.	1576	1584	1584	1584, 1746.	1746	1746
1091	An act authorizing the Board of Armory Supervisors to sell state armory sites and buildings in certain cases.	1350	1354	1570	1557, 1708	1708	
1099	An act authorizing cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants not governed by Home Rule Charter to license and regulate Civil Engineers to do surveying within the corporate limits of such cities.	1487	1499	1601	1601, 1601		
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1113	An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 216 General Laws of Minnesota for 1911, as amended by Chapter 141, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, relating to the salaries of county superintendents of schools in certain counties.	1013	1018	1098	1097, 1137		
1124	An act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1869, providing for the incorporation of the Village of High Forest, Olmsted county, Minnesota.	1081	1085	1250	1235, 1235, 1235 1250, 1250, 1250 1251	1251	
1128	An act to amend Sections 4 and 5, Chapter 44, Laws of Minnesota for 1915, being an act entitled, An act authorizing county boards to levy a tax for road and bridge purposes additional to that which is authorized to levy for county road and bridge purposes on property situated in territory not organized for purposes of town government.	1442	1449	1776	1610, 1610, 1776 1777	1776	
1141	An act fixing compensation for clerk hire in offices of registers of deeds in certain counties of the state.	1159	1161	1175	1175, 1175, 1175	1176	
1142	An act providing for additional clerk hire for judges of probate in certain counties.	1443	1449	1617	1610, 1786	1786	
1145	An act to fix the salary of county auditors in counties of this state containing seventy-five (75) or more congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million dollars nor more than ten million dollars.	1350	1354	1414 1354	1354, 1414, 1414 1414, 1637	1637	
1147	An act to legalize mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made.	1158	1163	1175	1174, 1174, 1175	1175	

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1150	An act to amend Subdivision 12, Section 294, General Statutes 1913, as amended by Chapter 149, Laws 1917, fixing salaries of state treasurer's office.	1442	1450	1450	1450, 1721, 1721	1721	
1151	An act relating to liability under cancelled mineral leases.	1525	1529	1529	1529, 1735	1735	
1155	An act creating a state board of deposit and repealing Sections 91, 93, 94, 95, 96 and 97, General Statutes 1913, and Chapter 396, Laws of 1917, said sections and chapter being inconsistent with this act.	1577	1585	1585	1585, 1668	1669	
1158	An act to prohibit compulsory medical examination and treatment including dental and physical, of persons residing in this state, except in certain cases, who object thereto.	1119	1124	1247	1238, 1247, 1285 1327		
1159	An act to amend Sections 2896 and 2897, General Statutes 1913, relating to payment of school funds to counties by state treasurer and the apportionment thereof by county auditors.	1577	1584	1585	1584, 1642	1642	
1160	An act to provide for deferred collection of gross earnings taxes amounting to less than one dollar.	1526	1531	1617	1593, 1666	1666	
1161	An act providing for the payment of delinquent taxes against freight line companies.	1525	1530	1530	1530, 1667	1667	
1166	An act amending Section 823 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to compensation of county auditors in certain counties.	1276	1277	1358	1358, 1358, 1358	1358	
1168	An act amending Sections 2, 5 and 6 of Chapter 194, Laws 1903, being an act to enable municipalities to establish and acquire building line easements along streets, highways, parks and parkways, and defining the nature of such easements.	1492	1499	1500	1500, 1733	1733	
1169	A Concurrent Resolution providing for the creation of a commission known as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Commission.	1442	1449	1450	1449, 1464	1464	
1174	An act legalizing certain deeds, mortgages, satisfactions, and releases of mortgages or other liens upon land, powers of attorney and the record thereof heretofore defectively executed, acknowledged or made.	1442	1449	1617	1592		
1176	An act to amend Section 2270, General Statutes 1913, providing for taxation of vessels navigating international waters.	1159	1161	1338	1338, 1725	1725	

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1178	An act creating a state budget commission and defining the powers and duties thereof.	1160	1161				
1182	An act to amend Section 6016 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, relating to viewings of partition fences.	1013	1018	1247	1237		
1187	An act relating to the obstruction of Public Highways and providing penalties.	1350	1355	1461	1460		
1189	An act to amend, supplement, revise, consolidate and codify the laws of this state relating to preservation, protection and propagation of wild animals, including quadrupeds, birds and fish of both this and other states, and to repeal certain laws relating thereto.	1230	1232	1503	1212, 1233, 1233 1253, 1253, 1254 1279, 1315, 1415 1503, 1504, 1504 1504, 1505, 1506 1506, 1507, 1508 1509, 1510	1511	1595 1595 1595 1657 1657 1657 1657 1658 1713 1714
1192	An act providing for the acquisition of certain land by the University of Minnesota; the construction of buildings at the University in accordance with a comprehensive building plan; levying a tax to provide funds therefor and authorizing the issuance of certificates of indebtedness by the University for such purposes.	1120	1125	1391	1391, 1391	1417	
1193	An act to appropriate money for the state educational institutions and for other purposes.	1160	1161	1553	1550, 1553	1553	1559 1560 1654 1655
1194	An act regulating and prescribing the amount of capital stock of banks and trust companies with reference to deposits and relating to the amount of capital stock and surplus required of state banks.	1120	1125	1247	1125, 1125, 1133 1153, 1153, 1235		
1195	An act authorizing certain cities to issue bonds for the purpose of funding indebtedness.	901	903	903	903	903	
1196	An act to repeal Chapter 467, Session Laws of Minnesota of 1917, entitled, An act forbidding the drawing by State Officers and other State Employees of salary or compensation upon more than one voucher or warrant.	1232	1234	1235	1235, 1374, 1710	1710	
1198	An act to regulate cold storage of certain articles of food and to make uniform the law relating thereto.	1276	1279	1369	1368		
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1220	An act to amend Chapter 148, Session Laws of 1919, the same being an act relating to powers of cities of the first class not organized under Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution, and of library boards of such cities respecting libraries and art, science and similar collections.	1320	1323		1602. 1602		
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1228	An act authorizing any village in the state which lost its public improvements, buildings and property in the forest fire of October, 1918, to issue the bonds thereof to the state for certain municipal purposes, and appropriating \$40,000 out of the general revenue fund of the state to be loaned to such villages on such bonds for the state by the State Board of investment.	1672	1690	1704	1703	1704	
1229	An act permitting certain cities of the Fourth Class to acquire lands for park and fair ground purposes.	1527	1537	1538	1538	1538	
1231	An act authorizing cities of Minnesota of the first class and not governed under a Home Rule Charter to issue and sell municipal bonds for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense of increasing the police force of the city.	1487	1497		1603, 1603		

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1240	An act relating to separate primaries and elections in cities of the first class not operating under a home rule charter.	1527	1537	1636	1537, 1537, 1635 1635, 1636, 1718	1718	
1242	An act authorizing the revocation of the license of any insurer writing workmen's compensation insurance in the State of Minnesota which has been guilty of fraud or misrepresentation, or culpable, persistent and unreasonable delay in making settlements.	1576	1584	1584	1584, 1704	1704	
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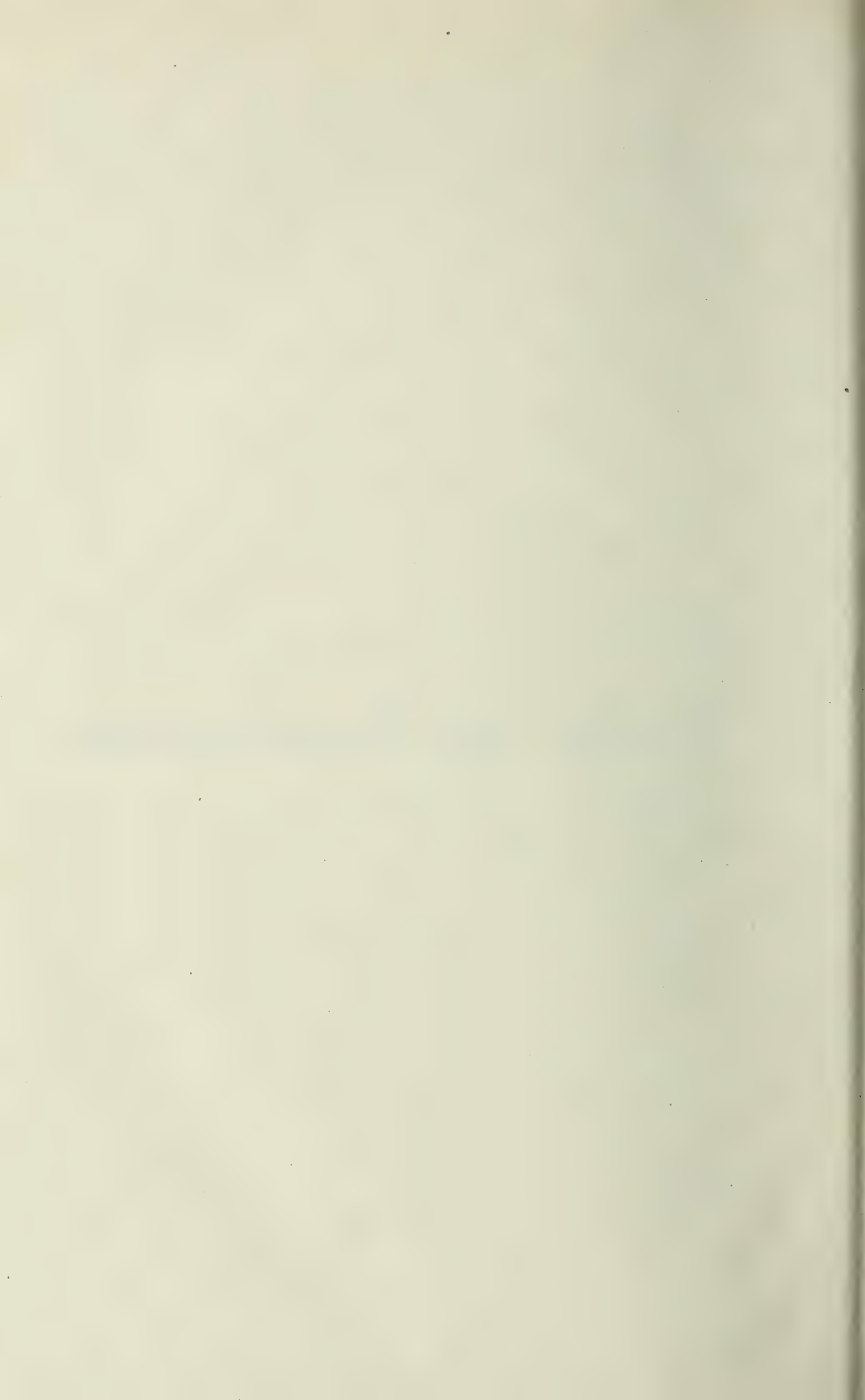
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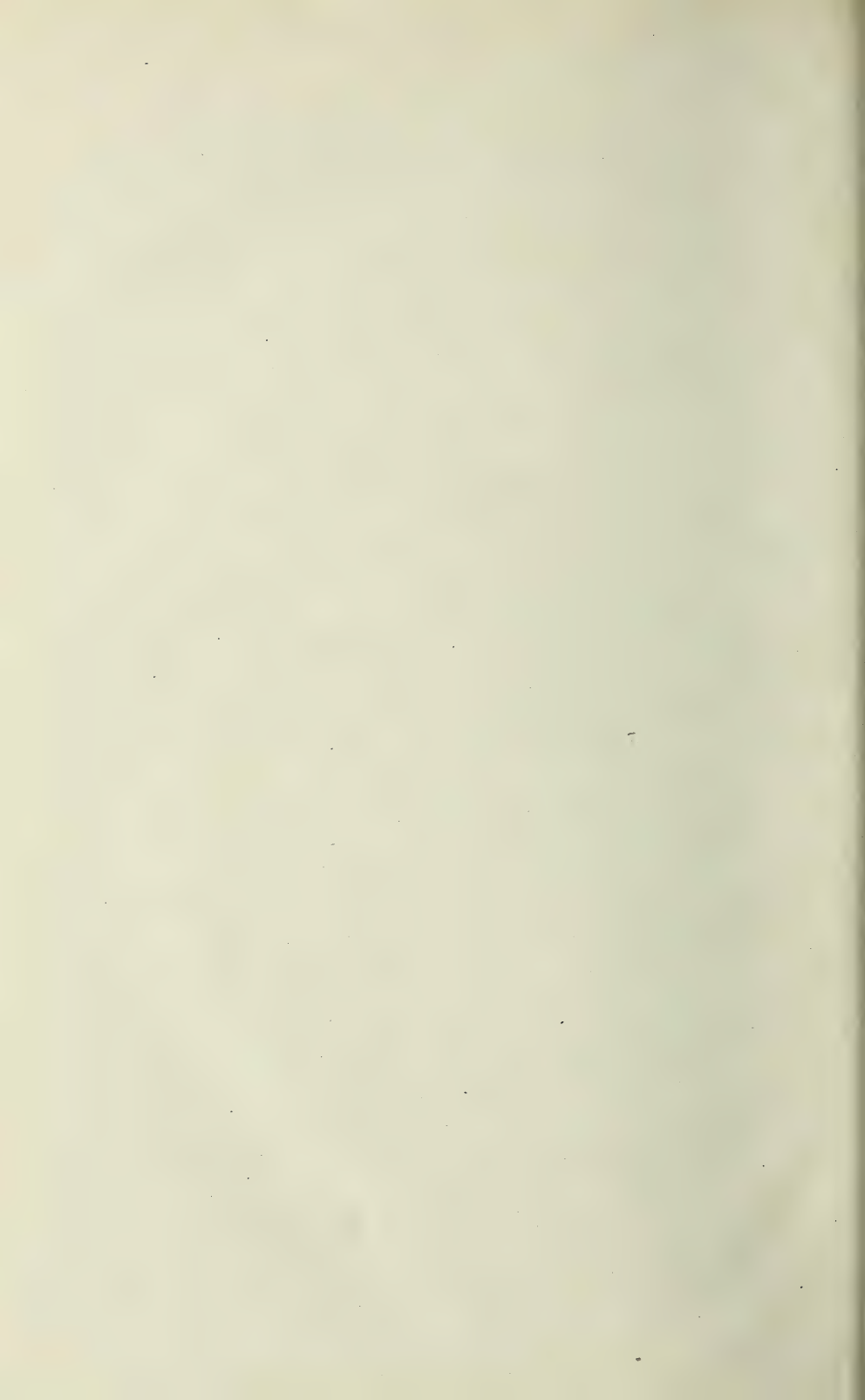
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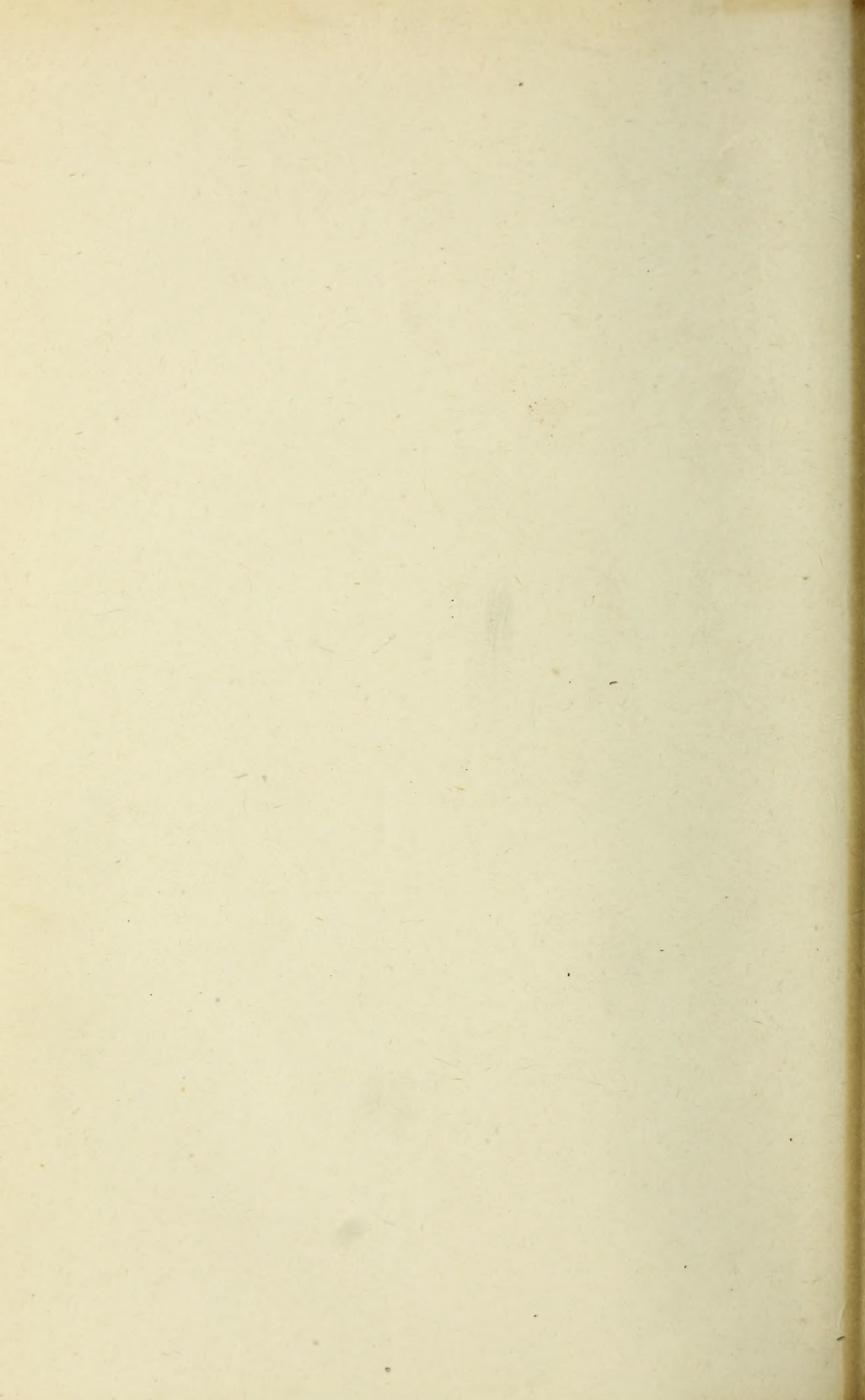
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